

January 22, 2015

The Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE)  
213 ½ North Limestone  
Lexington, KY 40507

RE: Texas A&M University 2015 STARS Submission

Dear STARS Steering Committee:

On behalf of Texas A&M University, I am pleased to submit our Sustainability Tracking Assessment & Rating System (STARS) report.

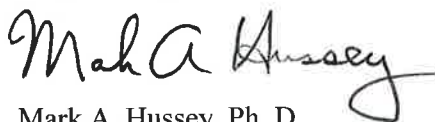
With the release of the campus Sustainability Master Plan in June of 2010, Texas A&M University set out to embrace sustainability in a holistic, intentional, and meaningful way. Under the leadership of Sustainability Officer Kelly Wellman, the Office of Sustainability support staff, and numerous campus stakeholders, Texas A&M has enhanced our stewardship efforts.

In February 2012, Texas A&M completed our first STARS report. This effort further embedded the university's commitment to respect, protect, and preserve the financial, environmental, and people resources that support our community not only for today, but also for future generations of Aggies.

After a year of coordination by the Office of Sustainability and support from key campus stakeholders, we are pleased to present our second STARS submission. This reports tells the story of a truly collaborative effort and reflects the progress that we are making. As such, I affirm the accuracy of our submission.

Texas A&M strives to be a leader in sustainability, and completing STARS has helped our campus advance sustainability efforts. We appreciate the leadership provided by AASHE for continuing to improve the STARS program.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mark A. Hussey'.

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