



MEDIA ALERT:

SHELL GLOBAL SOLUTIONS AND PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY TO SIGN A MULTI-MILLION-DOLLAR 5-YEAR RESEARCH AGREEMENT

PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas (January 12, 2022) – Shell Global Solutions (US) and Prairie View A&M University are teaming up to launch a unique research project that will focus on innovation and agriculture in a multi-year agreement.

The partnership will further Shell's investment in diversity and inclusion by supporting industry research at a leading historically black college/university. The joint venture will also fund infrastructure projects on the nearly 700-acre university farm and provide research collaboration opportunities to cultivate the next generation of scientists by creating a career pipeline for students with Shell, which employs some 92,000 people in more than 70 countries and territories.

WHAT: Shell-Prairie View A&M Research Agreement

- **WHO:** Editors, reporters, writers, and media covering agriculture, higher education innovation, oil and gas, and research.
- WHEN: Tuesday, January 18, 2022
- TIME: 2 p.m. Central Time Presentation and Signing

2:30 p.m. – Media Interviews

WHERE: Julius W. Becton, Jr. Auditorium, A.I. Thomas Building, Prairie View, Texas

Interview access to:



Gretchen Watkins, President Shell Oil Company Executive Vice President, Global Shales



Selda Gunsel, President Shell Global Solutions



Ruth Simmons, President Prairie View A&M University



Magesh Rajan, Vice President Prairie View A&M University Division of Research & Innovation

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About Shell: Shell Global Solutions is an affiliate of Royal Dutch Shell plc, which is incorporated in England and Wales, has its headquarters in The Hague and is listed on the London, Amsterdam, and New York stock exchanges. Shell companies have operations in more than 70 countries and territories with businesses including oil and gas exploration and production; production and marketing of liquefied natural gas and gas to liquids; manufacturing, marketing and shipping of oil products and chemicals and renewable energy projects. For further information, visit <u>www.shell.com</u>.

About Prairie View A&M University: Designated an institution of "the first class" in the Texas Constitution, Prairie View A&M University is the second-oldest public institution of higher education in the state. With an established reputation for producing engineers, nurses, and educators, PVAMU offers baccalaureate degrees, master's degrees, and doctoral degree programs through nine colleges and schools. A member of The Texas A&M University System, the university is dedicated to fulfilling its land-grant mission of achieving excellence in teaching, research, and service. For more information regarding PVAMU, visit <u>www.pvamu.edu</u>.

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