

THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee

801 Ninth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20220



October 7, 2020

The Honorable Steven T. Mnuchin
Secretary of the Treasury
Department of the Treasury
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington DC 20220

Dear Mr. Secretary:

A public meeting of the Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee was held by teleconference on Wednesday, September 23, 2020. The CCAC reviewed the candidate designs for the obverse and reverse of the Congressional Gold Medal for Mary Winston Jackson.

Mrs. Jackson worked as a program manager, encouraging the hiring and promotion of the next generation of NASA's female mathematicians, engineers, and scientists. The CCAC was informed that Mrs. Jackson's granddaughter, Ms. Wanda Jackson, was the family representative for the Congressional Gold Medal who preferred obverse MJ-O-06 and reverse MJ-R-02.

After some discussion, the Committee unanimously affirmed and recommended the design preferences expressed by the family of Mary Winston Jackson, NASA's first Black female aeronautical engineer. The Committee's recommended designs capture these elements: obverse **MJ-O-06** shows Mrs. Jackson holding an early model of the space shuttle; and reverse **MJ-R-02** features a full-length portrait of Mrs. Jackson with a clipboard and pen, standing before a large wind tunnel, representing her work with air boundary layer information.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas Uram".

Thomas Uram
Chairman
Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee