



Letter of Commitment

We, the representatives of the administration, residence life, facilities, and student organizers, of [institution] hereby express our combined support of the Campus Conservation Nationals. We will participate, collaborate, and support the competition within our campus, with our fellow institutions, and across the nation.

We support and are committed to the purpose of the competition:

- Engage, educate, empower, and motivate students to conserve utility consumption in their residences
- Build communities on campuses around issues of resource conservation
- Provide a context in which students teach themselves conservation behaviors that they can employ in the home and workplace and in the future
- Utilize innovative solutions to educate students and achieve results on issues around energy and water conservation and sustainability

We will follow the guidelines established by the Campus Conservation Nationals staff and partners which will provide a framework for an effective competition.

The **Guidelines** are summarized as follows:

- A three week competition hosted between February 6th and April 22nd, 2012.
- Participate in a behind the scenes data trial run in the fall of 2011.
- Participate in conference calls to discuss best practices to ensure the continuation of savings beyond the competition. These calls will be held to the discretion of the CCN staff
- If competing in a group competition, we will follow a common baseline.
- We will monitor electricity (kWh) and/or water (gallons) using existing metering.
- We will submit data through the Lucid Customer Portal accurately and on time.
- We will organize and promote the competition on our campus
- We understand that the results of each competition are publicly presented on a web site and may be used for research to assess and improve conservation strategies. As part of this research, students and staff at participating institutions may be encouraged to complete voluntary surveys.

Signatures

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Representative of Administration

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Representative of Student Government or Student Group

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Representative of Residence Life

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Representative of Facilities