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RE: Sustainable Jersey 2019 Certification; Food Waste – Request for Additional Information

To Whom It May Concern:

As the Recycling Coordinator for the Township of Woodbridge, I sent numerous emails to the aforementioned schools and spoke with the Principals in-person in order to explain and promote the Food Waste program. In addition, I spoke with all of the janitors and cafeteria staffs personally in order to ensure best practices, help provide education about the program and contamination, and the overarching benefits of the initiative. During the lunch periods I went around to every table and spoke with students explaining what to recycle as food waste and how it was going to be used. At John F. Kennedy Memorial High School a teacher named Rick Viteri assisted in this outreach effort, as his Ecology Club helped during the education and process during lunch sessions. Students were very receptive and liked the idea of it being recycled. In the fall of 2019, I'm going to put together some information for the schools to post on their websites, and provide some posters to put up within the schools. This expansive outreach endeavor shall serve to increase education and awareness, while supplementing the potential school(s) who may be seeking to achieve Sustainable Jersey for Schools certification in 2020.

Thank you for your kind review of our Township's Food Waste program.

Sincerely,

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