

May 16, 2024
Thor Bailey, President
Applied Biomass Technicians
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Dear Thor,

On behalf of Qualterra, Inc., I am providing this letter in support of ABT's proposed work to demonstrate feasibility for setup of biomass processing operations in California. Qualterra is a clean ag-tech company with a mission to create innovations for agriculture and sustainability. We strive to promote production of responsibly produced food, enhance crop and soil quality, and assist our network of farmers in meeting the challenges facing modern agriculture. Our hallmark Biomass Processing Unit (BPU) technology, which we have been developing and optimizing for 11 years, holds great promise as a sustainable solution to responsibly process many types of biomass waste (from agricultural to forestry to municipal), as it produces a variety of biochar products that enhance crop growth and soil quality while generating renewable energy and sequestering carbon.

Qualterra's Biomass Processing Division will lend its expertise to support a feasibility study with ABT-led setup and operationalization of biomass processing site in Stoneyford CA that could be applicable to a multitude of other sites. Qualterra's initial role in this work will be limited to supporting demonstration of proof of concept and work on a feasibility study to evaluate the project.; however, we expect that successful completion of the work will open doors to opportunities for expanded collaborations.

Sincerely,

Mike Werner

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