

March 4, 2020

Speaker Nancy Pelosi Speaker of the House U.S. House of Representatives 1236 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Leader Kevin McCarthy House Minority Leader U.S. House of Representatives 2468 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

RE: NECA Supports H.R. 6074 Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act

Dear Speaker Pelosi and Leader McCarthy:

On behalf of the National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA), I am writing in strong support of H.R. 6074 – *Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act.*

We urge all members to vote yes on this important legislation, to ensure that the United States is fully prepared to protect the health of its citizens. This bill provides the necessary funding to address this global health crisis.

NECA is the voice of the \$171 billion electrical construction industry that brings power, light and communication technology to buildings and communities across the U.S. Our national office and 118 local chapters advance the industry through advocacy, education, research and standards development. A diverse group of nearly 4,000-member companies account for approximately 300 million man-hours per year.

NECA thanks Chairwoman Lowey, Ranking Member Granger and all the members of the Appropriations committee for their swift action on this urgent legislation.

These votes and associated votes will be included in the NECA Legislative Scorecard for the 116th Congress. We urge you to **vote yes** on this legislation. If you have any questions or concerns please contact my staff at any time by reaching out to James Farrell, Director of Government Affairs, at James.Farrell@necanet.org or 301-215-4537.

Thank you for your consideration of our views.

Sincerely,

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