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The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point recognizes that with glaciers melting, seas rising, and 14 of the 15 hottest years on record coming this century, the threat of climate change has never been clearer. Solar, wind, and other clean energy solutions are becoming more affordable and accessible every year, and this is our chance to create a new kind of economy that opens opportunity to all Americans while protecting our planet.

UW-Stevens Point has been working to improve campus sustainability for decades, showing leadership in environmental, social justice, and economic aspects of sustainability. UW-Stevens Point is a leader among higher education institutions, achieving its goal of 100% renewable electricity in 2016 -- the first college in Wisconsin to do so.

That being said, we recognize much work needs to be done. The Climate Reality Project's goal of 100% renewable electricity addresses one of the largest components of greenhouse gas emissions -- electricity production. The 100% renewable electricity commitment supports the values and leadership UW-Stevens Point already exemplifies.

In keeping with our long history of environmental education, research, and engagement, UW-Stevens Point will continue to use renewable energy to meet all of our electrical needs. We are *100% Committed* to accelerating the global transition to clean energy. We have the chance to help mitigate climate change and together create a proud future.



March 1, 2017

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
Chancellor Bernie Patterson
2100 Main St. Stevens Point, WI. 54481-3897

Re: The Climate Reality Project Campus Corps 100% Renewable Electricity Commitment

Dear Chancellor Patterson,

On behalf of The Climate Reality Project, a District of Columbia, USA, nonprofit corporation, I am delighted to welcome UW-Stevens Point as an official partner for The Climate Reality Project Campus Corps *100% Committed* Campaign as defined below under the terms of this commitment.

At Campus Corps, we're bringing a new generation of students together to lead the fight against climate change on college campuses. Campus Corps activists at colleges and universities across the country are speaking up for a safe and sustainable future for the planet. They're talking to their friends, classmates, and networks about climate change and leading their schools to transition from fossil fuels driving the switch to 100-percent clean, renewable electricity. They're also building support for a range of sustainability measures at every level, helping their schools cut emissions and making their campuses more sustainable. For these reasons and more, we're working to rally colleges and universities to commit to be powered by 100-percent renewable electricity.

Here is what it means to be *100% Committed* to renewable electricity:

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point:

- You join a global movement of committed colleges and universities by pledging to continue to use renewable energy to meet 100% of your electrical needs and work with us to build support for real climate solutions on college campuses.
- Your Office of Sustainability will promote the Campaign on their social media and digital platforms, referencing the fact that we are working together on the Campaign.
- You commit to assist other colleges, universities, or other institutions in committing to being powered by 100-percent renewable electricity.
- You may display, on your webpage, our name, trademark, and logo in connection with the Campaign.

The Climate Reality Project:

- We include your institution's name and logo across The Climate Reality Project digital platforms, including (if available) our social media toolkit.
- We provide graphics for your use in promoting the Campaign Partnership on your social media and digital platforms.
- We create a blog post promoting the Campaign and the fact that UW-Stevens Point has committed to being a partner.
- Staff or faculty members of your institution who want to be a part of any upcoming Climate Reality Leadership Corps training with former US Vice President and Climate Reality Chairman Al Gore, will be flagged for fast-tracked approval and given priority consideration for acceptance.
- Future news releases regarding the Partnership, all partners involved in the Campaign, including you, may reference your commitment in the announcement.

Both the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point and The Climate Reality Project:

- We both grant a mutual, nonexclusive license to use and display those names, trademarks and logos owned and provided by each other ("Marks") as necessary to perform the work in the Partnership as described in this letter. Any marks being used by the opposite party are subject to trademark usage guidelines, appropriate trademark symbol (either "TM" or "®"), and opposite party approval. We both agree to provide each other with copies of any materials bearing any of the marks as requested by you or us from time to time. In the event of a termination of UW-Stevens Point's participation in the Partnership, both parties will immediately cease use of the other's Marks.

There are multiple additional opportunities for deeper partnership promotion, and we look forward to discussing the unique ways your organization can be involved.

We're looking forward to working with you to bring colleges and universities together nationwide to follow your example to be powered by 100-percent renewable electricity. If the above is acceptable to you and consistent with your understanding, please indicate your acceptance by returning a signed copy of this letter to us via PDF or electronic signature.

Sincerely,
Kenneth Berlin,
President & CEO
The Climate Reality Project

Accepted this 1st day of March 2017 by:

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point



Chancellor Bernie Patterson