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Dear Sharon,

Siemens was pleased to support the Monterey Peninsula College in implementing energy efficiency into their Information Technology Network. By installing the Verdiem Network Management Software, Surveyor, the college is reducing the amount of energy consumed by nearly all of the 1000 PC's on campus by putting computers in sleep/hibernate mode according to preset parameters when left idle or programming total shut down at certain hours.

The benefit to the students is the increased awareness of their impact on energy conservation measures both at home and at the college. I have attached the communication flyer that was used to inform the students that this software would be added to the network which also increased awareness on campus. Having this installed at the server level prevents users from overriding the system and allows additional security for certain user groups.

The average savings in consumption projected by our engineers is about 400 KW per year based on the prescribed profile settings. You should be receiving and updated report from Verdiem on the system performance.

Over this past year, Siemens appreciates the support and cooperation we have received from you and your staff in getting the software implemented. We look forward to providing continued support to you and your staff as you continue to operate your network as energy efficiently as possible.

Kindest Regards,

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