



Office of the President

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

Dear STARS Steering Committee:

Washtenaw Community College is pleased to submit our first Sustainability, Tracking, Assessment and Rating System report to AASHE. I am thankful to members of the Facilities Department who led our STARS discovery and reporting process and worked in close collaboration with individuals across campus from the Sustainability Council, the Purchasing Department, Human Resources, the Dean of Student Access, Success, Equity & Inclusion, individual faculty members and others.

Sustainability is one of the underlying principles that support the college in our mission "to make a positive difference in people's lives through accessible and excellent educational programs and services". As a community college, we are proud that our sustainability efforts in our academic programs, operations, built environment and stewardship of our natural environment support both individual students and the surrounding community. As we move forward, the STARS process will be valuable in helping WCC to focus our efforts and strive for continuous improvement in our sustainability.

As president of Washtenaw Community College, I affirm that the information included in the STARS report is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Rose B. Bellanca".

Rose B. Bellanca, Ed.D.

President