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Office of the President

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The Association for the Advancement
of Sustainability in Higher Education
2401 Walnut Street, Suite 102
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to submit this letter affirming the accuracy of the information provided in Nova Scotia Community College's (NSCC) third STARS assessment report. The information collected for this submission was a collaborative effort from across all 13 Campuses and functional units. The College is striving to align our business practices with the United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals, and with STARS now mapped to the SDGs, we can effectively use this tool to monitor our progress.

At NSCC, we are committed to creating a welcoming, learning and work environment that fosters sustainability, a core value of the College, as well as safety, diversity and inclusion. These principles are integrated into our everyday work, which ultimately supports student success.

We are building sustainability literacy by integrating it into curriculum, building design, facilities operations and administrative processes. Several of our campuses offer facilities that serve as living labs for students, faculty, industry and government partners to access real-time building performance data for the advancement of learning, research and knowledge of sustainable practices.

We are honored to be recognized as the overall top performing associate college in AASHE's Sustainable Campus Index for the past three years. With our STARS recertification, we will continue our efforts to build a more sustainable future for our learning institution and our province.

Sincerely,



Don Bureaux
President