



HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Appropriations Requests for Legislatively Directed Spending Items

1. The sponsoring representative's first name:
Carol
2. The sponsoring representative's last name:
Glanville
3. The cosponsoring representatives' names. All cosponsors must be listed. If none, please type 'n/a.' A signed letter from the sponsor approving the co-sponsorship and a signed letter from the member wishing to co-sponsor are required. Attach letters at question #9 below.
Rep. Jenkins-Arno and Sen. Huizenga
4. Name of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
Van Andel Institute
5. Physical address of the entity that the spending item is intended for:
333 Bostwick Ave. Ne, Grand Rapids, MI 49503
6. If there is not a specific recipient, the intended location of the project or activity:
Grand Rapids, MI
7. Name of the representative and the district number where the legislatively directed spending item is located:
Rep. Carol Glanville
8. Purpose of the legislatively directed spending item. Please include how it provides a public benefit and why it is an appropriate use of taxpayer funding. Please also demonstrate that the item does not violate Article IV, S 30 of the Michigan Constitution. The Institute has received state funding for the last 12 years to help fund basic research. This has allowed the Institute to recruit world-class scientists and has helped fuel an exponential growth in federal grant dollars coming to Michigan. This growth has benefited the state of Michigan by bringing in scientists, and it has served as an anchor for the "Medical Mile" in Grand Rapids, which has led to better health care for many throughout Michigan. On a global scale, this has led to new discoveries and clinical trials that will help the people in Michigan and around the world.

Article IV, Section 30 requires a 2/3 vote for any appropriation for a local purpose. As the research and economic benefits of having the Van Andel Institute in the state benefit all taxpayers, it should therefore not be subject to the increased vote count for passage.

9. Attach documents here if needed:

Attachments added to the end of this file.

10. The amount of state funding requested for the legislatively directed spending item.

1500000

11. Has the legislatively directed spending item previously received any of the following types of funding? Check all that apply.

["State"]

12. Please select one of the following groups that describes the entity requesting the legislatively directed spending item:

Non-profit organization

13. For a non-profit organization, has the organization been operating within Michigan for the preceding 36 months?

Yes

14. For a non-profit organization, has the entity had a physical office within Michigan for the preceding 12 months?

Yes

15. For a non-profit organization, does the organization have a board of directors?

Yes

16. For a non-profit organization, list all the active members on the organization's board of directors and any other officers. If this question is not applicable, please type 'n/a.'

David Van Andel, Michelle Le Beau, Ph.D., Ralph DeBerardinis, M.D., Ph.D., Henry Paulson, M.D., Ph.D., James B. Fahner, M.D.

17. "I certify that neither the sponsoring representative nor the sponsoring representative's staff or immediate family has a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in the legislatively directed spending item."

Yes, this is correct

18. Anticipated start and end dates for the legislatively directed spending item:

October 1, 2025

19. "I hereby certify that all information provided in this request is true and accurate."

Yes