# Donna C. Project – Detailed view (v1)

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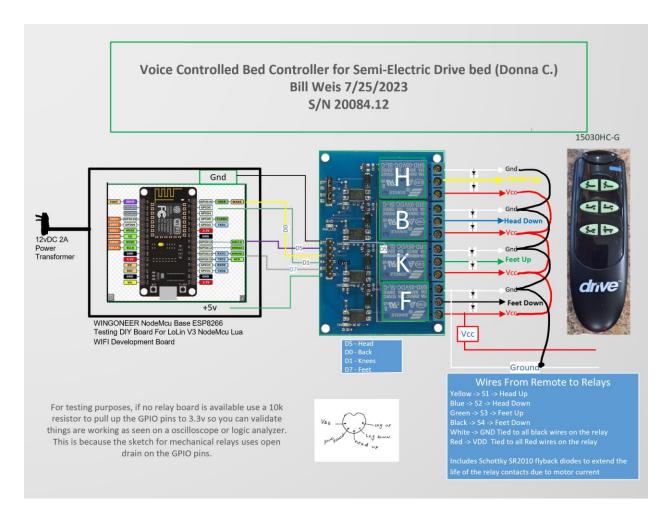
## Requirements:

- 1. Be able to voice control her TV
- 2. Be able to control her Semi-Electric Drive bed using voice commands

#### Solution – High Level:

- 1. We provided an Amazon Fire TV Cube so Donna could control her TV using voice commands.
- 2. Designed a voice activated bed controller which gave Donna the ability to control all desired functions of her adjustable bed using eye gaze control.
- **1. Be able to control her TV using Voice commands –** To help Donna with the need to control her TV using voice commands, we provided an Amazon Fire TV Cube.
- **2. Be able to voice control her bed (Semi-electric Drive bed)** Donna has ALS which has left her with limited control over her hands. We designed a voice activated bed controller which will give Donna the ability to control her adjustable bed with a variety of commands. All commands run for a predetermined length of time and Donna can choose the command that best suits her needs. The head of the bed can be raised/lowered in 1,2,3,4,5 &6 second intervals. It will require multiple commands to go from a flat position to a full up sitting position, but this approach is done for safety reasons. The foot end of the bed can be raised/lowered in 3, 4 or 5 second intervals. The voice activated controller box replaces the standard 15030HC-G hand controller.

Here is a schematic of the bed controller design



### Resources

# Amazon Echo

Amazon Fire TV Cube support 888-280-4331

<u>Alexa Support</u> (Contact Support via the Amazon Alexa app - can have them call your number)

Google Home getting started

Google Home Help Forum

Google Home Support Phone number for Google Home hardware support = 855-971-9121 (24/7 days a week)