

SALLIE ALCORN Houston City Council Member At-Large, Position 5

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The Honorable Al Green United States House of Representatives 2347 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Green,

I am writing in support of the Space Healthcare and Training Program proposed by Baylor College of Medicine.

Baylor College of Medicine has a long history of contributing to the health of our community, including efforts in the health and space industries. Over the years, BCM's leadership of the college's programs in space medicine, include the Center for Space Medicine, the National Space Biomedical Research Institute, and the Translational Research Institute for Space Health.

Baylor College of Medicine is a national leader and collaborative partner in numerous and important fields, including science, education, health care and community service. Their broad efforts and important breakthroughs, including those at the interface of space and medicine, make Houston one of the best places to live, work and build a business.

The proposed Space Healthcare and Training Program will span multiple business sectors. It is an ambitious program that is unique in the nation and further promotes Houston's status as a space industry city. I support the innovative and valuable Space Healthcare and Training Program, which will not only benefit our Houston community but will fill an important and growing need in our country's vital space program.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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