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Association for Advancement
of Sustainability in Higher Education
213 ½ N. Limestone
Lexington, KY 40507

RE: Laurier STARS Report Submission

Laurier is committed to creating a culture of sustainability on campus and in the broader community. As a growing university, we recognize that our activities have an impact upon the environment and acknowledge our responsibility for stewardship. Guided by Laurier's Sustainability Action Plan, we are integrating sustainability practices in all areas of the University to inspire, educate and prepare others to engage in similar practices.

The re-submission of the STARS assessment recognizes the hard work of the University to progress sustainability efforts and become leaders in campus sustainability. The information we gather from STARS provides the platform for Laurier to communicate our strengths and growth opportunities in terms of comprehensive targets and associated indicators. We are pleased to have excelled in areas such as co-curricular education, waste management, and overall coordination and planning.

Laurier has received a Silver rating upon completion of the STARS re-assessment. The following submission has been completed with accurate information to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,

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President and Vice-Chancellor