



JJ Innovative Materials (JJ IM) is an R&D company developing plant-based, sustainable, and carbon negative construction materials in Baltimore, Maryland. JJ IM was able to develop a prototype for plant-based drywall products made of 95% sustainable or recycled industrial waste, and complete pilot projects with the help of the MEIA program. With the EEIR MEIA connected with us, we have developed a proper corporate structure for communication systems and project management. The EEIR also explored and consulted us on various go-to-market strategies, and as a result, we are getting ready to move into becoming a manufacturing R&D firm, from a R&D only company. With the help of the MEIA Launchpad program, we are working on setting up our first manufacturing research facility in Baltimore, Maryland to begin production of our green drywall products. The support provided by MEIA to green tech startups like us is helping propel our growth. I am confident that the expansion of the MEIA program to support manufacturing climate tech companies will create a significant benefit not only to the environment but to the future economy and development of Maryland as well. We also hope to have the opportunity to grow even more together with MEIA as a manufacturer, and wholeheartedly support the expansion of the program.

Sincerely yours,

CEO of JJ Innovative Materials,

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