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Attachments: GCC Case Study Final.pdf

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In case you didn't get this directly, this may be of interest to your municipality.

This does require repayment through energy savings, but this may be alternative path for select projects that you wish to pursue.

As always, if you have questions on the energy efficiency programs, please feel free to contact me.

Best

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Dear Interested Companies:

DCAMM, in coordination with DOER, is pleased to announce that the Commonwealth Facility Fund for Energy Efficiency (CoFFEE) will be opening a new round of funding on September 12th. CoFFEE funding applications will be accepted until November 30<sup>th</sup> 2016 and are available for all Commonwealth Agencies, including the UMASS system and Community Colleges. The application for CoFFEE funding, Frequently Ask Questions, and more information about this program is available on DCAMM's website: MASS.GOV/DCAMM/COFFEE.

CoFFEE Revolving Fund Program will cover the full cost or the partial cost for energy and water conservation measures, as well as renewable energy projects. CoFFEE targets projects that are smaller and quick-to-implement efficiency in the \$10,000 to \$95,000 range. Larger scale projects efficiency and renewable projects will be considered up to \$250,000. A portion (average 85%) of the utility savings generated from the efficiency and renewable projects will be reimbursed to the CoFFEE fund each year until full amount is fulfilled. After the repayment period, 100% of the utility savings will stay with the facility.

Project examples include, but are not limited to: retro-commissioning, domestic water efficiency, lighting upgrades, renewables, HVAC upgrades, EMS enhancements and Solar PV. These projects will be managed at the facility level in collaboration with DCAMM, will follow all applicable Massachusetts' procurement laws, and may benefit from assistance from companies or products such as yours for implementation. We encourage your company to get involved in CoFFEE projects, by contacting an agency that this program would be applicable for (only Commonwealth agencies are eligible to apply).

A recent CoFFEE success story at Greenfield Community College is attached.

Please contact Ryan Harold at <u>ryan.harold@state.ma.us</u> or 857-204-1449 for more information; we look forward seeing your products and services used in this program.

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