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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
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The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
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Dear Chairwoman DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Ohio Aerospace Institute's Precision Urban Agriculture Initiative in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the Ohio Aerospace Institute, located at 22800 Cedar Point Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44142. The funding would be used to establish new generation of agronomic techniques which has the potential to revolutionize how we grow food. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your consideration of this requests. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Shontel M. Brown".

Shontel M. Brown  
Member of Congress