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Ms. Amy Bernstein Founder Nancy Owens Breast Cancer Foundation 9575 Katy Freeway, Suite 205 Houston, Texas 77024

Dear Ms. Bernstein:

The Nancy Owens Breast Cancer Foundation is one of the Lester and Sue Smith Breast Center's most valued supporters at Baylor. Thank you for the Foundation's most recent gift to benefit research, education and patient care in the Center.

In 2019, Matthew Ellis, M.D., Ph.D., and his expert team of physician-scientists continued to conduct promising research and deliver outstanding care. Dr. Ellis recently received the Susan G. Komen Brinker Award for Scientific Distinction in Clinical Research for his contributions to understanding the genomics of breast cancer to improve health outcomes. Over the past year, Xiang Zhang, Ph.D., profiled various cell roles in immunotherapy-resistant breast cancer, which has the potential to lead to more effective treatment options for patients.

I appreciate the Foundation's commitment to Baylor's scientists. Together, we make a positive difference in the lives of all our breast cancer patients. Thank you for everything you do.

Warm regards,

James P. Digan

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