

SECURING AMERICA'S SCIENTIFIC FUTURE

Support increased funding for the Earth and space sciences throughout the FY2026 appropriations process.

Federal Earth and Space Science Funding

- Ensures U.S. Scientific Leadership: China's rate
 of investment in R&D is growing at twice that
 of the United States, and China is on track to
 surpass US investments.
- Builds the U.S. STEM Workforce: The U.S.
 consistently relies on foreign-born talent to fill
 needed STEM jobs, with foreign-born individuals
 making up 19% of all STEM workers and 43% of
 doctorate-level scientists and engineers.
- **Drives Innovation:** It's estimated that a \$1 increase in publicly funded fundamental research stimulates an additional \$8.38 of industry research and development.

PRIORITIES FOR FY26

NASA Science Mission Directorate	\$9 B
NASA Office of STEM Engagement	\$150 M
National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)	\$7.2 B
National Science Foundation (NSF)	\$9.9 B
DOE Office of Science	\$9.5 B
U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)	\$1.85 B
National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS)	\$996 M
NIEHS Superfund Research Program	\$90.5 M

