

To: President Obama
Via: Presidential Transition Team

It is with great pleasure that we submit the follow set of recommendations regarding Green Chemistry and Sustainable Materials from a cross-section of leaders representing businesses, universities, labor, environmental and health organizations, and others from communities across the country.

We believe that we will need both clear, new regulations on hazardous chemicals and bold, new efforts to promote greener chemicals to transition to a safer and more sustainable economy.

We offer selected recommendations regarding Green Chemistry and Sustainable materials opportunities to help in creating a healthy and vibrant economy and country.

We hope that this document will become a part of the public record as a part of your commitment to transparency. In addition, please share this document with the appropriate agency representatives.

The principals involved in this effort would appreciate the opportunity to engage in ongoing dialogue with the new administration.

We offer our services to President-elect Obama and the Agency leaders in helping to create a new path forward.

We look forward to working with you now and in the future

Thanks for your support,

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