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AGI Letters and Statements

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- ESC FY 2020 Office of Science Budget Request
- ESC Letter of Support for the Confirmation of Dr. Chris Fall
- CNSF thank-you letter for passage of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019
- CNSF Statement on the Partial Government Shutdown

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- ESC Statement Thank you to Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources for Supporting H.R. 589
- ESC Statement Thank you to House Committee on Science, Space and Technology for supporting H.R. 589
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- ESC Statement Appreciation of House Appropriators Passing FY 2019 Energy and Water Appropriations
- ESC Statement FY 2020 Funding for DOE Office of Science
- · Joint comment to EPA Office of Science Advisor on "Strengthening Transparency in Regulatory Science" proposed rule
- ESC Statement Appreciation of House and Senate subcommittee support for DOE Office of Science in FY 2019 Appropriations
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- Coalition letter supporting 3DEP to USGS Director Reilly
- Multisociety comment submitted to the Department of State regarding information collection for visa applications
- CNSF Statement Applauding House Appropriations Committee for FY 2019 support of scientific research
- ESC Statement Support of S.2503, the Department of Energy Research and Innovation Act
- Multisociety letter thanking Rep. Perlmutter for offering amendment to NASA Authorization Act of 2018 to restore Earth Science funding
- ESC Statement FY 2019 Funding for the ARPA-E
- CNSF Statement FY 2019 Funding for the National Science Foundation
- ESC Statement FY 2019 Funding for the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science
- ESC Statement Thank you for FY 2018 Funding for the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science
- 3DEP Coalition Letter to Senate Appropriators
- 3DEP Coalition Letter to House Appropriators
- Multisociety letter in support of robust science funding for FY 2018
- Coalition for National Science Funding letter regarding FY 2018 appropriations for NSF
- Energy Sciences Coalition statement supporting Bipartisan Budget Act and FY 2018 omnibus appropriations bill
- Science CEO letter in support of funding increases for the federal agencies that fuel and conduct R&D
- Multisociety letter in support of raising sequestration budget caps for both defense and non-defense programs

• USGS Coalition letter supporting confirmation of Dr. Tim Petty as Assistant Secretary for Water and Science at the Department of the Interior

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- Energy Sciences Coalition Letter supporting FY 2018 appropriations for the DOE Office of Science
- Multisociety letter on Tax Reform
- Multisociety letter in support of S.2128 the Geospatial Data Act of 2017
- Multisociety letter to Representative Westerman supporting the Geospatial Data Act (H.R.4395)
- Multisociety letter to OMB in support of the Office of Science for the FY 2019 budget request
- Multisociety letter to advance ARPA-E
- USGS Coalition letter in support of USGS FY 2018 funding
- · Multisociety letter in support of robust funding for NSF and increasing discretionary spending caps
- Multisociety letter in support of S.1460 The Energy and Natural Resources Act of 2017
- · AGI Comments to DOI regarding certain National Monuments under review
- Multisociety letter to President Trump in support of federal science committees
- Multisociety letter in support of funding for the USGS Library
- Multisociety letter to DOT in support of the Bureau of Transportation Statistics
- AGI Comments to DOI in support of maintaining the Bears Ears National Monument
- Multisociety letter to President Trump regarding OSTP appointments
- Multisociety letter FY 2018 President's Budget Request for R&D
- Multisociety letter to the Department of State regarding visa questions
- Minerals Science and Information Coalition Letter of Support to Senators Murkowski, Barrasso, Risch, and Cassidy
- Minerals Science and Information Coalition Statement to Senate ENR regarding US dependence on foreign sources of minerals
- Allyson Anderson Book, Executive Director of AGI, statement on the March for Science
- ESC Statement FY 2018 Funding for the U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science
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- Multisociety Letter to Congress in support of R&D investments for the FY 2017 appropriations process
- Multisociety Letter of Concern regarding the Honest and Open New EPA Science Treatment (HONEST) Act
- Multisociety Letter to President Trump on the Implications of his Immigration Executive Order

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- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) Letter to President-Elect Donald Trump Transition Team
- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) Policy Recommendations to President-Elect Donald Trump Transition
 Team
- USGS Coalition Letter to President-Elect Donald Trump Transition Team
- Geoscience Policy Coalition Letter to Senate Appropriations Committees in support of finishing the FY 2017 appropriations process
- Geoscience Policy Coalition Letter to House Appropriations Committees in support of finishing the FY 2017 appropriations process
- USGS Coalition Letter to Senate Appropriations Committees in support of finishing the FY 2017 appropriations process
- USGS Coalition Letter to House Appropriations Committees in support of finishing the FY 2017 appropriations process
- ScienceDebate 2016 Presidential Candidate 20 Questions
- USGS Coalition Letter in Support of the USGS Library
- Coalition Letter Supporting FY 2017 Funding Request for 3DEP
- Letter in Support of National Ground-Water Monitoring Network
- "The Federal Investment in Geosciences Contributes to the Nation's Economic Competitiveness, Public Safety, and National Security" Letter to NSF Director France Córdova

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- "Federal Investment in Geosciences Contributes to the Nation's Economic Competitiveness"
- Letter to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees about the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015
- Letter to the House and Senate CJS Appropriations Committees in Support of Geoscience Funding
- "The Federal Investment in Geosciences Contributes to the Nation's Economic Competitiveness"
- "Innovation: An American Imperative" Call to Action
- AGI Letter in Support of Congressman Polis's Amendment to the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2015
- Letter in response to the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2015 (H.R. 1806)
- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) letter in response to the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2015 (H.R. 1806)
- Letter in support of reauthorizing the National Geological and Geophysical Data Preservation Program
- Letter in response to the Secret Science Reform Act of 2015 (H.R. 1030)
- Minerals Science and Information Coalition letter in support of USGS Minerals Program
- Letter in support of funding for the NSF Geosciences Directorate

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- USGS Coalition letter on Fiscal Year 2016 funding for the U.S. Geological Survey
- American Geosciences Institute comments on American Community Survey Question 12 (Undergraduate Degree)
- USGS Coalition letter in response to vacancies at the U.S. Geological Survey
- American Geosciences Institute response to draft Dynamic Earth: GEO Priorities & Frontiers 2015—2020
- Letter in response to the Senate COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2014
- Letter in response to the Secret Science Reform Act (S. 2613)
- Letter in response to the Conference Accountability Act (S. 1347)
- Minerals Make Life Coalition letter in support of progress made on Critical Minerals Legislation
- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) letter on FY 2015 Senate Commerce, Justice, Science Appropriations Bill
- Letter in support of Section 303 of the FIRST Act of 2014
- Comments on the proposed revision of land management plans for the Nantahala & Pisgah National Forests

- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) letter in response to the FIRST Act of 2014
- Letter in support of funding for the National Ground Water Monitoring Network (NGWMN)

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- Coalition for National Science Funding (CNSF) Letter in Response to the FIRST Act of 2013
- Letter in Support of Reauthorizing America COMPETES Act
- Friends of NOAA Letter in Support of Fiscal Year (FY) 2015 Funding
- Letter in Support of the National Water Quality Assessment Program (NAWQA)
- Friends of NOAA Letter in Support of General Funding
- Coalition for National Science Funding letter defending the principal of Expert Merit Review
- Letter to the Office of Management and Budget regarding Resolution M-12-12

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