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Dear Marina,

The Elders would like to congratulate you on your excellent entry 'Indicators for Sustainability' which was the Popular Choice winner in the Youth Section of the 2014 MIT Climate CoLab Contest. It is an example of the fresh and innovative thinking we need.

The level of entries this year demonstrates the creativity and imagination that is now so evident in bringing about a transition to a carbon neutral future.

As Elders, our hope lies with the youth around the globe who are embracing the challenges of climate change and finding solutions.

We salute you and encourage you to continue to translate your ambitions into action.

Gro Harlem Brundtland,
Former Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Norway

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