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RE: Letter of Commitment Supporting Cyclotron Road Program

Dear Chairman Weisenmiller:

On behalf of Cleantech San Diego, please accept this letter of commitment to support the proposal to expand the Cyclotron Road Program under the CEC's GFO-15-306 Regional Energy Innovation Clusters solicitation.

Cleantech San Diego is a nonprofit member organization that positions the greater San Diego region as a global leader in the cleantech economy. We achieve this by fostering collaborations across the private-public-academic landscape, leading advocacy efforts to promote cleantech priorities, and encouraging investment in the San Diego region. Our primary mission is to accelerate clean technology innovation and the adoption of sustainable business practices for the benefit of the economy and the environment. From our perspective, Cyclotron Road has all the elements necessary to take energy sector entrepreneurs to the next level, helping to drive their innovations from lab to market.

Cleantech San Diego welcomes the expansion of Cyclotron Road. We are eager to strengthen the exchange of entrepreneurs and mentors in our respective networks, in order to connect entrepreneurs with the services they need most. We also plan to collaborate with Cyclotron Road Program management to share best practices.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jason Anderson".

Jason Anderson
President and CEO
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