Winner Press Release

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Contact: [Spokesperson name] Phone: [Spokesperson #] Email: [Spokesperson email]

The Cleanie Awards® Honors [WINNER'S NAME] as the 2022 [AWARD CATEGORY] [AWARD LEVEL] Place Winner

Example: The Cleanie Awards® Honors Convergent Energy and Power as the 2022 People's Choice Project of the Year Gold Place Winner

[CITY, ST] – DATE – [WINNERS NAME AND/OR ORGANIZATION] has been selected as The Cleanie Awards® [AWARD LEVEL] place winner for [AWARD TITLE/CATEGORY]. The Cleanie Awards is the leading awards program focused on recognizing innovators and those making an impact in driving the clean energy economy. The program recognizes leading brands and thought leaders displaying innovation excellence and business leadership.

This award, judged by industry peers, signifies how influential [WINNERS NAME AND/OR ORGANIZATION] has been with advocating for a more efficient and sustainable future, specifically within [IDENTIFY AWARDS CATEGORY/AREA].

"We are thrilled to be recognizing passionate thought leaders and organizations who are playing a pivotal role in accelerating the net-zero transition," said Randee Gilmore, Executive Director, The Cleanie Awards. "We are five years into the program, and continuously see a double digit increase in submissions year over year. As our industry continues to grow, we look forward to continuously highlighting the successes of those championing and advocating for the sustainable future."

[DESCRIPTION OF WINNER]

[QUOTE FROM WINNER]

[WINNER'S NAME AND/OR ORGANIZATION] was selected by a cohort of peers including judges and leaders representing a cross section of the cleantech and renewable energy sectors, including Alison Mickey, Highland Electric Fleets; Ayanna Nibbs, CohnReznick Capital; Goksenin Ozturkeri, CIBC; Miles Braxton, Summit Ridge Energy; Paul Quinlan, ScottMadden, Inc.; Raheleh Folkerts, Lighsource bp; Remy Pangle, Repowering Schools; Stephanie Annerose, Piper Sandler; Thiam B. Giam, Black & Veatch Management Consulting; Zadie Oleksiw, Clearway Energy Group.

For a full list of winners, visit thecleanieawards.com.

About [Winner]: [INSERT BOILERPLATE]

About The Cleanie Awards®:

<u>The Cleanie Awards</u> is the only cleantech industry awards program focused on honoring innovators, accelerators, and disruptors who are creating market-moving climate solutions. The program's mission is to influence public opinion about technologies working to create a sustainable future for our global community. The team includes a prominent advisory board and judging panel of recognized business leaders, entrepreneurs, and communicators who are committed to the clean energy economy. For more information, visit the website at <u>www.thecleanieawards.com</u> and follow the awards on <u>Twitter</u> or <u>Facebook</u> at @CleanieAwards and on <u>LinkedIn</u> at The Cleanie Awards.

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