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Attention: Eloisa De Castro

Subject: 09-2-O4.04-8581

Low Energy Mission Planning Toolbox

The NASA Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Program would like to commend you on the quality of the Phase 2 proposal you recently submitted (as referenced above). While it received good marks in our review process and demonstrated both technical merit and potential commercial value, we were not able to fund your proposal. Each program solicitation is limited in the number of selections that can be made. The result is a highly competitive process, in which only the most superior proposals received each year can be funded.

Your proposal was one of 340 received and evaluated in response to the NASA SBIR 2009 Phase 2 Program. A total of 215 selections have been made. The award announcement and list of selections are available via the SBIR/STTR homepage at http://sbir.nasa.gov.

Based on the strength of your proposal, we encourage you to continue the development of the proposed technology. We hope that this letter of commendation will assist your company in pursuing alternate funding sources for this project in either the private or public sector.

You will have already received notification by a separate e-mail if other proposals submitted by your firm were selected for contract negotiation.

Again, congratulations on an excellent proposal and thank you for your participation in NASA's SBIR Program.

Sincerely.

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