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United States Department of Energy  
Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)  
1000 Independence Avenue, SW  
Washington, DC 20585

Re: Letter of Support for DE-FOA-000168

To Whom It May Concern:

The State Energy Office is pleased to support the proposed *Location, Location, Efficiency! (L.L.E!)* solution in response to the EERE's *Advancing Solutions to Improve the Energy Efficiency of U.S. Commercial Buildings* (DE-FOA-000168). The City of Milwaukee has a proven track record of successfully implementing innovative programs seeded with EERE funds that have tangibly improved commercial, residential, and industrial buildings stock. *L.L.E!* is a promising market-ready solution to improve energy efficiency in the commercial building sector that can be scaled across Wisconsin and the U.S.

The State Energy Office has a proven track record of creating change in public buildings. We are confident that the challenges faced by publically owned and occupied buildings are similar to those in the commercial sector, we feel confident that we can leverage the City of Milwaukee's expertise through our newly launched, DOE supported, Municipal Energy Efficiency Technical Assistance Program (MEETAP). MEETAP works with local governments, schools, and wastewater districts to improve energy efficiency and extend building life, with an overarching goal of increasing the number of EE projects by 30% by 2016 (largely using ESPC). We are pleased to support *L.L.E!* with the following contributions:

- Program delivery assistance in the second and third years of the grant period.
- Through MEETAP, the SEO will leverage the success the City has in commercial buildings implementing similar technology and gathering data from public buildings statewide.

We look forward to participating in this project and helping reach our mutual goals of energy efficiency, and more competitive commercial and public buildings.

Sincerely,

David Jenkins  
Director-Commercialization and Market Development  
State Energy Office