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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

March 19, 2012

Office of the Garrison Commander

Kevin Kampschroer  
Federal Director  
Office of Federal High-Performance  
Green Buildings (MG), OGP, US GSA  
1275 First Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20417

Dear Mr Kampschroer:

I am pleased that we will have the opportunity to participate in a project that will help both of our organizations fulfill our sustainability missions. I fully support and will facilitate the research being conducted by the General Services Administration (GSA), the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) and the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL) throughout the course of the study.

The research proposed aligns perfectly with our sustainability initiatives. Our staffs have been working together to formulate the research project objectives. We have included the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE) in the development and implementation of this project, since they are our major military construction partner. We believe we have much to share with your researchers regarding the planning, design and construction of over 52 Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) facilities constructed on Fort Carson in the last several years. We also recently completed our first major renovation using LEED for Existing Buildings.

I am particularly pleased that you will be examining not only technologies but also occupant behavior in our LEED facilities. I am committed to attaining our sustainability goals in practice and not just in theory.

Again, please know that my staff and I wholeheartedly support the study proposal, and we look forward to completing a successful project which will benefit us and other federal agencies as we all strive to reach our sustainability goals. If I can be of further assistance, please feel free to contact me at (719) 526-5600. Staff inquiries can be made to Mr. Joe Wyka, Chief Engineering Division, Public Works at (719) 526-8840 or [joseph.e.wyka.civ@mail.mil](mailto:joseph.e.wyka.civ@mail.mil) or Ms Mary J. Barber, Sustainable Fort Carson at (719) 526-4648 or [mary.j.barber.civ@mail.mil](mailto:mary.j.barber.civ@mail.mil).

Sincerely,

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