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Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education 2401 Walnut Street Suite 102 Philadelphia, PA 19103

Dear AASHE STARS Review Team,

We are pleased to be submitting our first sustainability performance assessment for the University of Montevallo using the AASHE STARS system.

Dr. Susan Caplow, Assistant Professor & Coordinator of Environmental Studies, has worked closely with dozens of partners around campus to ensure that the data collected for this submission is accurate to the best of our knowledge. Many students have also participated in both the organization of the data and the activities described therein.

University of Montevallo was honored as a U.S. Department of Education Green Ribbon School in 2016, and UM houses the first (and only) Environmental Studies major in public higher education in Alabama. University of Montevallo strives to be a leader in campus sustainability, and our participation in AASHE STARS will help us deepen our commitment to this goal. We look forward to your feedback on our submission and to future collaborations with AASHE.

Sincerely,

John W. Stewart