



September 26, 2025

Dear Distinguished Members of U.S. House of Representatives:

I write to convey Conference USA's support for the bipartisan SCORE Act (H.R. 4312). The SCORE Act addresses critical issues facing college athletics: it preempts more than 30 varying and conflicting state name, image, and likeness (NIL) laws that advantage some schools over others; ensures college athletes remain student-athletes rather than employees as student-athlete leaders at all divisions and subdivisions oppose an employee model; and provides limited liability protections so appropriate academic standards and eligibility rules can be enacted and maintained.

We are at a crucial point in college athletics and with congressional leadership we can continue to advance opportunities for current and future college student-athletes. We urge the House of Representatives to pass the SCORE Act and stand ready to serve as a resource for you and your offices.

Thank you for your commitment to shaping the future of college athletics.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Judy MacLeod". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Judy MacLeod
Conference USA Commissioner