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Dominion Energy Supports Central New York STEM Education

SYRACUSE, NY (Aug. 24, 2018) – The Milton J. Rubenstein Museum of Science & Technology (MOST) is pleased to share that Dominion Energy selected the MOST as a recipient of grant funds in support of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education.

Dominion Energy's \$5,000 contribution will benefit the MOST's Science Learning Partnership program with the Syracuse City School District, a program in which the MOST hosts field trips and conducts hands-on science experiments with every kindergarten, fourth grade, and eighth grade student in the district - over 4,500 students.

"We are proud once again to support the Museum of Science & Technology and its Science Learning Partnership," said Stan J. Ossowski, Manager, Gas Transmission Operations, Dominion Energy. "These field trips and science experiments are tremendous opportunities for kindergartners, fourth graders and eighth graders to be inspired about science, technology, engineering and math in a hands-on and engaging way."

The MOST's Education department works closely with the Syracuse City School District's science department faculty to develop a program fit to inspire science interest and learning while aligning with New York State standards and classroom instruction. Each grade level has a different focus to align museum exhibits and programs with curriculum.

"We are so grateful for Dominion Energy's continued support of the MOST's STEM education initiatives. They are a wonderful partner, and their generous funding will be put to great use sharing the excitement of hands-on science exploration and discovery students cannot experience solely in a classroom setting," said Lauren Kochian, MOST President.



About Dominion Energy

Nearly 6 million customers in 19 states energize their homes and businesses with electricity or natural gas from Dominion Energy (NYSE: D). Through its [Dominion Energy Charitable Foundation](#), as well as [EnergyShare](#) and other programs, Dominion Energy plans to contribute more than \$30 million in 2018 to community causes throughout its footprint and beyond. The Foundation supports nonprofit causes that meet basic human needs, protect the environment, promote education and encourage community vitality. Please visit www.DominionEnergy.com, Facebook or Twitter to learn more.

About the MOST

The Milton J. Rubenstein Museum of Science & Technology (MOST) is a hands-on science and technology museum for all ages. The MOST hosts numerous STEM education programs and community outreach events annually and is home to 35,000 square feet of interactive permanent and traveling exhibits, Silverman Planetarium, and Bristol IMAX® Omnitheater - the only domed IMAX theater in New York State. The MOST's vision is to be a preeminent science and technology center, inspiring all generations through hands-on education and entertainment.

The MOST is regularly open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays. The Museum is open on Mondays and Tuesdays for local school Winter Recess, Midwinter Break and Spring Break. For hours and pricing, visit most.org or call 315.425.9068.

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