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Subject: Commitment to Renewable Energy Initiatives

Dear Natasha Chevalier,

I am pleased to convey the strong commitment of the Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin (MITW) Grants Department to advancing renewable energy initiatives and sustainable practices within our community.

At the MITW Tribal Grants Department, we recognize the importance of embracing clean energy solutions, reducing our carbon footprint, and promoting environmental sustainability. As stewards of our lands and resources, we are dedicated to integrating renewable energy technologies and practices into our Tribe and Tribal operations to support a greener and more sustainable future for the Menominee Nation and community.

Our commitment to renewable energy includes:

1. **Solar Energy Integration:** We are actively exploring grant opportunities to harness solar energy through the installation of solar panels on our Tribal properties to generate clean, renewable electricity and reduce our reliance on traditional energy sources.
2. **Energy Efficiency Upgrades:** We are searching for funding to produce energy-efficient measures and upgrades on Tribal lands to optimize energy consumption, enhance indoor comfort, and lower utility costs for the tribe, while reducing our environmental impact.
3. **Partnerships for Sustainability:** We are seeking partnerships with like-minded organizations, government agencies, and industry stakeholders to collaborate on renewable energy projects, share best practices, and advocate for policies that support renewable energy adoption and sustainability.

By formalizing our commitment to renewable energy initiatives, we aim to create a more sustainable and resilient community for current and future generations of the Menominee Indian Tribe. We look forward to collaborating with you and other partners to advance renewable energy solutions and sustainability practices within the Menominee Tribal community.

Sincerely,


Marci Hawpetoss
MITW Tribal Grants Department