

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS – Today, San Antonio Congressman Charlie Gonzalez attended the check presentation ceremony at Northwest Vista College to announce a \$596,050 grant from the National Science Foundation (NSF). The funding will be used to provide scholarships for academically talented, underserved or financially disadvantaged students pursuing careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). Congressman Gonzalez issued the following statement regarding the grant:

“As our country moves forward to create jobs and grow the economy, it is critical that we invest in America’s schools to provide all of our students with the tools necessary to excel in the global economy. This grant will help San Antonio expand its leadership role as one of America’s top communities for high tech industries like cybersecurity and bioscience, by providing these companies with a quality workforce.

“Additionally, these funds will ensure that students from underserved and disadvantaged areas are given every opportunity to succeed with a high quality education. I congratulate Northwest Vista College for their commitment to educational excellence and on receiving this very deserving award.”

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