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Dear Dr. DSouza:

We appreciate the review of our manuscript JoVE59398 entitled, "Visualization of endogenous mitophagy complexes in situ in human pancreatic beta cells utilizing proximity ligation assay". We wish to thank you and the reviewers for their cogent and thoughtful comments on our manuscript. In this revision, we have responded to the reviewers' comments in detail, including modification of the manuscript text for clarity, expansion of detail to the protocol, and finally by addition of new unpublished data to demonstrate the feasibility of this method to survey the mitophagy pathway in cell types other than beta cells where Nrdp1 and Usp8 levels are abundant.

Thank you very much for your reconsideration of our manuscript, and we hope that you will find this improved manuscript now appropriate for publication in *JoVE*.

Sincerely,



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