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Shonta Dunston
Chief Clerk
North Carolina Utilities Commission
4325 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-4325

Re: NC GreenPower Board of Directors NCUC Docket No. E-100 Sub 90

Dear Shonta Dunston:

My name is Dr. Daniel Richardson. I am writing to express my interest in the vacant NC GreenPower Board of Directors seat. Included with this letter is my current CV.

I currently serve several roles within Brunswick County Schools. My primary role is Clean Energy Technology teacher and Career Development Coordinator for The Center Of Applied Sciences & Technology (The COAST), a career-technical share-time high school in Brunswick County, North Carolina. I also serve as the district STEM Coordinator for Brunswick County Schools as well as adjunct instructor for science methodology for the Watson College of Education at UNC Wilmington.

In 2019, I was awarded an NC GreenPower Solar+ Schools grant. This grant provided my Clean Energy technology students with the amazing opportunity to better explore their understandings of solar power, which is a major component of the Clean Energy Curriculum.

Having experienced first hand the benefits and educational impacts of this program, I am open to ways of continually supporting this effort. Furthermore, my background in curriculum and instruction may prove valuable to NC GreenPower's efforts. If you have any questions or wish to discuss this nomination further, please feel free to contact me. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Dr. Daniel A. Richardson, NBCT

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Education

Doctor of Education (Ed.D) 2016

Education Leadership: Curriculum and Instruction

University of North Carolina at Wilmington

Dissertation: A Program Evaluation of North Carolina Science Olympiad

Masters of Education (M.Ed) 2012

Curriculum, Instruction, & Supervision

University of North Carolina at Wilmington

Thesis: Student Perceptions of Science Instructional Methods on Student Attitudes Towards Science.

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) 2003

Middle Grades Education

University of North Carolina at Wilmington Concentration: Science and Social Studies

Teaching Licensure

National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) Certified Teacher 2010

North Carolina:

Science 9-12
Science 6-9
Social Studies 6-9
Curriculum Instructional Specialist
Technology Engineering and Design Education

South Carolina:

Middle Level Science Middle Level Social Studies Science (General)

Professional Experience

2022-Present Career Development Coordinator

Brunswick County Schools

2017-Present Career Technical Education

Brunswick County Schools

Courses Taught: Clean Energy Technology Technology Engineering & Design 2015-Present Adjunct Instructor

University of NC at Wilmington

Courses Taught:

EDN 338 The Teaching of Science (6-9) LIC 538 Advanced Science Methods (6-9)

2016-2017 Middle School Science

Myrtle Beach Middle School

Courses Taught:

Honors 8th Grade Science 8th Grade Science Honors 7th Grade Science

2014-2016 **Secondary Science**

West Brunswick High School

Courses Taught:

AP Environmental Science Honors Earth & Environmental Science General Earth & Environmental Science

Middle School Science 2003-2014

Shallotte Middle School

Courses Taught: 6th Grade Science 8th Grade Science

Awards and Honors

2018 Watson College of Education Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award

2017 South Brunswick Magazine Future 10 Award

2015 NCSTA District Two Outstanding Science Teaching Award

2012 Jack Charles Hall Award Recipient

2010 Brunswick County Schools Teacher of the Year

2009 Shallotte Middle School Teacher of the Year

2009 American Chemical Society Excellence in Teaching Award

Presentations & Professional Development

Richardson, D. & Cheers, D. (2018, March). Implementing an Advanced Career Program: Lessons Learned. Presented at the Connecting Communities of Education Stakeholders state conference. Greensboro, NC.

Richardson, D. & Hirth, H (2017, November). Utilizing Google Classroom. Presented as interactive session at the Brunswick County Schools CTE professional development day.

Richardson, D. & Richardson, W. (2016, January). Science Olympiad: New Coaching 101. Presentation at the annual UNC-Wilmington Pre K-12 STEM Education Conference. Wilmington, NC.

Richardson, W. & Richardson, D. (2015, November). Keeping the "M" in STEM: Inquiry in the Mathematics Classroom. Presentation at the North Carolina Council for Teachers of Mathematics annual state conference. Greensboro, NC.

Richardson, D (2015, July). Using Science Olympiad to Increase Student Engagement. Activities presented as profession development for teachers in Belize. San Pedro, Belize.

Taylor, A. & Richardson, D. (2014, June). Extreme Science Workshop for Middle Grades Science Teachers. Week-long teacher professional development. Wilmington, NC.

Taylor, A. & Richardson, D. (2013, June). SITE 6-8 Middle Grades Science Workshop for Center for STEM at UNCW.

Professional Service

Guest Reviewer: North Carolina Middle School Journal	2016 (March)
Brunswick County Division A Science Olympiad Tournament Director	2012-Present
Brunswick County STEM Council	2012-Present
Science Department/Grade Level Chair	2008-2013
Mentor Teacher	2007-Present
Science Fair Coordinator	2005-2012
Science Olympiad Head Coach	2003-2014