### 2018 FEDERAL RESEARCH FUNDING

# VIRGINIA'S 4TH DISTRICT



Federal funding provides support for researchers and trainees who conduct biological and biomedical research in this district.

#### **NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH (NIH)**

NIH is the nation's primary funder of biomedical research, leading to advances in scientific knowledge, better health, and economic growth.





### **NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF)**

NSF is the only federal agency that supports research and education across all scientific disciplines, underwriting scientific training and promoting discovery.



#### **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA)**

The USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture funds competitive grants for nutritional and agricultural research, bringing cutting-edge science to complex agricultural challenges.



## **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE)**

The DOE Office of Science is the nation's largest funder of basic physical sciences research and manages 10 national laboratories that provide scientists with cutting-edge facilities.



