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Dear STARS Review Committee:

It is my pleasure to affirm the accuracy of the information contained in Rochester Institute of Technology's Sustainability Tracking Assessment and Rating System (STARS) report submission.

I am proud of all that RIT has accomplished in recent years. Some of the highlights include:

- Creation of Goodbye, Goodbuy! – one of the largest move out collection and sale programs in the country.
- Increased focus on food insecurity and food waste on campus, which led to the establishment of a unique FoodShare program.
- Installation of a 2MW solar array on campus in 2015 and RIT will be breaking ground on a second 2MW solar array this April!
- Significant expansion of electric vehicle charging infrastructure on campus, with more stations in the works for next year.
- Active partnership with the greater Rochester community on sustainability initiatives and climate action planning
- Completion of an updated climate action plan that integrates climate resilience and adaptation considerations.

I would like to thank the many members of the RIT community who have contributed to this report and all of our sustainability initiatives. It is truly a collaborative effort.

Sincerely,



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