



COLORADO HIGHER EDUCATION COMPETITIVE RESEARCH AUTHORITY

University of Colorado:Colorado State University:University of Northern Colorado:Colorado Schools of Mines:State of Colorado

**Ad Hoc Meeting of the Board of Directors
September 14, 2021
9:00 a.m.
Remote Only
Preliminary Agenda**

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I. Funding Requests

- Colorado State University request funding from CHECRA to serve as cost share for a proposal to ARPA-E's (U.S. Department of Energy) PLUS UP funding opportunity (\$400,000)
- Colorado State University request funding from CHECRA to fund the acquisition of a high-resolution Matrix Assisted Laser Desorption/Ionization Tandem Time-of-Flight Mass Spectrometer (MALDI-TOF/TOF) (\$171,428)
- University of Colorado request funding from CHECRA to support multi-institution collaborative Engineering Research Center, ASPIRE (Advancing Sustainability through Powered Infrastructure for Roadway Electrification) at Utah State University (\$400,000) -- <https://aspire.usu.edu/about/index>
- University of Colorado request funding from CHECRA to support multi-institution collaborative Science and Technology Center, Center for Integration of Modern Optoelectronic Materials on Demand at University of Washington (\$200,000) -- <https://www.washington.edu/news/2021/09/09/nsf-to-fund-revolutionary-center-for-optoelectronic-quantum-technologies/>
- University of Colorado request funding from CHECRA to support National Science Foundation 18-513 Major Research Instrumentation Program Acquisition of a Direct Detection Electron Energy Loss Spectrometer for Fast, Low-Dose, and High Resolution Spectroscopic Imaging of Hard and Soft Materials (\$426,771)