



Tuesday, July 2, 2019

Huntsville Area Association of REALTORS
535 Monroe St NW
Huntsville, AL 35801

Dear Mr. McFall,

Please accept my congratulations for the Huntsville Area Association of REALTORS' (HAAR) significant improvement in reducing its energy consumption and related expenditures on energy. HAAR has been a participant in the North Alabama Buildings Performance Challenge (NABPC) since January 2017. At that time Energy Alabama conducted a benchmark of the HAAR facility in order to its measure progress.

Since the beginning of 2015, HAAR has reduced its energy consumption 24% annually, its energy bills by 11% annually, and its related greenhouse gas emissions by 15% annually. The cost savings since 2015 are just shy of \$7500, with many more years of savings to come even if further improvements are not made to the building.

ENERGY STAR recently changed its certification benchmark and HAAR falls short of applying for certification. However, HAAR should take pride for improvement to its property both for the savings it is achieving and for the betterment of our community by committing to energy efficiency.

Energy Alabama stands ready to help HAAR reduce energy consumption in any way possible and we thank you for demonstrating the importance of energy efficiency to Huntsville/Madison County.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "D. Tait".

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