

CENTRAL FLORIDA WASTE TO ENERGY INITIATIVE  
LETTERS OF INTENT

March 29, 2024

The Honorable Michael S. Regan  
Administrator  
Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20460

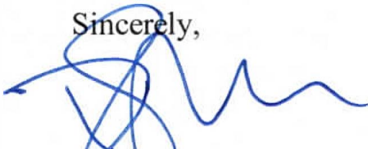
Dear Administrator Regan:

On behalf of the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners, this letter is provided for inclusion in the enclosed application for the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

If the CPRG is awarded, Seminole County will be the lead Coalition member and will oversee the development of a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) amongst other local Coalition members participating in the proposed comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Initiative. In addition, Seminole County acknowledges the July 1, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. As the CPRG applicant, Seminole County will lead the development of a MOA that is mutually acceptable to all Coalition members involved and I am fully committed to presenting the finalized MOA to the Seminole County Board of County Commissioners for consideration. Seminole County is dedicated to its role in the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about Seminole County's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to John Slot, Chief Technology Officer, Administrator for Sustainability & Adaptability, Seminole County at [jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov](mailto:jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov) or (407) 665-7414.

Sincerely,



Darren Gray  
County Manager

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator

March 20, 2024

Darren Gray  
County Manager  
Seminole County, Florida  
1101 East First Street  
Sanford, FL 32771

Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of Osceola County, this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Central Florida Waste to Energy Initiative (CFWEI) Coalition member, Osceola County intends to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Program. The County acknowledges the July 01, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, Osceola County is fully committed to its role in successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about Osceola's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to John Slot, Chief Technology Officer, Administrator for Sustainability & Adaptability, Seminole County at [jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov](mailto:jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov) or (407) 665-7414.

Sincerely,



Don Fisher  
County Manager

cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator

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March 11, 2024

Darren Gray  
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Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of the city of Orlando, this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, the city of Orlando understands the need to enter into a future Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Program proposed by said Coalition and acknowledges the July 1, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, provided the terms of the MOA are mutually acceptable and the anticipated tipping fee makes financial sense for the participants, I am fully committed to bringing the MOA to City Council for its consideration and approval, allowing the City to contribute biosolids in support of the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about the city of Orlando's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to me at [corey.knight@orlando.gov](mailto:corey.knight@orlando.gov) or at (407) 246-3181.

Sincerely,



Corey Knight, P.E.  
Public Works Director

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator

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March 19, 2024

Darren Gray, County Manager  
Seminole County, Florida  
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Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of the City of Altamonte Springs, this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, the City of Altamonte Springs intends to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Initiative proposed by said Coalition, and we acknowledge the July 1, 2024 deadline for the submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, and provided that the terms of the MOA acceptable to the City, the City would anticipate providing biosolids as part of a successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about the City's role in this project, please give me a call at (407) 571-8031.

Sincerely,



Franklin W. Martz, II  
City Manager

**Copies:**

Rochelle Croskey, Deputy City Manager  
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Brian Reid, PE, Water & Wastewater Plant Engineer & Altamonte Electric Utility Manager  
Tara Culver, CPA, Chief Financial Officer  
Lindse Murphy, Chief Relationship Officer & Altamonte Global Innovation Lab Manager  
George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator, Seminole County



**CITY OF WINTER SPRINGS, FLORIDA**

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1126 East S.R. 434  
Winter Springs, Florida 32708-2799

March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Darren Gray  
County Manager  
Seminole County, Florida  
1101 East First Street  
Sanford, FL 32771

Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of the City of Winter Springs, this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, the City of Winter Springs intends to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Initiative proposed by said Coalition and acknowledges the July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, provided the terms of the MOA are mutually acceptable and the anticipated tipping fee makes financial sense for the participants, the City is fully committed to bringing the MOA to the City Council for its consideration and approval, allowing the City to contribute biosolids in support of the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about the City of Winter Springs' role in this project, please feel free to reach out to me or Julia Felter, Utilities Consultant for the City of Winter Springs at [Julia.Felter@Kimley-Horn.com](mailto:Julia.Felter@Kimley-Horn.com) or (407) 768-3239.

Sincerely,

Bilal Inikhar, Director of Utilities  
City of Winter Springs

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator





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March 15<sup>th</sup> 2024

Darren Gray  
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Seminole County, Florida  
1101 East First Street  
Sanford, FL 32771

Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of Toho Water Authority (Toho), this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, Toho understands the need to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Program proposed by said Coalition and acknowledges the July 1, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, the terms of the MOA are mutually acceptable, and a tipping fee adopted that makes financial sense for the participants, Toho is fully committed to its role in the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about Toho's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to Chuck Weber, Vice President of Operations, Toho Water Authority at [cweber@tohowater.com](mailto:cweber@tohowater.com) or (407) 840-0074.

Sincerely,

  
Todd Swingle (Mar 15, 2024 18:44 EDT)

**Todd P. Swingle P.E.**  
CEO/Executive Director  
Toho Water Authority

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator

**Signature:**   
Todd Swingle (Mar 15, 2024 18:44 EDT)

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March 25<sup>th</sup> 2024

Darren Gray  
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1101 East First Street  
Sanford, FL 32771

Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of the City of Oviedo, this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Climate Pollution Reduction Grant (CPRG) Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, the City of Oviedo intends to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Initiative proposed by said Coalition and acknowledges the July 1, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG be awarded, provided the terms of the MOA are mutually acceptable and the anticipated tipping fee makes financial sense for the participants, the City is fully committed to bringing the MOA to the City Council for its consideration and approval. This would allow the City to contribute biosolids in support of the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the Central Florida region.

Should you have any questions about the City of Oviedo's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to Alexis Stewart, P.E., Assistant Public Works Director, City of Oviedo at [astewart@cityofoviedo.net](mailto:astewart@cityofoviedo.net) or (407)-971-5651.

Sincerely,

Bryan Cobb  
City Manager  
City of Oviedo

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator  
Bobby Wyatt, Public Works Director





# East Central Florida Regional Planning Council

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Tara McCue, AICP  
Executive Director

March 14, 2024

Darren Gray  
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1101 East First Street  
Sanford, FL 32771

Dear Mr. Gray:

On behalf of the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council (ECFRPC), this letter is provided for inclusion in Seminole County's application to the Environmental Protection Agency's Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Program: Implementation Grants General Competition.

As a Coalition member, the ECFRPC intends to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with Seminole County and other Coalition members for participation in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy Initiative proposed by said Coalition and acknowledges the July 1, 2024 deadline for submission of the MOA to the EPA. Should a CPRG grant be awarded, the ECFRPC is fully committed to its role in the successful implementation of this pioneering initiative to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the east central Florida region.

The ECFRPC is a council of governments who provides program and project, policy and planning assistance to governments and organizations within the 8-county east central Florida region. Through its East Central Florida Regional Resilience Collaborative program, the Council has committed to a 2030 science-based emissions reduction of 53.4% from our 2019 baseline regional greenhouse gas inventory. By participating in the comprehensive Central Florida Waste-to-Energy program the ECFRPC aims to contribute resources, expertise, and commitment to the collective effort to reduce carbon emissions, promote sustainable practices, and enhance resilience in alignment with our shared goals.

Should you have any questions about the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council's role in this project, please feel free to reach out to John Slot, Chief Technology Officer, Administrator for Sustainability & Adaptability, Seminole County at [jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov](mailto:jslot@seminolecountyfl.gov) or (407) 665-7414.

Sincerely,

Tara McCue, AICP  
Executive Director

Cc: George Woodring, Financial Grant Administrator

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