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To: Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE)  
From: David. A Greene, President of Colby College  
Date: December 10, 2014  
Subject: AASHE Sustainability Tracking and Assessment Rating System (STARS) Submission Version 2.0

Colby College is pleased to submit our institution's latest STARS certification for your review. The submission in its entirety has been verified for accuracy by a variety of campus stakeholders.

This latest submission incorporates a number of accomplishments since our last submission under version 1.1 of the rating system in 2012 that resulted in Silver Rating. These achievements include the conversion of the campus steam plant from oil to biomass, the certification of four LEED for New Construction projects, creating an Office of Sustainability with a full-time Coordinator, creation of an EcoRep program, and reaching Carbon Neutrality in 2013. These and other efforts have improved our anticipated rating from Silver to Gold. I would also like to point out that we are currently reviewing pathways to reach the Platinum rating level.

We appreciate the opportunity to participate in a third-party certification system and appreciate AASHE's commitment to the program. Colby is proud to be an AASHE member and STARS member institution.

Thank you for your consideration and thoughtful review. We look forward to your assessment.

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