## WPI Letterhead

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Center for Scientific Review National Institutes of Health 6701 Rockledge Drive Bethesda, MD 20817

To the Center for Scientific Review:

I am writing in reference to the enclosed application entitled XX submitted in response to Funding Opportunity Announcement: PAR-18-714 (Academic Research Enhancement Award for Undergraduate-Focused Institutions Program). With this letter, I am attesting that:

- Dr. XX holds a primary appointment as XX Professor in the Department of XX at Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI); the department is part of the School of Arts and Sciences at our institution;
- Both WPI as a whole Institution, and its School of Arts and Sciences (A&S), have more undergraduate enrollment than graduate student enrollment at the date of submission, and XX holds a primary appointment in A&S.
- At the time of this application's submission, all of WPI's non-health professional components have not received support from the NIH totaling more than \$6 million per year in four of the last seven years,

Thank you for your consideration of Dr. XX proposal.

Sincerely,

Winston Soboyejo, Ph.D. Provost Ad Interim Worcester Polytechnic Institute Authorized Organizational Representative