



April 1, 2025

Fred B. Allyn III
Mayor, Town of Ledyard
Via email: mayor@ledyardct.org

Re: MMI Grant Application Support

Dear Mayor Allyn,

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude and deep appreciation for your invaluable support of SCRRRA's successful application for the Materials Management Infrastructure (MMI) grant from the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (CT DEEP). We are pleased to announce that SCRRRA has been awarded \$4,500,000 to fund the construction of our food waste composting facility. You can find the official press release [here](#).

This substantial funding will play a critical role in enabling SCRRRA to construct a state-of-the-art composting facility. This facility is designed to significantly divert thousands of tons of organic material from the solid waste stream, directly addressing the escalating disposal costs faced by our municipalities across Connecticut. Your letter of support underscored the importance of this project and demonstrated your commitment to sustainable waste management and fiscal responsibility within our region.

We recognize and appreciate the time and effort you invested in supporting our application. This grant represents a significant milestone for SCRRRA and will enable us to make a substantial positive impact on our region's waste management infrastructure.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information. Thank you once again for your support and commitment to our community.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'D. Aldridge', is positioned below the text 'With gratitude,'.

David Aldridge
Executive Director

CC: Steve Masalin, Public Works Director