

**Subject:** DARPA contract awarded

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Hi Everyone,

I received notification that the DARPA contract has been signed and officially awarded by the government although we won't have our signed version here at NCSU until next week. So, we're off it looks like!

I wanted to send this email as an update on that and also particularly a heads up that an announcement could be coming from the DARPA folks soon about the overall program and participants. I haven't heard anything specific about the timing of said announcement and will let you know when I do, but wanted everyone to be aware as this is likely to generate attention.

Thanks for your contributions and looking forward to working with everyone on this.

Rgds, John

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