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Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education 1536 Wynkoop St., Suite 100 Denver, CO 80202

To Whom It May Concern,

Seattle Central Community College is proud to take part in the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education's Sustainability Tracking, Assessment & Rating System and make a STARS submission for the first time.

Seattle Central Community College has always committed itself to being a leader in campus sustainability. Our campus is constantly working to infuse more sustainability courses throughout our curriculum. Our Central campus has been recognized as a national leader in sustainable culinary courses, helping drive the demand for sustainable agriculture and business practices. On our campuses we are employing the latest in low-impact development and resource conservation techniques, from water re-use systems to sustainable landscape design, and are seeking certification on our first LEED building at our Wood Technology Center. Our Student Sustainability Committee is creating a lasting legacy of student driven action to showcase student innovation and demand for a sustainable future.

At Seattle Central Community College we will continue to support our students, staff, administrators, and faculty in helping our campus and our broader community be exemplars of sustainability.

This letter affirms that the information submitted by Ian Siadak, Sustainability Coordinator for the Seattle Community College District, on behalf of Seattle Central Community College regarding the sustainability of our college for the STARS assessment, is accurate and correct. We are pleased to join the ranks of other higher education facilities that have undertaken STARS assessments and are excited to use information gained from this process to further our sustainability efforts.

Sincerely,

Paul Killpatrick

President

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