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The Honorable James G. Watt Secretary of the Interior Department of the Interior C Street between 18th and 19th Streets, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20240

Dear Secretary Watt:

As requested by Senators Warner and Mathias, we are hereby forwarding site plans detailing two additional proposals for the location of the sculpture, flag staff and name directory holder for the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. You, of course, still have our original proposal (Entrance Plaza - Scheme A), of December 8th, 1982, for the locations of these elements. As explained to us by Senator Mathias regarding your recent meeting with him, you expressed a desire to forward to the Commission of Fine Arts several options for the location of these elements at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial site.

January 14, 1983

We are amenable to forwarding these two additional options (Bailey - Scheme B ; AIA - Scheme C) on the condition that all three - the two herewith and the one of December 8th - are submitted with your approval for consideration as a set by the Commission of Fine Arts. VVMF is willing to accept whichever proposal, if any, the Commission of Fine Arts approves. This proposal would then be forwarded to the National Capital Planning Commission for consideration.

As noted previously, the VVMF proposal of December 8th has the support of The American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S., AMVETS, the Vietnam Veterans of America, the Disabled American Veterans, and the United Vietnam Veterans Organization. In the interest, however, of public consideration of a variety of options we are pleased to forward these additional proposals. We trust that the arrangement outlined herein will receive your favorable consideration and that the three proposals will be forwarded to the Commission of Fine Arts at your earliest convenience.

Yours truly,

Robert A. Carter Executive Vice President

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