Computer & Automotive Engineering Building at WSU Davis

Infrastructure and General Government Appropriations Subcommittee
WSU’s Three-Pronged Strategy

1. Build Computer & Automotive Engineering Building at WSU Davis (non-state funded)
2. Demolish TE/Build Noorda Engineering and Applied Science Building on Ogden campus
3. Renovate Engineering Technology Building on Ogden campus (capital improvement funds)
Computer & Automotive Engineering Building at WSU Davis

- Computer Science program
- Software Engineering program
- Automotive Technology program
Total space: 45,000 square feet

- 9,000 sq. ft. — classrooms
- 8,000 sq. ft. — computer and engineering labs
- 6,000 sq. ft. — faculty offices
- 10,000 sq. ft. — automotive lab and demonstration space
- 2,000 sq. ft. — student gathering space
- 10,000 sq. ft. — support and circulation space
Cost estimate =

$15,529,988

- 100% donor funded
Ongoing state support:

- O & M allocations = $397,810
- Future capital improvement allocations
Project is in Ideal Location

- Positive feedback from interviews, focus groups and surveys
- Close proximity to supporting programs, facilities and services
- Existing infrastructure
- Access to existing parking
- Commuter convenience
Project is Time Sensitive

- EAST has Utah’s fastest-growing computer science program
- More students + inadequate classroom and lab space =

URGENT NEED
Project has Community Support

Full construction funding will be secured through donor gifts or signed agreements
Project Will Reduce Operating Costs and Support Sustainability

- Eliminates needless rental expenses
- Maximizes existing utility infrastructure
- Solar field

$1,711,785 = amount WSU saved on electric, natural gas & water bills
Project Fulfills Industry Needs and Expands Partnerships

Hill Air Force Base

Orbital ATK

Northrop Grumman

Boeing
Weber State University owes these students an education in a building that is worthy of their dreams.