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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 18, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM L. ARMSTRONG

SUBJECT: REQUESTS HELP IN ARRANGING A SIGNING CEREMONY  
FOR S.J.RES. 225 APPROVING THE LOCATION OF  
THE KOREAN WAR MEMORIAL

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United States Senate  
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

March 17, 1988

Mr. Alan Kranowitz  
Assistant to the President  
for Legislative Affairs  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Kranowitz:

Yesterday, the House passed S.J.Res. 225, a joint resolution approving the location of the Korean War Memorial by a vote of 404-0. A few weeks ago the resolution passed the Senate unanimously.

Passage of S.J.Res. 225 is another landmark in the effort to recognize the "Forgotten Warriors" of the Korean War for their bravery, valor and sacrifices. This action means the memorial will stand in a place of honor that shows this nation's gratitude for all those who served in the Korean War, and particularly those who were killed in action, are still listed as missing in action, or were held as prisoners of war.

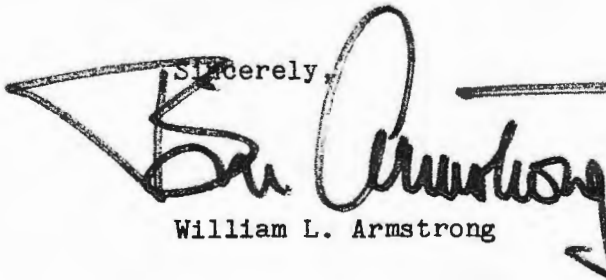
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Please feel free to contact me or Wendy Lechner of my staff at 224-5941 to work out the arrangements if a signing ceremony is possible.

I appreciate your assistance and look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

  
William L. Armstrong

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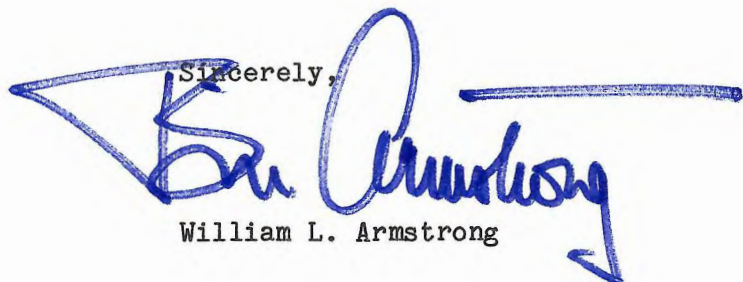
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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 04, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE NANCY L. JOHNSON

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES COPY OF LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT  
REQUESTING A COMMEMORATIVE SIGNING CEREMONY  
FOR THE LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING THE SITE FOR  
THE BLACK REVOLUTIONARY WAR PATRIOTS MEMORIAL

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In recognition of your leadership as the sponsor of this legislation in the House of Representatives, I am enclosing a pen to commemorate its enactment.

Sincerely,

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RONALD REAGAN

The Honorable Nancy L. Johnson  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 11, 1988

Dear Nancy:

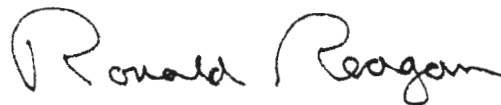
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A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Ronald Reagan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, prominent "R" at the beginning.

The Honorable Nancy L. Johnson  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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[Presidential Commemorative Pen Letter for Congresswoman Nancy Johnson (R-CT) on S.J. Res. 216)]

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With appreciation and respect.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 4, 1988

Dear Nancy:

Warmest thanks for your kind note as I  
embark on my new endeavors.

I deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness  
-- and your friendship.

With best personal regards.

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Cordially,

*Alan -*

Alan M. Kranowitz  
Assistant to the President

The Honorable Nancy Johnson  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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(Black Revolutionary War  
Memorial)*



Nancy L. Johnson  
Sixth District, Connecticut

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

March 30, 1988

Mr. Alan Kranowitz  
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The White House  
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Dear Alan:

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Again, Alan, many belated but sincere best wishes. I look forward to a continued warm and productive working relationship, and if there is anything I can do for you in the future, please do not hesitate to let me know.

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Member of Congress

Very truly yours,

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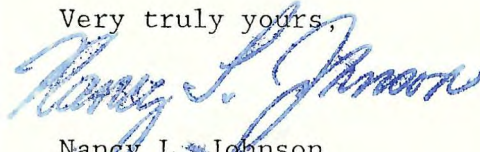
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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 04, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE NANCY L. JOHNSON

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR SIGNING FEDERAL LEGISLATION  
AUTHORIZING THE SITE FOR THE BLACK  
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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 12, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. R. BRIAN KIDNEY

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES COPY OF ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION  
NO. 58, RELATIVE TO A MEMORIAL TO WOMEN  
VIETNAM VETERANS

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Assembly Joint Resolution No. 58

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Adopted in Assembly February 8, 1988

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*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*

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Adopted in Senate March 24, 1988

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*Secretary of the Senate*

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This resolution was received by the Secretary of  
State this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1988,  
at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_M.

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*Deputy Secretary of State*

## RESOLUTION CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 58—Relative to a memorial to women Vietnam veterans.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AJR 58, Speier. Women Vietnam veterans: memorial. This measure would memorialize the President and Congress to support and enact legislation for the erection of a memorial honoring women Vietnam veterans on the grounds of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

WHEREAS, Over 10,000 military and civilian women served our country in a brave and selfless manner in Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, Their unique, valuable, and extremely laudable contributions to American efforts during that conflict have gone unnoticed by many people in our nation; and

WHEREAS, The nonprofit Vietnam Women's Memorial Project, Inc., was founded in 1984 to educate the public about women's military service in Vietnam and to construct a memorial honoring their accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, The proposed placement of the memorial - a lifesize statue - on the grounds of the nation's Vietnam Veterans Memorial received the support of the Secretary of the Interior and the Director of the National Park Service after extensive consultation with veterans and other interested groups; and

WHEREAS, Support has also come from the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Vietnam Veterans of America, the American Nurses Association, Disabled American Veterans, National League of Nursing, Jewish War Veterans, American Federation of Nurse & Health Professionals/AFT and others; and

WHEREAS, Despite the extent of this support for the memorial, the federal Fine Arts Commission has disapproved placement of the statue because of its belief that the existing statue depicting three male soldiers also

represents the contributions of women, and that if a women veterans statue were allowed, it would be necessary to add other statues such as one for the Canine Corps; and

WHEREAS, A women veterans memorial is most appropriate to show this country's appreciation and recognition for their bravery, honor, and unparalleled commitment to service; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of California, jointly,* That the California Legislature respectfully memorializes the President and Congress of the United States to support and enact legislation for the erection of an appropriate memorial statue honoring women Vietnam veterans on the grounds of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies of this resolution to the President and Vice President of the United States, to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, to each Senator and Representative from California in the Congress of the United States, and to the federal Fine Arts Commission.

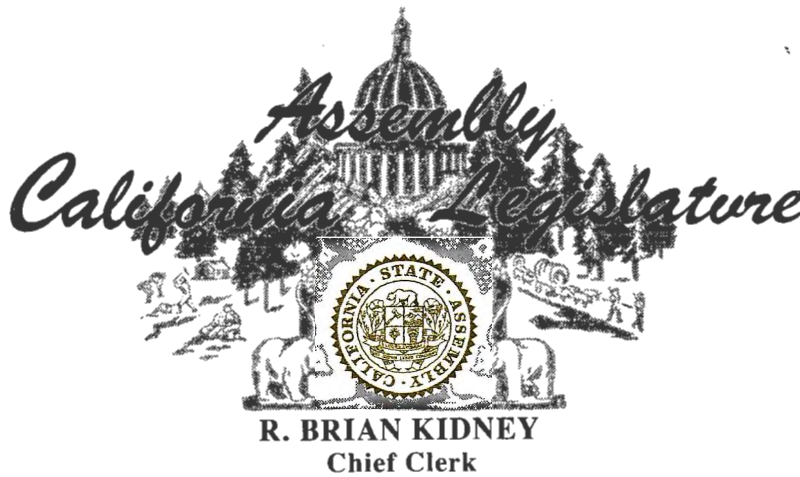
Attest:

Secretary of State



State Capitol  
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Sacramento, CA 94249-0001

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Telephone: 445-3614



April 6, 1988

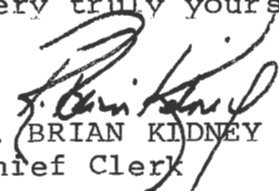
The Honorable Ronald Reagan  
The President of the United States  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20510

My dear Mr. President:

I have been directed to invite your attention to  
Assembly Joint Resolution No. 58, relative to a memorial to  
women Vietnam veterans.

Accordingly, a copy of this resolution is enclosed for  
your information.

Very truly yours,

  
R. BRIAN KIDNEY  
Chief Clerk

RBK:mjc  
Enclosure

April 12, 1988

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Dear Mr. Small:

On behalf of all Americans, thank you for your kind and generous efforts in helping to establish a memorial at Torcross, England, honoring the brave American soldiers and sailors who died in 1944 during a rehearsal for the D-Day landings of World War II.

Your concern for our servicemen who made the supreme sacrifice exemplifies the strong bonds of friendship and admiration that unite the people of our two countries. This memorial has strengthened those bonds by reminding us of the untold sacrifices and contributions of citizens such as yourself who endured countless hardships for a common cause.

The tragic loss of lives in April 1944 vividly reminds us that freedom is not free, but requires the steadfast courage and dedication of men and women who are willing to fight to safeguard that freedom.

Soldiers of the NATO Alliance today, like those in 1944, stand ready to defend freedom, and your compassion serves as an inspiration not only to them but to all those who cherish freedom throughout the world. God bless you.

Sincerely,

RONALD REAGAN

A

Mr. Kenneth Small  
The Cove Guest House  
Torcross  
Kingbridge  
South Devon TQ7 2TH  
England

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RR/DOD/CV/ec (4PMN)

cc: Joe. McKeeney

DRAFT/Date

*April 7*

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**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Enclosures:

Other:

*CC to James  
McKinney*



*sent*

*5/17/77*

Mr. Kenneth Small  
The Cove Guest House  
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South Devon TQ7 2TH  
England

Dear Mr. Small:

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 5, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR ANNE HIGGINS

FROM

 JAMES C. MCKINNEY

SUBJECT

Exercise Tiger

Attached is a request from Secretary Carlucci for a letter from the President to Mr. Kenneth Small of Torcross, England who was responsible for a memorial honoring Americans who were killed during Exercise Tiger in 1944.

I would appreciate receiving a copy of the outgoing letter for Secretary Carlucci's files.

Thank you.





THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

WASHINGTON, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

30 MAR 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Thank You Letter

Mr. Kenneth Small of Torcross, England, spearheaded an effort to establish a memorial in honor of 749 American soldiers and sailors who died during Exercise Tiger, a rehearsal for the D-Day landings of World War II. The memorial was dedicated at a ceremony in Torcross on Sunday, November 15, 1987.

I request that you sign the enclosed letter thanking Mr. Small for his special efforts on behalf of our fallen soldiers and sailors.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, which appears to read "Paul Carlisle", is centered on the page.

Enclosure

Mr. Kenneth Small  
The Cove Guest House  
Torcross  
Kingbridge  
South Devon TQ7 2TH  
England

Dear Mr. Small:

On behalf of all Americans, thank you for your kind efforts in helping to establish a memorial at Torcross, England, honoring American soldiers and sailors who died in 1944 during a rehearsal for the D-Day landings of World War II.

Your display of compassion and caring for our servicemen who made the supreme sacrifice illustrates the ties of friendship and admiration that prosper between the people of our two countries. This memorial has strengthened these ties by reminding us of those sacrifices and the contributions of citizens such as yourself who endured the hardships for our common cause.

The tragic loss of lives in April 1944 vividly reminds us that freedom is not free, but requires dedicated men and women who are willing to fight to maintain that freedom.

Soldiers of the NATO Alliance today like those in 1944 stand ready to defend freedom, and your display of compassion serves as an inspiration to these soldiers and to freedom loving people throughout the world.

Sincerely,

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

June 7, 1988

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *Fred*  
SUBJECT: Private Sector Donations  
to Repair the Vietnam War Memorial

The Vietnam War Memorial was recently damaged by vandalism. Unknown persons scratched a portion of the black granite with a sharp object.

Since word of this damage was made public, there has been an overwhelming response to repair the Memorial. More than \$70,000 has been received from private sector donations.

This was particularly gratifying because neither the National Park Service nor the Vietnam War Memorial Fund asked for any private contributions.

After repairing the Memorial, the balance of the funds will be placed in an account for any future repair work that becomes necessary.

*Thanks for telling me Fred.  
God Bless the People.*

*RR*

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CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET**☐ **O - OUTGOING**☐ **H - INTERNAL**☐ **I - INCOMING**Date Correspondence  
Received (YY/MM/DD) 1 / 1Name of Correspondent: Rhett B. Dawson☐ **MI Mail Report**

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Subject: H.R. 3869 -- Tuskegee University  
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 16, 1988

MEMORANDUM FOR RHETT B. DAWSON

ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR OPERATIONS

FROM:

PATRICIA MACK BRYAN *PMB*  
ASSOCIATE COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT:

H.R. 3869 -- Tuskegee University Property Exchange

Pursuant to your request of June 15, 1988, Counsel's Office has reviewed the above-referenced enrolled bill and has no legal or other objection to its approval.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

**WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM**DATE: 6/15/88 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: COB 6/16/88SUBJECT: H.R. 3869 - TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY PROPERTY EXCHANGE

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**REMARKS:**

Please provide your comments/recommendations directly to my office by close of business Thursday, June 16, 1988.  
Thank you

**RESPONSE:**

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT  
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Enrolled Bill H.R. 3869 - Tuskegee University Property  
Exchange  
Sponsor - Rep. Nichols (D) Alabama

Last Day for Action

June 21, 1988 - Tuesday

Purpose

Authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to complete a land exchange with Tuskegee University to facilitate administration of the Tuskegee Institute National Historic Site in Alabama.

Agency Recommendations

Office of Management and Budget	Approval
Department of the Interior	Approval

Discussion

Booker T. Washington established Tuskegee Institute (now Tuskegee University) as a college for black Americans in southeastern Alabama in 1881. Much of the original campus is now part of Tuskegee Institute National Historic Site established in 1974.

The Historic Site also includes Grey Columns, an antebellum mansion located one-half mile from the campus. The National Park Service (NPS) spent approximately \$650,000 acquiring and renovating the building, for use as a visitor center and headquarters. By 1984, however, it was apparent that Grey Columns was too far away from the Historic Site's main visitor attractions to serve properly as a visitor center. Accordingly, NPS signed an agreement in 1984 under which the President of the University moved to Grey Columns and NPS moved its operations to the President's former residence, which is on campus. H.R. 3869 would, in effect, permit this agreement to be made permanent.

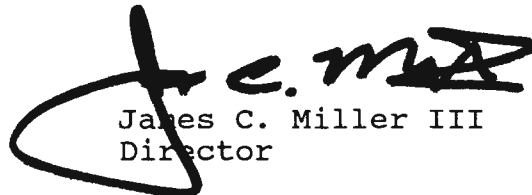
H.R. 3869 would authorize the Secretary of the Interior, if he determines that it would be in the public interest and in furtherance of efficient administration of the Historic Site, to convey Grey Columns to the University in exchange for "University

properties which the Secretary deems necessary for administrative, parking, and maintenance facilities . . . ."

This exchange would be accomplished without monetary consideration. The specific exchange envisioned by Interior and the University would transfer to Federal ownership the property now occupied by NPS, plus a tract for parking, another tract for a maintenance facility, and a scenic easement. Following the exchange, the Historic Site's boundaries would be revised accordingly.

The Administration opposed H.R. 3869 while it was under consideration by the House, because the property to be conveyed to the University is worth approximately \$500,000 more than the property to be acquired by Interior. Subsequently, the Administration supported H.R. 3869 in the Senate because of new information provided by Interior. Specifically, as part of the exchange proposal, the University agreed to provide in-kind services to NPS on a long-term basis that would reduce Federal operations and maintenance costs of the Historic Site.

Accordingly, we join Interior in recommending that you approve H.R. 3869.



James C. Miller III  
Director

Enclosures



H. R. 3869

# One Hundredth Congress of the United States of America

AT THE SECOND SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of January,  
one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight*

## An Act

To amend the Act providing for the establishment of the Tuskegee Institute National Historic Site, Alabama, to authorize an exchange of properties between the United States and Tuskegee University, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section 101(a)(5) of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of the Clara Barton National Historic Site, Maryland; John Day Fossil Beds National Monument, Oregon; Knife River Indian Villages National Historic Site, North Dakota; Springfield Armory National Historic Site, Massachusetts; Tuskegee Institute National Historic Site, Alabama; Martin Van Buren National Historic Site, New York; and Sewall-Belmont House National Historic Site, Washington, District of Columbia, and for other purposes", approved October 26, 1974 (88 Stat. 1461), is amended by striking out "(5)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(5)(A)" and by changing the semicolon to a period, deleting the word "and" thereafter, and inserting the following new subparagraph:

"(B) If, following the acquisition of Grey Columns, the Secretary determines that it would be in the public interest and in furtherance of efficient administration of the national historic site to do so, the Secretary may convey Grey Columns to Tuskegee University and in exchange therefor he may accept from the University properties which the Secretary deems necessary for administrative, parking, and maintenance facilities for the national historic site. As to the property between the Carver Museum and the Oaks, the Secretary may accept an easement from the University which shall limit development for the purpose of maintaining the view between the Carver Museum and the Oaks and provide for construction and maintenance by the Secretary of a public walkway from Campus Avenue to Montgomery Road. The conveyance of Grey Columns shall be made upon the express condition that the grantee shall maintain its historic integrity in accordance with the Secretary's standards on historic preservation and make the property available for public use subject to its primary purpose as the residence of the University's president. The exchange herein authorized shall be accomplished without monetary consideration to or from either party. Following such exchange, the Secretary shall cause to be published in the Federal Register a revised boundary map or other boundary description of the national historic site."

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Vice President of the United States and  
President of the Senate.*

THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 21, 1988

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. SAM W. BARTHOLOMEW, JR.

SUBJECT: WOULD LIKE TO KNOW THE STATUS OF THEIR  
REQUEST TO PRESENT A MAQUETTE OF THE  
TENNESSEE VIETNAM MONUMENT TO THE PRESIDENT

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ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY	(STAFF NAME)	ACTION ACT CODE	DATE YY/MM/DD	TYPE RESP	C D	COMPLETED YY/MM/DD
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COMMENTS: F. Ryan for draft response

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May 2, 1988

Dear Mr. Bartholomew:

Howard Baker has forwarded for my attention your letter of April 18. I regret to write that, again, we will be unable to arrange for the President to receive the maquette of the Tennessee Vietnam Monument due to the heavy demands of his schedule prior to and following the Moscow summit meetings. The President's official schedule continues to escalate as he brings to a close his final term of office and, most regrettably, we see no opportunity for this presentation for the foreseeable future.


You have the President's warm personal regards and deep appreciation for your thoughtfulness in wanting to honor him with this meaningful gift representing those Tennesseans who gave their lives in Vietnam.

Sincerely,

FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR.  
Director of Presidential Appointments  
and Scheduling  
Director of Private Sector Initiatives

Mr. Sam W. Bartholomew, Jr.  
Stokes & Bartholomew  
28th Floor  
424 Church Street  
Nashville, TN 37219

FJR/MHR/PSH/jg (pc-4FJR)  
cc: Senator Howard Baker - FYI



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His schedule is  
completely booked.

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representing those <sup>young</sup>  
Tennesseans who ~~lost~~ <sup>gave</sup> their lives  
in Vietnam.

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STOKES & BARTHOLOMEW  
A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION

April 18, 1988

SAMUEL W. BARTHOLOMEW, JR.  
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The Honorable Howard Baker  
Presidential Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, DC 20500

Re: Presentation of maquette of Tennessee Vietnam Monument

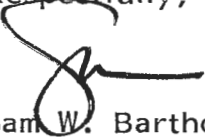
Dear Howard:

As you will recall when we were together recently, we discussed the possibility of having the Tennessee Vietnam Memorial Committee present a maquette of the Tennessee monument to President Reagan, as a token of their appreciation for his assistance in recognizing the Vietnam veterans.

As we discussed, we previously sent correspondence concerning this to Fred Ryan, but since our conversation we have not heard from him and would like very much to know what the status is.

I look forward to seeing you again soon.

Respectfully,



Sam W. Bartholomew, Jr.

SWB,Jr./c

P.S. See you at the  
Statesman Dinner — we're  
getting close to over 20 years of  
Statesman Dinners!