XPLORE

July 24, 2025

The Honorable Brian Babin, Chairman
The Honorable Zoe Lofgren, Ranking Member
Committee on Science, Space, and Technology
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Babin and Ranking Member Lofgren,

I am writing to offer Xplore's support for H.R. 5089, the Weather Act Reauthorization Act of 2025. Not only does this legislation reauthorize important commercial programs at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), it also builds on those initiatives to improve opportunities for commercial partnership and collaboration. America is home to a robust commercial sector that is able and willing to provide support to government partners. This legislation takes important steps to lower bureaucratic hurdles that often hinder commercial partnerships.

Xplore is a Washington-based space company providing space as a service to commercial, government, and nonprofit customers. We are a proud partner of NOAA and have worked to provide our commercial insights on building the next generation of commercial satellite architectures to support government missions.

We support the Committee's efforts to bolster our Nation's commercial industries and reauthorize the Weather Act. We look forward the enactment of this legislation and encourage other agencies to partner more closely with America's capable private sector.

Sincerely,

Lisa Rich

Lisa Rich
Chief Operating Officer
Xplore