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STARS Steering Committee  
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**RE: Seneca Polytechnic's STARS Report Submission for 2023**

To Whom it May Concern:

I am pleased to present Seneca Polytechnic's latest submission to AASHE's Sustainability Tracking & Rating System (STARS). This report reflects our unwavering commitment to sustainability and highlights the significant progress made since our initial submission in 2020, where we proudly earned a Silver rating.

As we continue our sustainability journey, our institution has strategically embedded sustainability into its core values and operations, notably through our new Strategic Plan, The Next. This multi-year roadmap, built on the three pillars of the equitable, the sustainable and the more virtual Seneca, provides students with a distinctive polytechnic experience, combining academic rigor, practical professional skills and early career exposure.

Over the past three years, Seneca saw progress in various areas, including the establishment of the Office of Sustainability, the integration of sustainability principles into program curriculum, new partnerships to support on-campus initiatives, investments to reduce our environmental footprint with a focus on waste reduction and thousands of students and employees engaging in sustainability-focused events.

As we submit this report aiming for a Gold rating, we acknowledge the collective effort of our students and employees whose dedication has been pivotal in driving our sustainability initiatives forward. This report reflects our continued commitment to sustainability and serves as an indicator of our institutional growth in this critical domain.

Sincerely,



David Agnew