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RE: Sustainability Tracking, Assessment and Rating System
College of Lake County Innovation Credit 2

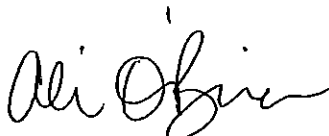
To whom it may concern:

The College of Lake County is proud to be a founding member of the Illinois Green Economy Network (IGEN; formerly the Illinois Community College Sustainability Network). IGEN is a comprehensive collaboration between all forty-eight community colleges in the State of Illinois. An initiative established by the community college presidents, this network brings community colleges together to expand employment opportunities, improve human and environmental health, foster community engagement and accelerate market competitiveness to drive Illinois' emerging green economy.

The College of Lake County serves as the Administrative Agent for the entire network, and has served as one of first twelve Sustainability Centers across the state. CLC has also been chosen to develop one of the first three Green Economy Centers in the network.

The College of Lake County Sustainability and Green Economy Center serves as a central hub and driver for sustainability initiatives across our campus, curriculum, and community. The Center provides resources to students, faculty, staff, local businesses, municipal offices, community residents, other educational institutions, and not-for-profit organizations throughout our region. For more information on IGEN visit www.igence.org.

Sincerely,



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