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FOR RELEASE UPON RECEIPT

Congressman Charles W. Whalen, Jr. (R-Ohio) today announced that \$7.24 million will be released shortly for construction at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base.

The funds will be for the new Avionics Science Laboratory, alterations to Building 288 for conversion into classrooms and an addition to the fire protection system at the base.

The projects were among a total of \$12 million worth approved by Congress for Fiscal Year 1968.

The procedure to be followed begins with the Air Force shortly authorizing its construction agent, the Army Corps of Engineers, to proceed with the procurement action. Following the release of the funds, the Corps of Engineers then will award contracts.

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