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Dr. Paul Twomey  
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Dear Dr. Twomey,


On behalf of the faculty, staff, students, and alumni of the College of Natural Resources, I am writing to express our enthusiastic support for DotGreen's application for the .green domain.

DotGreen has developed an innovative and socially responsible organizational model for the .green domain space. We believe that this vehicle, and their personal commitment, will effectively foster increased awareness of the need to incorporate sustainability considerations into both personal and collective decision making, and to make the information needed to act on that awareness more accessible to the world. Increasing public concern over climatic change, biological diversity, product safety and a host other issues make the establishment of a .green domain most timely.

The College of Natural Resources at UC Berkeley is dedicated to addressing the biological, social, and economic challenges associated with protecting natural resources and the environment, and we are one of the nation's top educational institutions for both undergraduate and graduate studies in the environmental sciences. We are teaching the next generation of environmental leaders – those whose actions will influence the economic and ecological sustainability of human society for generations to come. These students, along with millions of others concerned with the future of the planet, will be the drivers of DotGreen's success.

DotGreen's long-term goals and objectives complement ours and we look forward with great anticipation to the approval of their application. DotGreen has our full support for their aspirations.

Sincerely,

  
J. Keith Gilles  
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