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AASHE STARS Letter of Affirmation Pre-Submission Review

To Whom It May Concern,

In February 2023, I connected with Noah Upchurch, Sustainability Specialist for the Catawba College Center for the Environment, during the AASHE STARS "A Deep Dive into STARS Data Quality" workshop held on February 9th, 2023. Noah informed me of Catawba's desire to have their STARS submission reviewed by an external review to satisfy STARS credit PA-4, at which point I offered to conduct an internal review of Catawba's STARS submission by utilizing the STARS Review Template.

After performing a thorough first review and providing feedback/recommended revisions, I am confident that the information Catawba's STARS report is accurate, consistent across credits, and fulfills credit criteria.

Please feel free to contact me at lisa.noriega@yale.edu if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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