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March 27, 2026

The Honorable Tom Cole  
Chairman  
Committee on Appropriations  
H-305, the Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
1036 Longworth HOB  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for New York University's Embodied AI & Robotics Facility. The entity to receive funding for this project is New York University, located at 665 Broadway, 10th Floor, New York, NY 10012. The funding would be used to establish a Physical AI and robotics test-and-validation center at NYU Tandon's School of Engineering in Brooklyn. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will address a clear unmet need for a high-end, safety-managed facility to validate advanced robotics on real hardware before deployment, and directly aligns with NIST's mission to assist industry in the development of technology and procedures needed to facilitate the more rapid commercialization of products based on new scientific discoveries in fields such as automation, electronics, and advanced materials.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes described in section 272 of title 15, United States Code.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dan Goldman'.

Dan Goldman  
Member of Congress