

March 15, 2024

Jennifer Messer  
Executive Director  
Central Indiana Regional Development Authority (CIRDA)  
1 Municipal Drive  
Fishers, IN 46038

Re: CIRDA's CPRG Proposal

Dear Jennifer:

Energy Systems Network (ESN), an Indiana non-profit, develops and deploys integrated energy solutions that increase the quality of life for today and tomorrow by leveraging our network of global thought leaders in the energy sector. ESN's portfolio of projects help reduce costs, emissions and waste, influence policy and advance technological innovation.

ESN supports and commits to collaborating with the Central Indiana Regional Development Authority (CIRDA) and its member communities on its proposed CPRG funded regional programs, including the Regional Building and Asset Modernization Program and the Regional Open Space Revitalization and Connectivity Program.

ESN is specifically committing to enhancing and growing the existing ESN-managed program, Energy INsights to meet the needs of CIRDA's CPRG program. Energy INsights, a program to provide Indiana's manufacturers with the skills, tools and expertise to monitor, store and visualize their plant's energy consumption, aligns with the goals of CIRDA's CPRG proposal and expanding the program will bring significant additional GHG reduction benefits. In support of all pilot projects and programs proposed by CIRDA, Energy System Network will leverage our rich ecosystem of industry stakeholders and experts to advance project design, selection, implementation and execution, where possible and appropriate.

The opportunity to work with CIRDA and its member communities on the CPRG grant implementation provides an opportunity for Energy System Networks to support regional collaboration in Central Indiana and establish the programmatic infrastructure to generate long term funding of projects related to energy efficiency and revitalization of green infrastructure in our communities.

The proposed regional programs not only provide an opportunity to fund transformational projects in Central Indiana, but also provide an opportunity to align our private, public, and nonprofit sectors on the environmental, economic, and public health challenges facing our region.

Energy System Networks is excited to participate in this opportunity for our region and looks forward to the transformative impact to come.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul J. Mitchell". The signature is stylized with a large, looped "P" and a long, horizontal flourish at the end.

Paul J. Mitchell  
President & CEO | Energy Systems Network