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Her Worship Mayor Maureen Cole and Members of Council Municipality of South Huron 322 Main Street South Exeter, Ontario NOM 1S6

Dear Mayor Cole and Members of Council:

On behalf of the FCM-ICLEI Partners for Climate Protection (PCP) program, I wish to congratulate South Huron for achieving Milestone 1 for corporate greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Achievement of this Milestone signals that your local government has developed an emissions inventory for your municipal operations. South Huron has shown bold leadership in addressing these important issues, and we are pleased to share your achievement on the PCP website at www.fcm.ca/pcp.

We look forward to working with you in the development of a community GHG inventory, the adoption of GHG reduction targets, the creation of a local action, as well as the implementation of actions, monitoring of progress and reporting on results, which form the remaining Milestones in the PCP framework. Your efforts, along with those of a growing number of PCP participants, are making a significant contribution to reducing Canada's GHG emissions.

Cost-effective, community-based projects offer the very best opportunities for taking action on climate change. Since 2008, PCP member municipalities have voluntarily reported on over 800 projects to reduce GHG emissions. These projects represent more than \$2.3 billion in investments and over 1.8 million tonnes in annual GHG reductions.

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Our Program Officer, Robin Goldstein, is available to discuss how PCP can serve the needs of your municipality. Should you have any questions, Ms. Goldstein can be reached by telephone at (613) 907-6392 or by e-mail at pcp@fcm.ca.

Yours sincerely,

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