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STEDIWATT

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Gentlemen:

I am excited to inform you that during the first two months of operation the STEDIWATT System at Bennett Elementary exceeded all my expectations. I know that you told me it would save on energy but I really could not believe that would happen. Our records indicate that we saved 5% on our electric bill during the first two months – and these bills run several thousands of dollars per month. A 5% savings is significant! I can't wait to compare an entire year to see what the savings may be.

As you know I had a serious problem at Bennett with power surges that were destroying computer equipment almost faster than we could install it. We had spent a lot of money purchasing so-called surge bars, etc. None of these devices worked very long, if at all. Teachers in the building were so frustrated that their equipment was not in working order. I spent many hours contemplating what could be done; I talked to every electrician who would listen; I researched the problem on the Internet; and finally came to the conclusion that I must control the power surges that occur daily in our area. With the help of a couple of trusted electricians I decided that the only answer to this costly, and extremely aggravating problem, was to install an extensive surge protection system at the power source to protect the entire building. It was then that I received a brochure for STEDIWATT. I immediately took it to show one of the electricians. He agreed that I should contact Thompson Consulting. The rest is history except that we are now considering the protection for the remainder of our buildings and our own homes as well.

Due to our extreme financial woes in Oklahoma during this particular time, I was reluctant at first even to try STEDIWATT. If the problem at Bennett had not been so severe I would not have even considered spending that extra money. However, I now believe that I can save the cost of the project quickly. Not only am I saving energy, I am saving an even larger amount in equipment and repair costs not to mention the frustration of employees not being able to use the equipment. It is difficult to determine how much money may be saved in the long run due to surge protection on sensitive equipment such

as computers and expensive telephone systems we use in schools. The Broken Bow Board of Education and I can certainly attest to the fact that our money was well spent for the benefit of our students and staff even in a time of extreme financial difficulty.

I have shared this information with several contractors and architects who work with the school. Also, if you have other school administrators who are interested, I will be happy to share our story with them or to answer any questions they may have.

Thank you for excellent service and an excellent product.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carolyn Davis". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Carolyn Davis
Superintendent