Congress of the United States House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY

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The Honorable Bryan Steil Chairperson Committee on House Administration 1309 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairperson Steil,

In accordance with the regulations of the Committee on House Administration, I am submitting herewith the monthly report of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology for July 2024, including the following:

- A summary of Committee activities;
- A statement of expenses and fund balance;
- A statement of authorized Committee travel expenses;
- A list of Committee employees showing their titles and gross monthly salaries.

This letter also certifies that copies of this report are available, upon request, to each Member of the Committee.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Frank D. Lucas

Chairman

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

Attachments



July 2024 Monthly Committee Report

July 10, 2024
Full Committee Markup –
H.R 8958, NASA Reauthorization Act of 2024, as amended

Other Activities

Full Committee

July 2, 2024

<u>H.J. Res. 178</u>, "Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Commerce relating to "Preventing the Improper Use of CHIPS Act Funding" was introduced by Rep. Gary Palmer and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 9, 2024

<u>H.R. 8958</u>, "To reauthorize the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Frank Lucas and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 8965</u>, "To promote the development of certain plans, policies, and standards for managing cybersecurity risks and protecting sensitive technology relating to National Aeronautics and Space Administration spacecraft systems, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Maxwell Frost and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 10, 2024

<u>H.R. 8982</u>, "To authorize NASA to reimburse Chincoteague for drinking water well replacement costs, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Jennifer Kiggans and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 11, 2024

<u>H.R. 8996</u>, "To enhance safety requirements for trains transporting hazardous materials, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Troy Nehls and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 9013</u>, "To require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to assess certain fees on shipping and other vessels, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Doris Matsui and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 18, 2024

<u>H.J. Res 191</u>, "Providing for congressional disapproval under chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, of the rule submitted by the Department of Energy relating to 'Loan Guarantees for Clean Energy Projects'" was introduced by Rep. Gary Palmer and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 23, 2024

<u>H.R. 6219</u>, the "ASCEND Act" was reported, as amended, by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 4152</u>, the "Space Resources Institute Act" was reported, as amended, by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 6213</u>, the "National Quantum Initiative Reauthorization Act" was reported, as amended, by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

July 25, 2024

<u>H.R. 9134</u>, "To amend the Research and Development, Competition, and Innovation Act to direct the Director of the National Science Foundation to carry out a mentorship demonstration program, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Jennifer McClellan and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

June 30, 2024

H.R. 9194, "To amend the Research and Development, Competition, and Innovation Act to support nucleic acid screening, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Yadira Caraveo and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 9197</u>, "To require the Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology to develop resources for small businesses in utilizing artificial intelligence, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Mike Collins and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

H.R. 9202, "To direct the Secretary of Energy to promote and facilitate the commercialization of domestic spent nuclear fuel reprocessing" was introduced by Rep. Byron Donalds and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 9205</u>, "To establish the National Fab Lab Network, a nonprofit organization consisting of a national network of local digital fabrication facilities providing universal access to advanced manufacturing tools for workforce development, STEM education, developing inventions, creating businesses, producing personalized products, mitigating risks, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Bill Foster and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

H.R. 9211, "To improve educational efforts related to artificial intelligence literacy at the K through 12 level, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Thomas Kean and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

<u>H.R. 9212</u>, "To establish the Interagency Group on Large-Scale Carbon Management in the National Science and Technology Council and a Federal Carbon Removal Initiative, and for other purposes" was introduced by Rep. Ann Kuster and referred to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

Monthly Statement by Paid Date

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July

		YTD Including	
Description	July	July	Cumulative Total
Non Statutory Compensation	\$473,666.70	\$3,226,302.13	\$3,226,302.13
Bonus	\$3,000.00	\$4,788.33	\$4,788.33
11 Personnel Compensation subtotal	\$476,666.70	\$3,231,090.46	\$3,231,090.46
Plane	\$0.00	\$9,534.00	\$9,534.00
Lodging	\$0.00	, \$7,643.82	\$7,643.82
Meals	\$0.00	\$2,457.98	\$2,457.98
Car Rental	\$0.00	\$1,934.46	\$1,934.46
Gasoline	\$0.00	\$186.26	\$186.26
Private Auto Mileage	\$0.00	\$20.71	\$20.7
Taxi	\$0.00	\$175.22	\$175.22
Parking	\$0.00	\$495.94	\$495.94
Tolls	\$0,00	\$48.50	\$48.50
21 Travel subtotal	\$0.00	\$22,496.89	\$22,496.89
DC Telecommunication Equipment	\$180.00	\$1,368.00	\$1,368.00
DC Telecommunication Services	\$643.25	\$3,913.75	\$3,913.75
DC Telecommunication Tolls	\$4,253.51	\$25,459.48	\$25,459.48
Postage/Courier/Box Rental	\$0.00	\$217.97	\$217.97
23 Rent, Communications, and Utilities subtotal	\$5,076.76	\$30,959.20	\$30,959.20
Printing & Reproduction	\$3,131.40	\$3,131.40	\$3,131.40
Printing & Reproduction	\$0.00	\$431.00	\$431.00
Reproduction of Fed/Public Law	\$0.00	\$130.00	\$130.00
24 Printing and Reproduction subtotal	\$3,131.40	\$3,692.40	\$3,692.40
Training	\$0.00	\$2,775.00	\$2,775.00
Web Dev Hst, Email & Rltd Serv	\$0.00	-\$1,960.00	-\$1,960.00
25 Other Services subtotal	\$0.00	\$815.00	\$815.00
Computer Software <\$500	\$0.00	\$10.06	\$10.06
Bottled Water	\$487.81	\$2,850.89	\$2,850.89
Food & Beverage	\$701.34	\$3,726.56	\$3,726.56
Legislative Planning	\$0.00	\$422.58	\$422.58
Framing (Transfer)	\$0.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
Office Supplies (Outside)	\$159.52	\$3,466.72	\$3,466.72
Office Supplies (Transfer)	\$220.09	\$1,448.97	\$1,448.97
Computer Software <\$500	\$10.06	\$1,300.69	\$1,300.69
Publications/Reference Material	\$164.46	\$10,083.17	\$10,083.17
26 Supplies and Materials subtotal	\$1,743.28	\$23,409.64	\$23,409.64
Maintenance / Repairs	\$570.00	\$3,292.16	\$3,292.16
31 Equipment subtotal	\$570.00	\$3,292.16	\$3,292.16
Total Expenses	\$487,188.14	\$3,315,755.75	\$3,315,755.75

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology

Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date

July

Total Authorization 118-2		\$7,266,000.00
Less Expenses for:		
January, 2024		\$430,505.61
February, 2024		\$473,665.13
March, 2024		\$467,095.88
April, 2024		\$487,661.01
May, 2024		\$482,799.61
June, 2024		\$486,840.37
July, 2024		\$487,188.14
Total Expenses to Date:	•	\$3,315,755.75
Unexpended Authorization		\$3,950,244.25

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology - FM

Monthly Statement by Paid Date

118-2

July

	YTD Including		
Description	July	July Cum	ulative Total
Franked Mail	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
FM Franking subtotal	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total Expenses	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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Fund Balance Statement by Paid Date July

Total Authorization 118-2	\$5,000.00
Less Expenses for:	
January, 2024	\$0.00
February, 2024	\$0.00
March, 2024	\$0.00
April, 2024	\$0.00
May, 2024	\$0.00
June, 2024	\$0.00
July, 2024	\$0.00
Total Expenses to Date:	\$0.00
Unexpended Authorization	\$5,000.00

Dates of Service 1	Dates of Service 2	Payee Name	BOC lookup	Amount	Description of Articles
07/17/2024	07/18/2024	07/18/2024 Kristin Kopshever	2135-Taxi	\$113.45 Ubers	Ubers
07/18/2024		Kristin Kopshever	2110-Meals	\$9.27 Meals	Meals
07/29/2024		Anna Ferrara	2110-Meals	\$13.76 Meals	Meals
07/16/2024	07/19/2024 Citibank	Citibank	2101- Plane	\$844.19	\$844.19 Air: IAD-SFO-IAD [36317] J. Orellana
07/16/2024		Citibank	2101- Plane	\$18.75	\$18.75 Air: fee - J. Orellana
07/17/2024	07/18/2024 Citiban	Citibank	2105-Lodging	\$261.69	\$261.69 Hotel: J. Piazza
07/17/2024	07/18/2024 Citiban	Citibank	2105-Lodging	\$261.69	\$261.69 Hotel: K. Kopshever
07/18/2024		Citibank	2110-Meals	\$32.66	\$32.66 Hotel meal: K. Kopshever
07/17/2024		Citibank	2110-Meals	\$9.87	\$9.87 AG Travel Plaza
07/17/2024		Citibank	2110-Meals	\$14.54	\$14.54 Pret a Manger
07/18/2024		Citibank	2110-Meals	\$67.53	\$67.53 Hotel: Marriott New York

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology Payroll Information for Monthly Committee Report

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Nama	Title	Compensation
Name Amin, Vishal	Sr. Professional Staff	\$15,000.00
Anderson, Catherine	Communications Director	\$9,966.67
-	Staff Director	\$15,416.67
Blevins, Brent		\$1,750.00
Blumhagen, Catherine	Dem Intern Program Staff Director and Counsel	\$13,333.33
Boatright, Daniel	Professional Staffer	\$7,083.33
Boosali, Aristotle "Ari"	Senior Investigative Counsel	\$9,666.67
Camacho, Dario	Professional Staff	\$9,250.00
Costa, Janie		\$6,416.67
Deloney, Andrew	Legal Associate	\$9,166.67
Dunn. Bridget	Press Secretary	• •
Dziadon, Daniel	Staff Director	\$11,666.67 \$5,000.00
Elkins, Cody	Policy Assistant Professional Staff	\$5,000.00 \$7,046.67
Ferrara, Anna		\$7,916.67 \$1,750.00
Floam, Caroline	Intern	\$1,750.00 #400.43
Glasscock, Stacey	Shared Employee	\$190.42
Hall, Troy	Sr. Professional Staffer	\$9,583.33
Hammer-Longosz, Mateo	Dem Intern Program	\$1,750.00
Hammond, Tom J.	Senior Policy Advisor	\$16,666.67
Hinman, Albert	Professional Staffer	\$7,366.67
Johnson, Catherine "Cate"	Staff Director	\$13,750.00
Khayami, Kalie	Intern	\$1,750.00
Kopshever, Kristin N	Director of Admin & Member Services	\$14,610.02
Larrieu, Madison	Staff Assistant	\$4,166.67
Leavandosky, Stacey	Staff Director	\$9,657.42
Lombardo, Victoria	Investigator	\$7,916.67
Marrero, Ana	Finance Assistant	\$500.00
Mathis, Joshua	Staff Director	\$17,466.67
McBarron, Kelsey	Professional Staff/Counsel	\$12,500.00
McQuinn, Alan	Professional Staff	\$8,710.77
Medina, Carlos	Staff/Press Assistant	\$4,680.00
Morgan, Gareth	Intern	\$1,750.00
Murglin, Alexander	Digital Manager	\$6,416.67
Nowell, Aden	Intern	\$1,750.00
Orellana, Joseph	Professional Staff	\$7,661.33
Palasits, Sara	Professional Staff	\$8,418.38
Parrott,Kristi	PSM	\$7,862.40
Peterson, Sage	Clerk	\$9,166.67
Piazza, John L.	Chief of Staff	\$15,519.82
Price, Wendi	Director of Operations	\$15,416.67
Reutt, Christopher	Policy Assistant	\$4,166.67
Roos, Amber Harris	Finance Director	\$2,812.50
Rosenberg, Adam	Staff Director	\$15,229.19
Rozansky, Lilly	Dem Intern Program	\$1,750.00
Rubin, Andrew	Senior Counsel	\$11,232.00
Rubin, Victoria	Professional Staffer	\$9,583.33
Scales, Charlie	Policy Assistant	\$5,000.00
Schneider, Josh	Professional Staff	\$8,772.19
Schwartz, Drew	Intern	\$1,750.00

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		Gross Monthly
Name	Title	Compensation
Slagell, Alison	Shared Employee	\$166.67
Sokolov, Dahlia L.	Policy Director	\$15,406.09
Stringer, Holten	Professional Staff Member	\$7,291.67
Vaughan, Heather	Communications Director	\$15,833.33
Waltz, Anderson	Intern	\$1,750.00
Wandel, Bryan Paul	Shared Staffer	\$500.00
Weixel, Alexander	Professional Staff	\$6,416.67
Whitney, Pamela L.	Staff Director Space Subcommittee	\$15,256.22
Whittaker, Larry W.	Shared Employee	\$5,428.80
Wilkins, Ashlee	Professional Staff	\$8,710.77
Wright, Jennie	Chief Counsel	\$16,250.00
Grand Total		\$481,916.70