

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT DALLAS

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

RE: The University of Texas at Dallas 2016 STARS Submission

Dear AASHE Staff,

I am pleased to inform you that The University of Texas at Dallas will, for the first time, be submitting an official Sustainability Tracking Assessment & Rating System (STARS) report.

UT Dallas is committed to environmental stewardship through the existing integration of sustainability across the campus culture. As a growing and expanding university with a diverse student, staff and faculty populous, leaders in sustainability are emerging. We welcome this opportunity to compete with other universities across the globe to become a greener, more sustainable and more innovative institution of higher education.

With this STARS submission, our students, staff and faculty whom all participated in developing the submittal, laid the foundations for future advancement in sustainability at UT Dallas. We appreciate all efforts by our Comet family to making this possible.

UT Dallas appreciates all the work by AASHE in providing this opportunity to track our sustainability initiatives, hence paving the way for future progress. We look forward to future participation and expansion of our sustainability initiatives across all aspects of campus including academics, engagement, operations and planning.

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Sincerely,

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