

Monday January 20, 2025

Subject: Letter of Support for **TRAN1-16907**

Dear Members of the Application Review Subcommittee,

We are Henry and Jessica Li of Mountain View, California, and we are friends of a California family affected by MPSIIIB (Sanfilippo Syndrome Type B). We are writing to encourage the funding for TRAN1-16907 led by principal investigator Katelyn Masiuk, MD, PhD.

We first met Matthew Lau (Age 3) just a few days after he was born. His mother Minnie and I were pregnant at the same time and our due dates were just a mere 2 days apart. Our children have grown up together, eating their first solid foods, taking their first steps, saying their first words, and have had countless playdates. Matthew is a caring, easy-going, and loving child. When we heard that Matthew was diagnosed with Sanfilippo Syndrome Type B, we were devastated. Matthew deserves a bright future and we pray that there will be a cure for him.

It is our fervent hope that children like Matthew get to experience the fullness of childhood before time runs out. We hope the subcommittee will prioritize the urgency and importance of this project and take the necessary steps to support it. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Henry and Jessica Li

Handwritten signatures of Henry and Jessica Li. The signature on the left is 'H Li' and the signature on the right is 'J Li'.