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Dear Raj:

On behalf of both the Design and Technical Juries for Global Green's *SUSTAINABLE DESIGN COMPETITION FOR NEW ORLEANS*, I would like to thank you for the hard work and dedication so clearly evident in your project.

Your efforts have helped advance the sustainable rebuilding of New Orleans and the Gulf Coast, and helped educate the public about intelligent architecture and green building. The thoughtfulness, care, and attention displayed in your submission reflect your passion for architecture and its role in helping to solve some of the difficult problems in our world today.

The residents of Holy Cross, and those that we have met in other neighborhoods of New Orleans, appreciate you lending your expertise to the very difficult problem of how to rebuild in this complex place. It is our hope, that through this competition, we have begun a dialogue about sustainable design ideas that will help them through the city's next century and beyond.

Thank you once again.

With best regards,

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