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Mr. Adam Teitzman, Office of Commission Clerk  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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RE: Broward College Solar Together

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

First and foremost, thank you for your service to the Florida Public Service Commission. This letter is to serve as Broward College's full support of the Florida Power & Light (FPL) SolarTogether program. The College has been a longstanding partner with FPL for many years. If an issue arises on Campus between a transformer problem or Hurricane (Irma), FPL is alongside the College immediately to restore power and service to our 63,000 plus students. Their leadership has always worked with the College on efficiency opportunities whether recommendations to physical plant or operations. Even in challenging circumstances such as rate adjustments, FPL has been nothing but transparent. Their leadership exemplifies the right way to develop partnerships.

The College is excited about the SolarTogether program. As the Chief Operating Officer and Interim Chief Financial Officer, the College is always searching for long term investment opportunities. SolarTogether is an investment in our future. While there are basic short-term costs upfront, the long-range savings will help the College reinvest in student success. Additionally, in an intensely urban community such as Broward, providing solar opportunities on our campus is limited. However, the opportunity to invest in a solar field certainly makes sense.

Finally, from an educational perspective, clean energy and sustainability are principles that resonate with our students. With the support of the Commission, the College wants to lead by example. As someone who grew up in Indiana and has seen the large solar fields outside of Indianapolis, Florida should aggressively challenge the other states to become the "Sunshine Solar State".

In closing, Broward College is hopeful the Commission will support the program. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

John Dunnuck  
Chief Operating Officer  
Chief Financial Officer (Interim)  
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