

TEXAS SPACE COMMISSION

Office of the Executive Director

September 23, 2025

Mr. Jerry McGinty Executive Director Legislative Budget Board P.O. Box 12666 Austin, Texas 78711-2666

Dear Mr. McGinty:

Pursuant to Section 482.302, Government Code, the Texas Space Commission (Commission) must provide written notification to the Legislative Budget Board not later than the thirtieth day after a grant award is made from the Space Exploration and Aeronautics Research Fund (SEARF).

Accordingly, this letter serves as notice that the Commission has awarded up to \$4,707,457.00 to The Aldrin Family Foundation of Texas, Inc. for STEM workforce development by bringing the Student Satellites in Space (S-Cubed) program to high schools across the state. The Grant Agreement was fully executed by all parties as of today.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 512-463-8575 or Norman.Garza@space.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

Norman R. Garza, Jr. Executive Director

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cc: KJ Curtiss, Budget Analyst, Legislative Budget Board

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