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Dear BRAC Commissioners:

I am very concerned about the Department of Defense's recommendation that Cannon Air Force Base should be closed.

I want to help make the Commission fully aware of the unique attributes that Cannon offers to our national defense. These include unencroached airspace suitable for training at supersonic speed, many new and existing facilities suitable for joint training exercises, and a low-cost environment that promotes cost-efficient training. Cannon is a real asset to the country's armed forces.

Whether or not Cannon's military value has been recognized yet in Washington, out here we really appreciate the base. The local community has been uniquely supportive, donating time and land to promote the base's needs. We have also welcomed the personnel. The many veterans in the area make it clear that they feel at home here. We consider Cannon and its retirees a part of our family.

The closure of Cannon will also have a devastating impact on our economy. It has been estimated that the area will lose at least 20 percent of its workforce, a percentage out of line with the effect of base closings in other communities. Cannon is critical for us.

I invite you to come personally to the Cannon hearing in Clovis. I ask you to please reconsider Cannon's importance to the nation and to my community. Please, let us KEEP CANNON!

*Kevin O'Connell*  
2300 Wheatstraw Rd  
Amarillo TX 79118

June 14, 2005

To: BRAC Commissioners

Speaking as a concerned citizen, I am concerned about the suggested closure of one of the finest military bases in the world. Although I do not live in Clovis, New Mexico, I do live right across the border in the Panhandle of Texas. The citizenry of the Tri-state area which supports Cannon AFB also reaps the benefits of having a continuously manned, ready to fly group of aviators ready in a moments' notice to provide security to this area, from Liberal, KS to Lubbock TX and from Sayre, OK to Santa Rosa, NM. This area encompasses every kind of activity that one could envision: from a nuclear weapons plant in Amarillo to the largest cattle feeding operations in the world, to universities, community colleges, a massive medical facility in Amarillo, TX and on and on. WE need the support that Cannon AFB provides us. We depend on that base to help in the event of terrorism and they need the support that this area can provide them. The economy of Clovis and its neighbors is in jeopardy of devastation if this closure should take place. I urge you one and all to reconsider the importance of this great facility and the area it represents.

Sincerely

*Pam Barrett*  
*6402 Jarrington*  
*Amarillo, Texas*  
*79109*

June 7, 2005

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2521 S. Clark St., Suite 600  
Arlington, VA 22202

I am writing in response to the announcement that Cannon Air Force Base in Clovis, NM is on the list to potentially be closed.

Cannon Air Force Base should not be on the list for the following reasons:

- **Cannon does not fit the criteria provided for base closure.**
- The base has an abundance of air space and no encroachment issues. This provides for safer and more realistic training scenarios for pilots.
- Once the New Mexico Training Range Initiative is implemented, we will be able to offer pilots the ability to fly supersonic during training missions. This is a very important point, as it allows the Air Force to better train for real-life situations.
- The weather in Eastern New Mexico provides year round training ability.
- The Melrose bombing range is seconds from the end of the runway at Cannon. This allows pilots to get airborne, and immediately begin training operations over the bombing range, rather than spending all of their fuel just to get to the range, having one pass over, then returning to the base.
- Cannon has the space and facilities to accommodate joint war-fighting, training, and readiness as was evidenced by the recent joint training effort between Cannon and the US Navy.
- Cannon has ample space/ramp space to accommodate surge force requirements in training and emergency situations.
- The availability of air space and ideal flying weather makes Cannon the perfect candidate to support future training missions for the F-22, Joint Strike Fighter, and other military aircraft.
- Cannon has won countless awards, both on ACC level, Air Force and NAF levels, and national and STAT levels.
- The relationship between Cannon Air Force Base and the surrounding towns; Clovis, Portales, West Texas, and others, is unlike any other installation in the country.
- Clovis, Portales, Eastern New Mexico, West Texas (including Amarillo and Lubbock) are home to a large military retiree population. These people rely on Cannon Air Force base for healthcare, grocery shopping, and more. There is not another installation close by to serve our retired military.

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Maira Vital  
Perryton, Texas 79070

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Dustin Larkin

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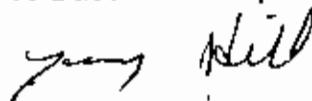
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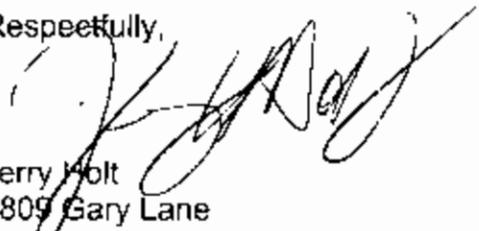
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320 Cottonwood Glen  
Canyon, TX 79055

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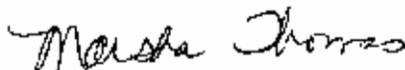
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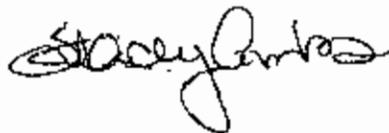
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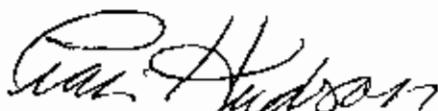
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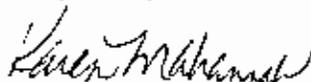
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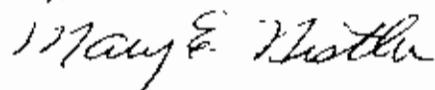
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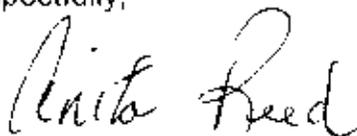
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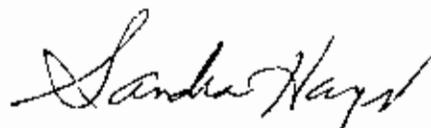
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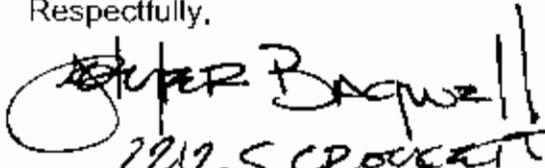
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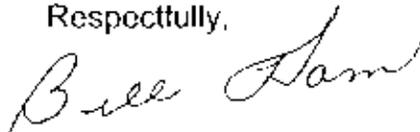
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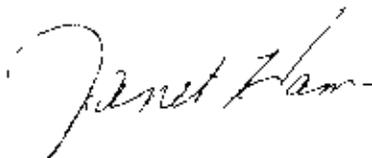
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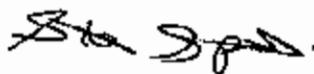
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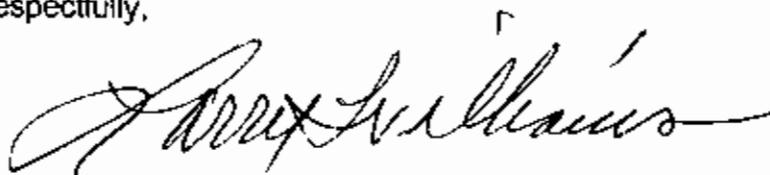
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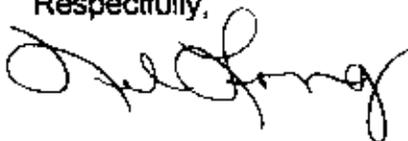
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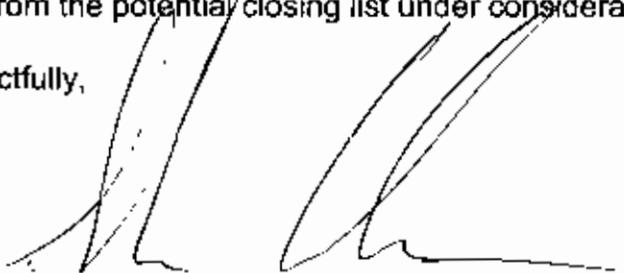
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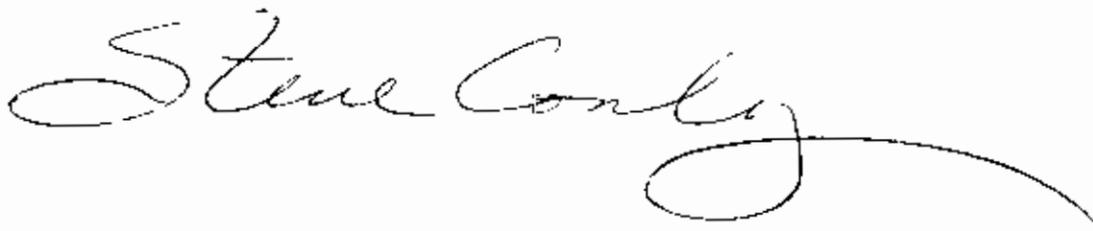
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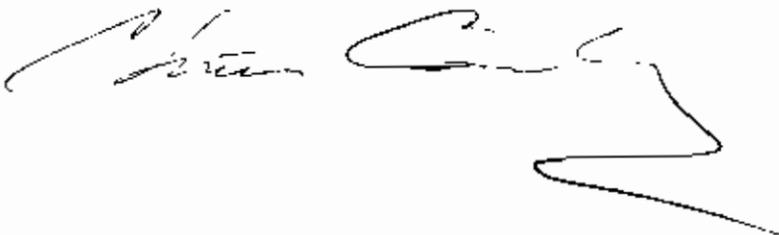
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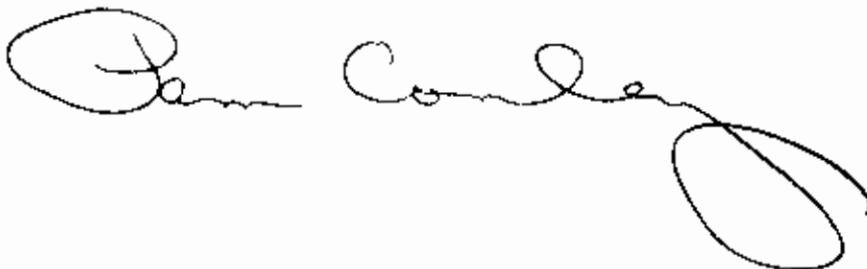
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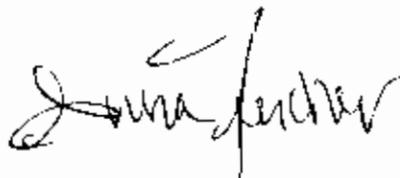
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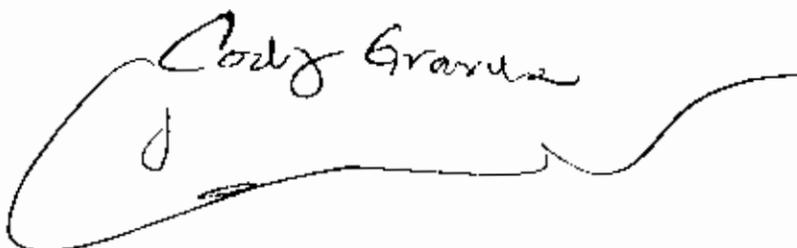
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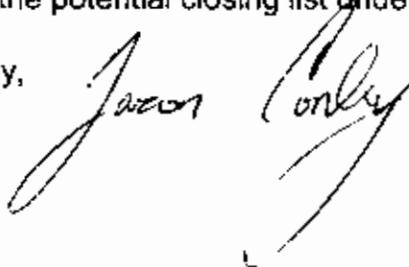
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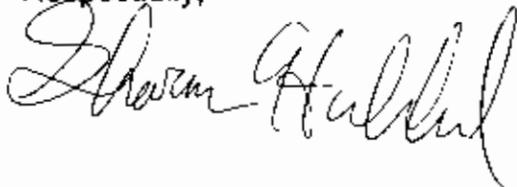
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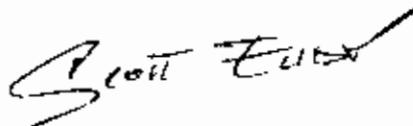
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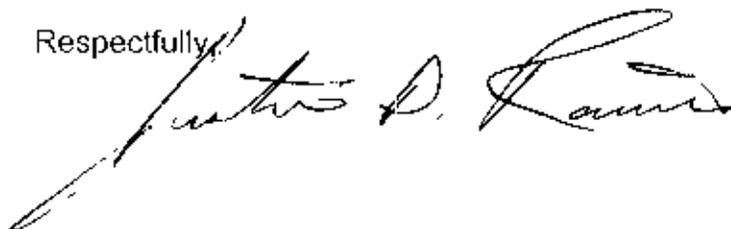
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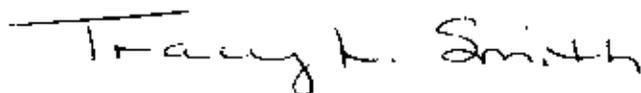
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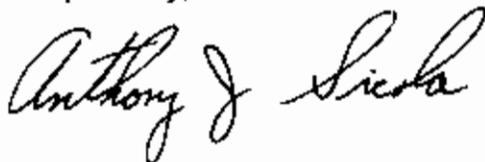
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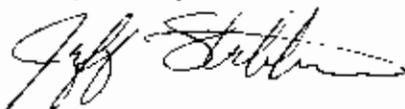
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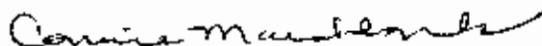
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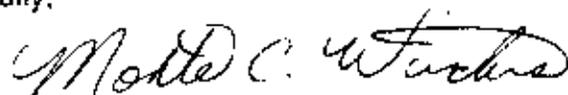
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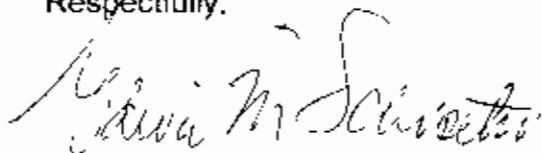
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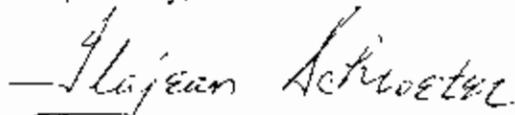
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**Mary Garcia**

**From:** Shorter, Jr [Jr.Shorter@XCELENERGY.COM]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 11, 2005 10:01 AM  
**To:** Mary Garcia

7/5/2005

June 11, 2005

BRAC Commission  
2507 So. Clark St., Suite 600  
Falls Church, Virginia 22002

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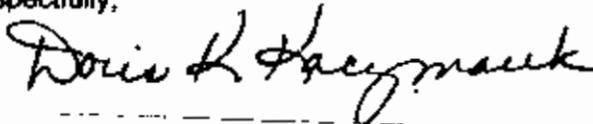
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**Sent:** Saturday, June 11, 2005 4:18 AM  
**To:** Mary Garcia  
**Subject:** Keep Cannon Campaign

BRAC Commission  
211 So. Clark Ave., Suite 600  
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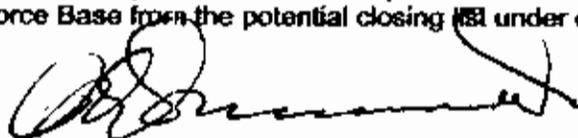
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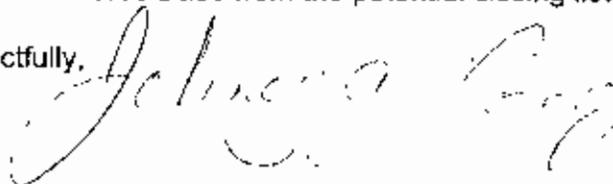
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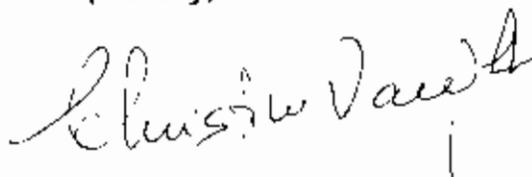
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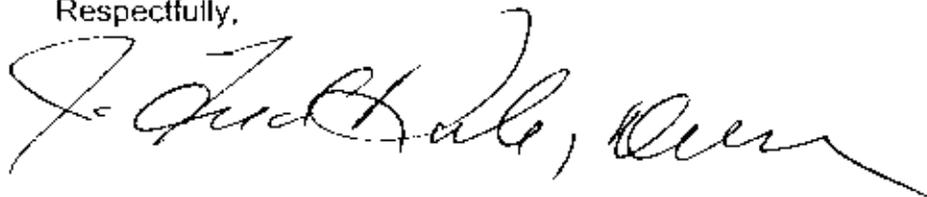
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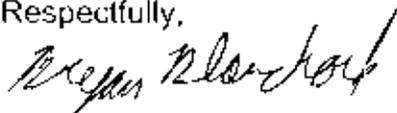
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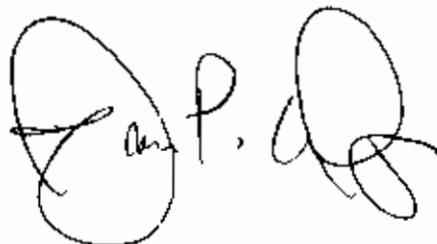
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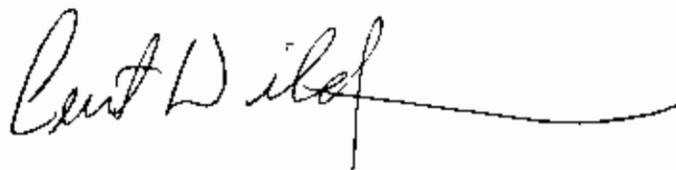
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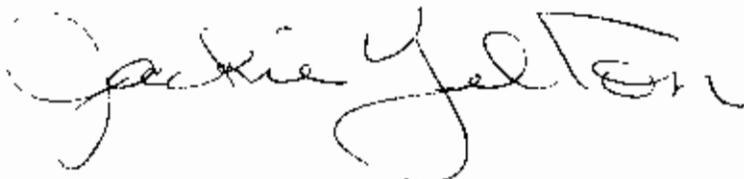
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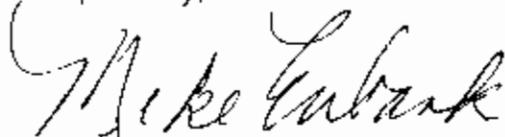
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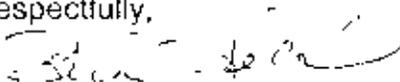
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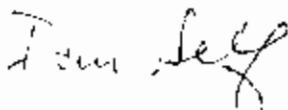
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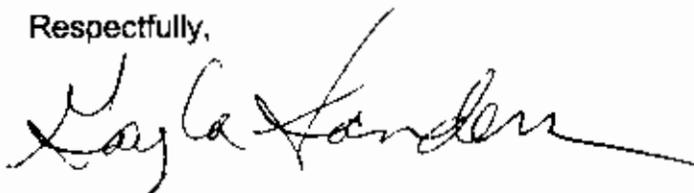
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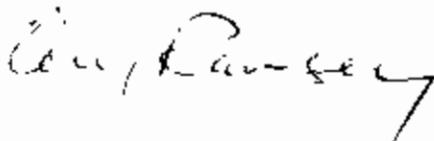
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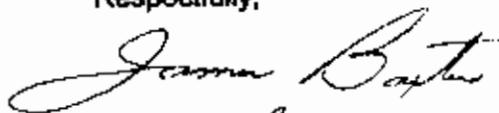
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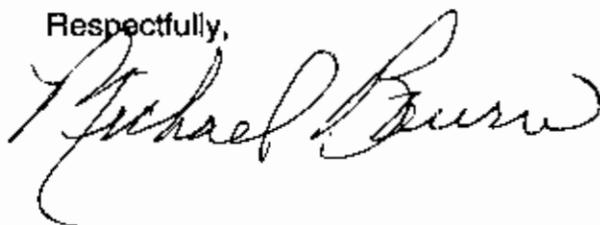
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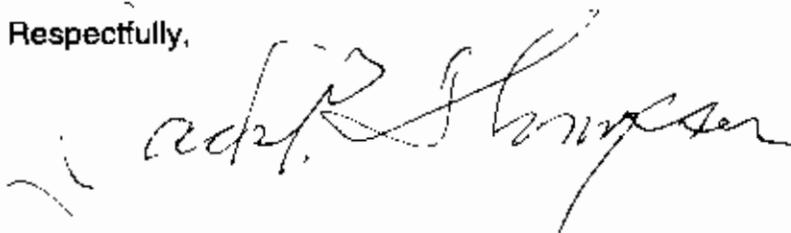
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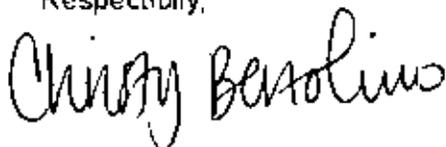
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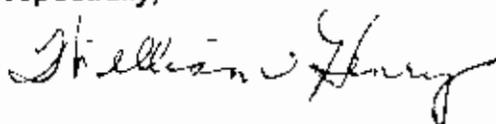
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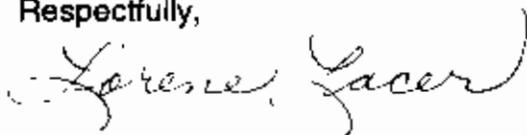
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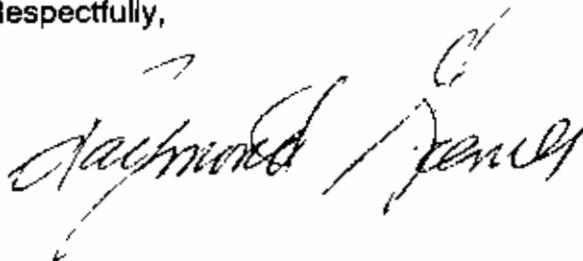
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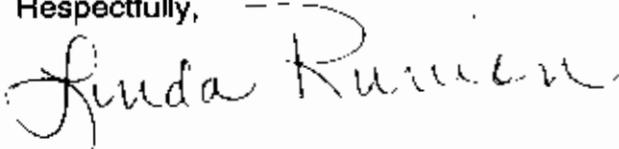
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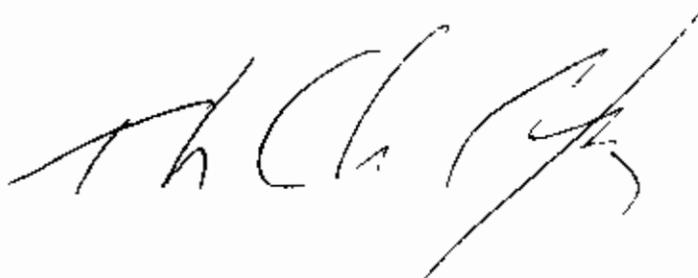
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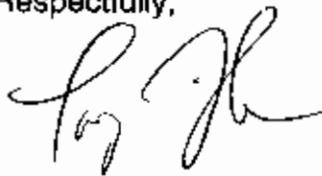
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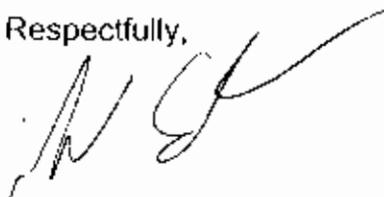
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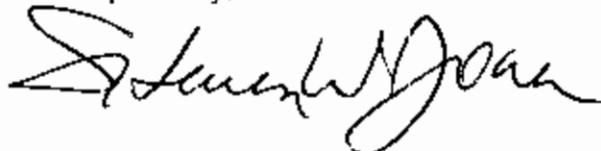
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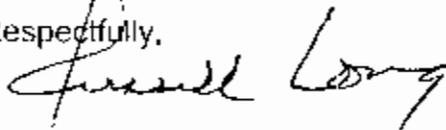
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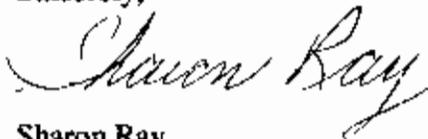
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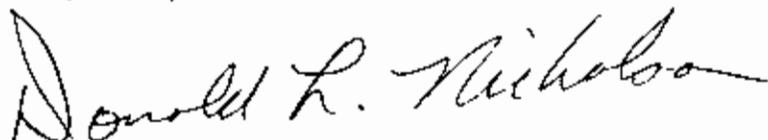
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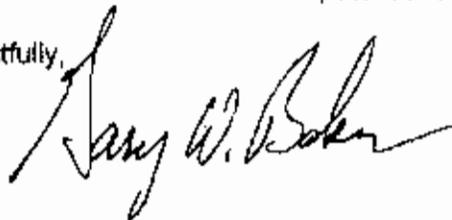
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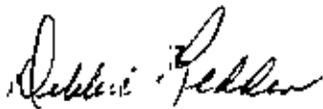
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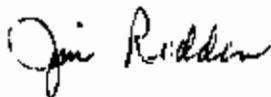
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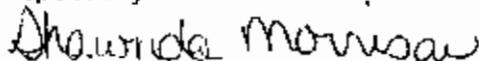
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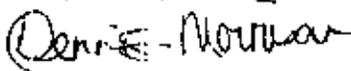
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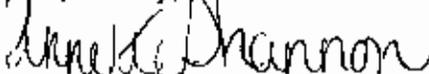
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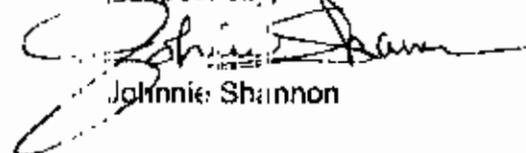
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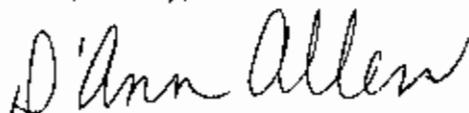
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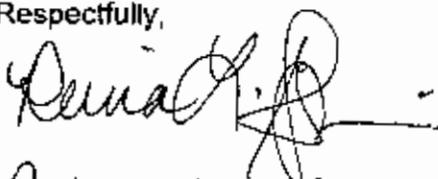
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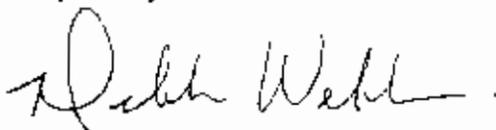
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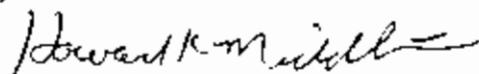
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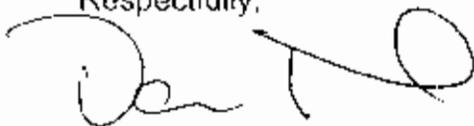
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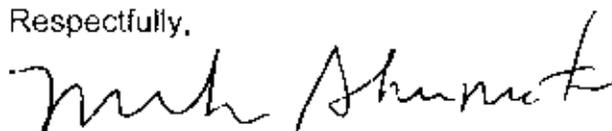
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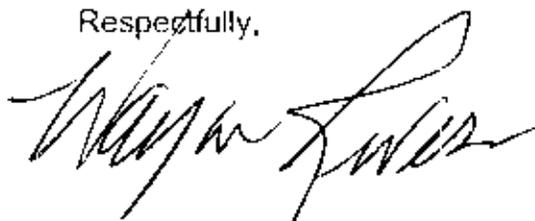
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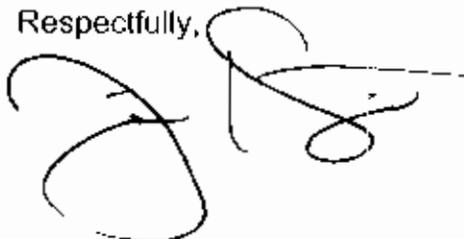
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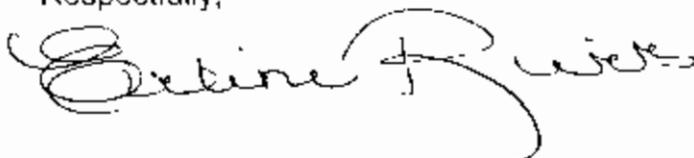
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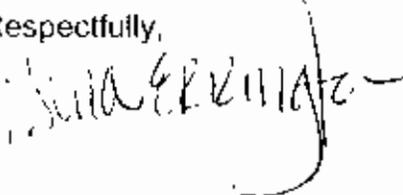
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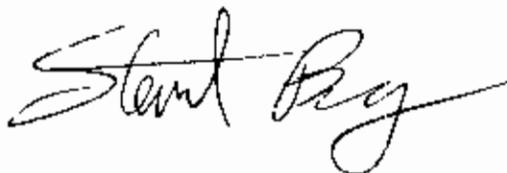
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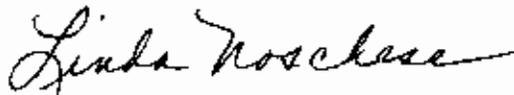
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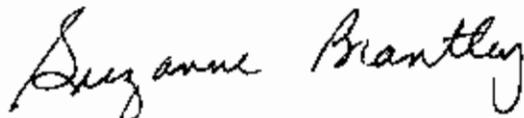
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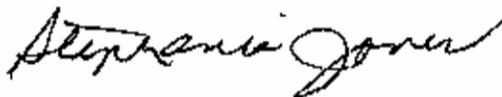
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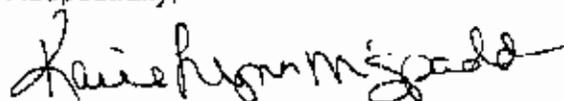
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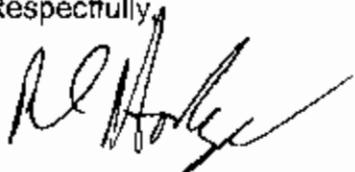
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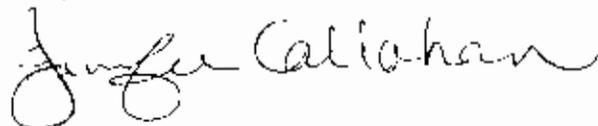
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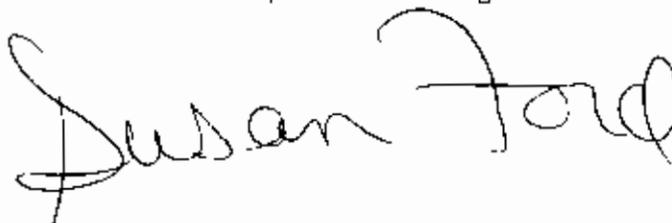
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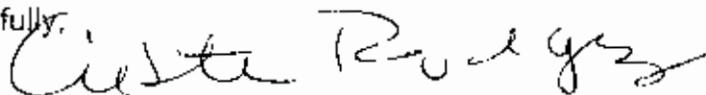
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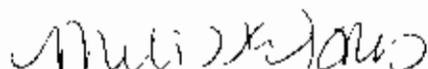
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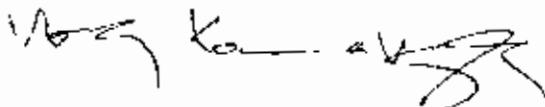
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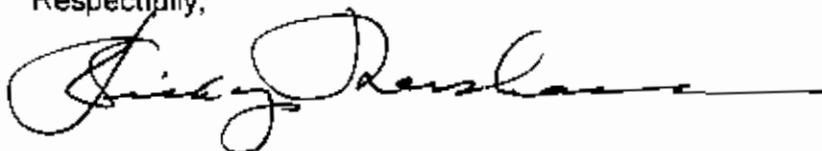
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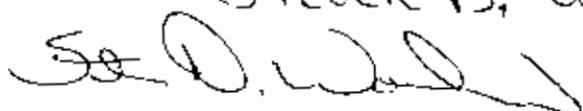
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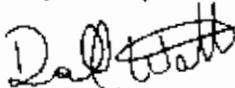
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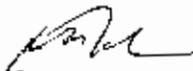
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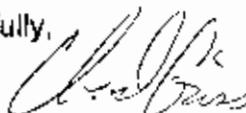
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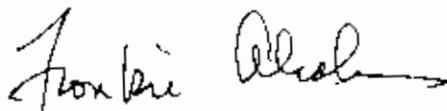
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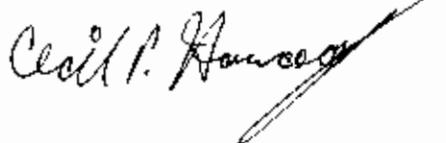
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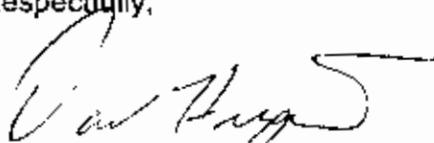
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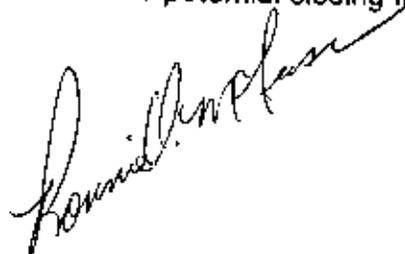
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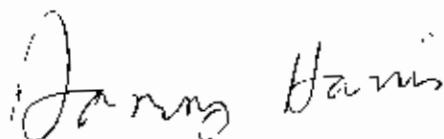
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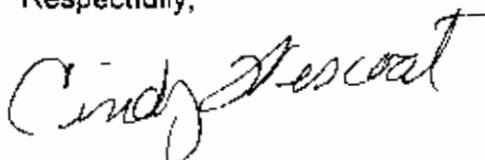
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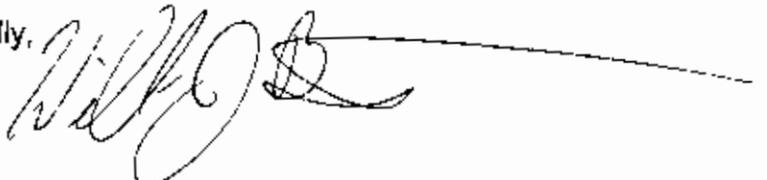
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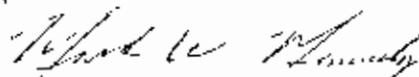
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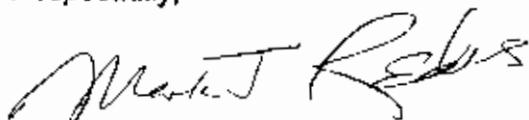
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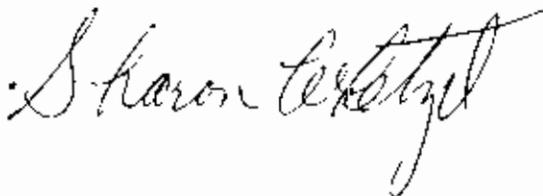
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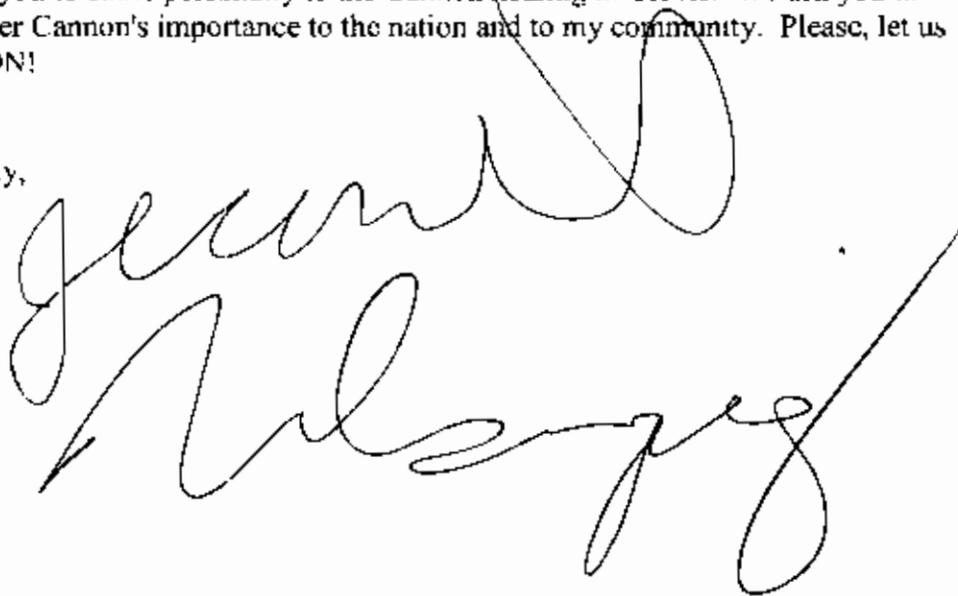
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**Mary Garcia**

**From:** ROBYN LONG [rlactionreality@arn.net]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 10, 2005 2:43 PM  
**To:** Mary Garcia

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Fax to: 806-373-8304 806-373-8312 806-373-8263

e-mail to: [chamber@amarillo-chamber.org](mailto:chamber@amarillo-chamber.org)

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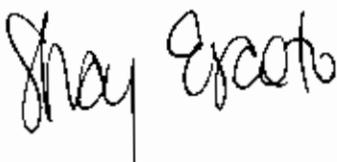
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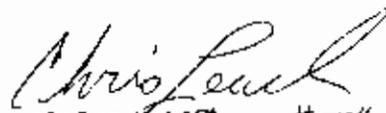
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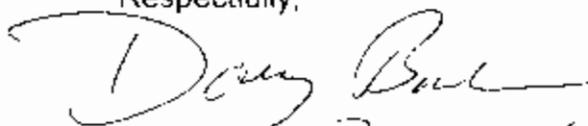
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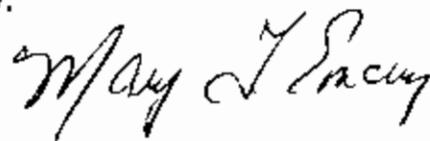
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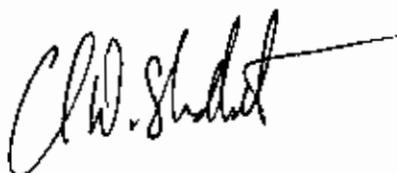
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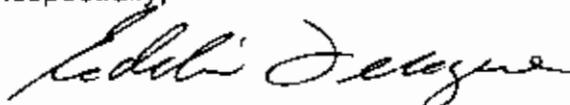
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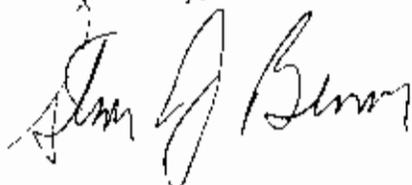
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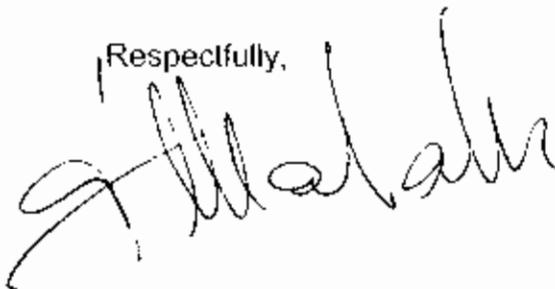
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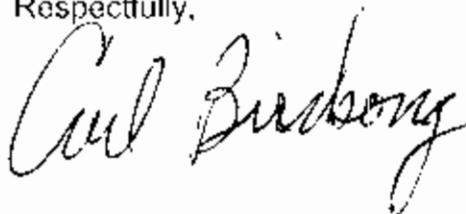
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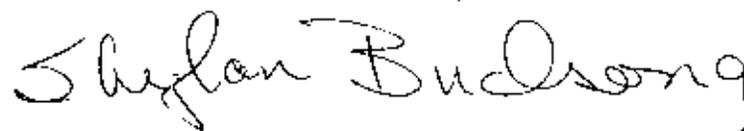
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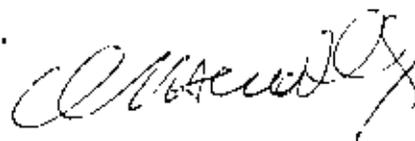
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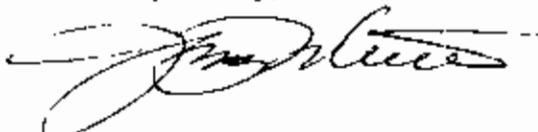
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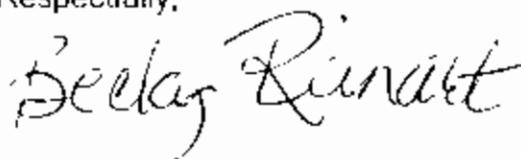
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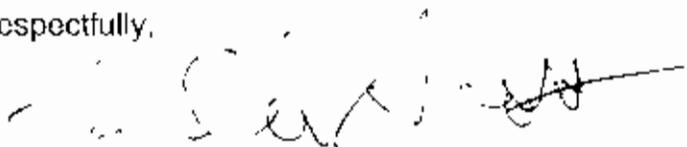
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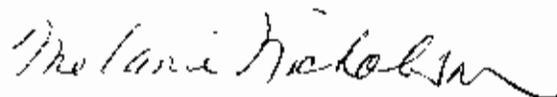
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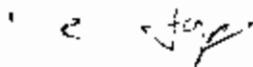
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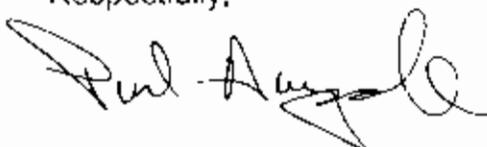
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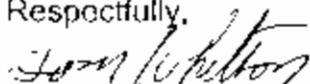
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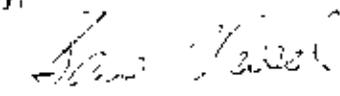
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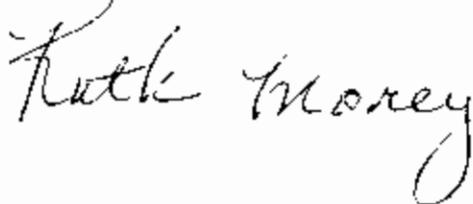
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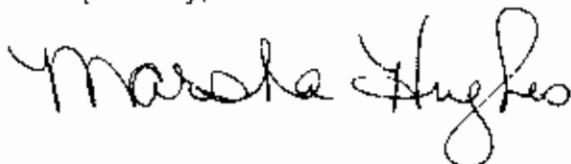
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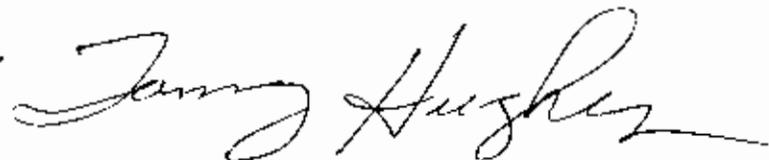
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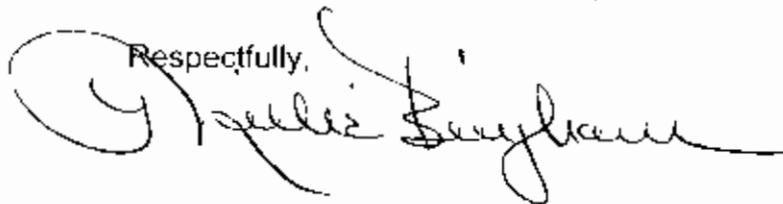
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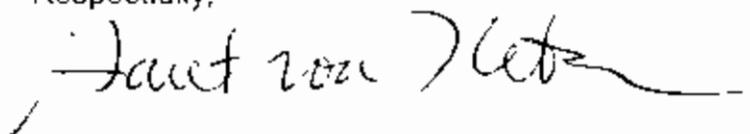
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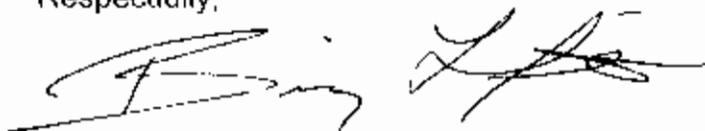
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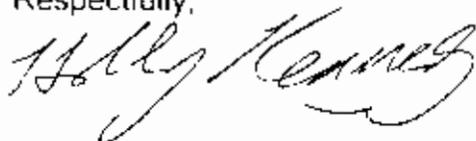
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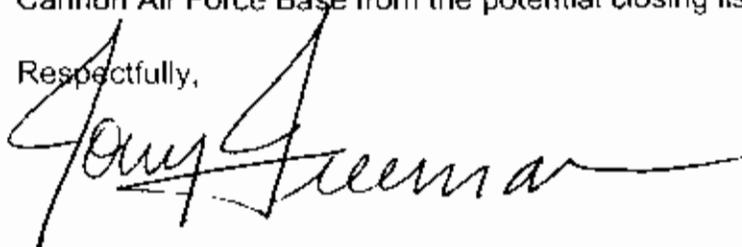
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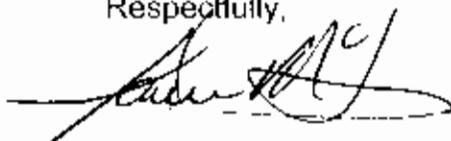
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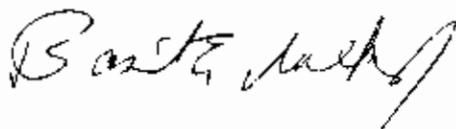
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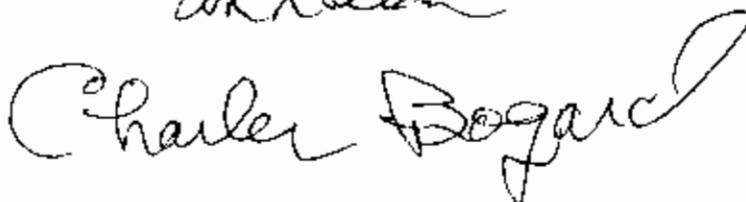
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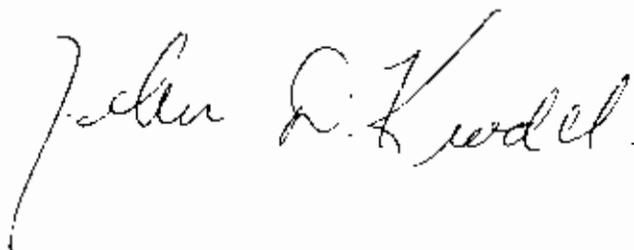
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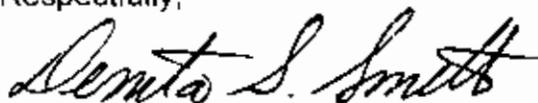
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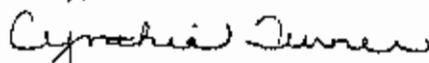
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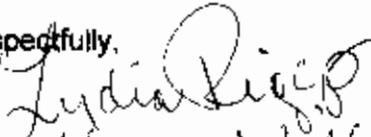
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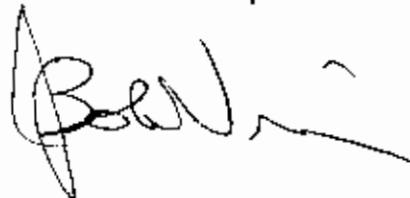
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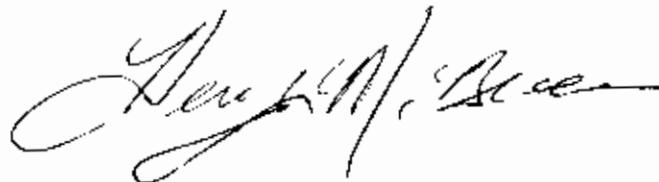
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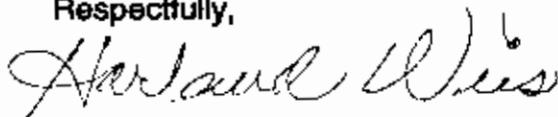
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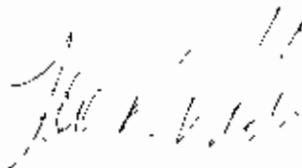
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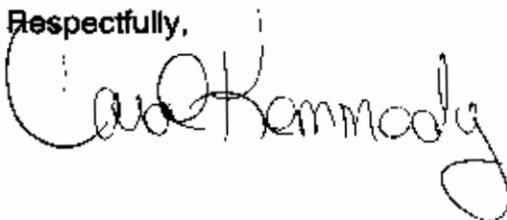
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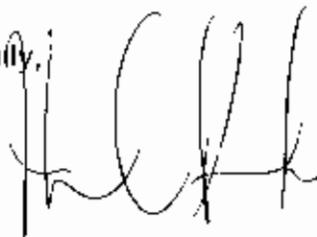
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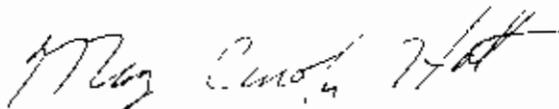
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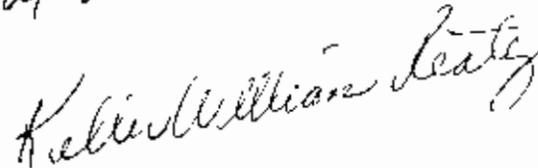
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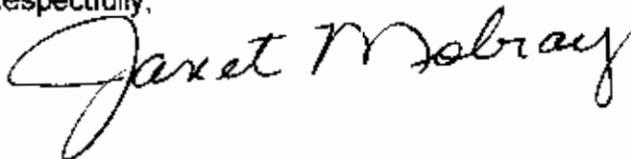
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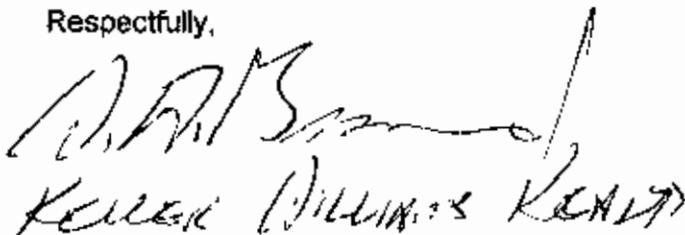
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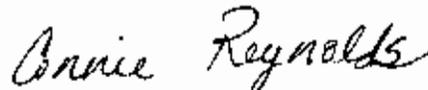
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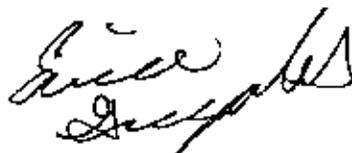
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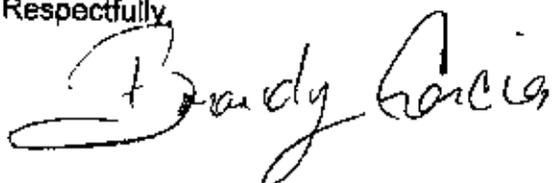
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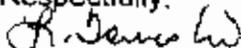
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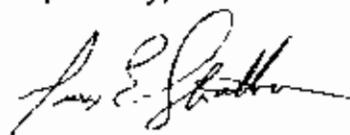
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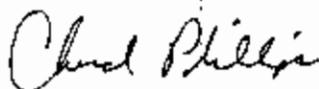
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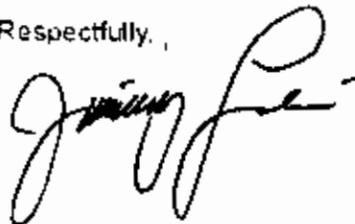
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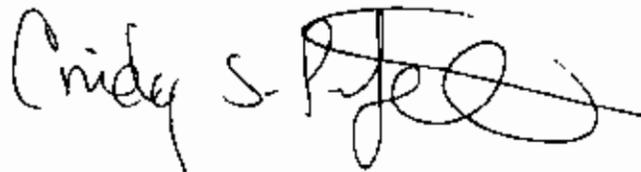
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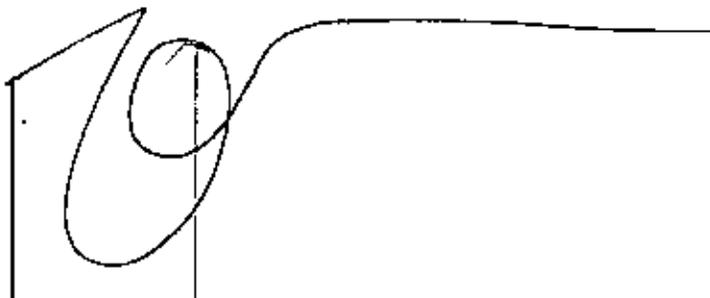
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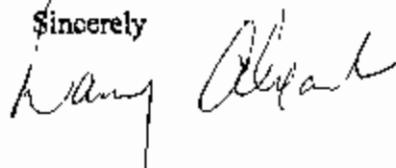
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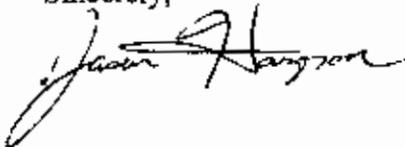
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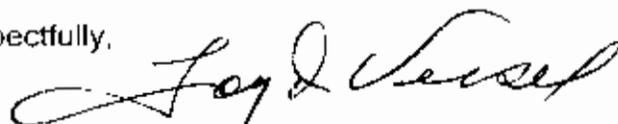
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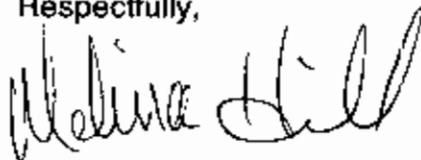
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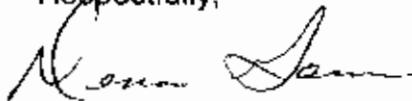
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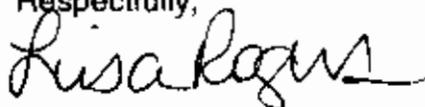
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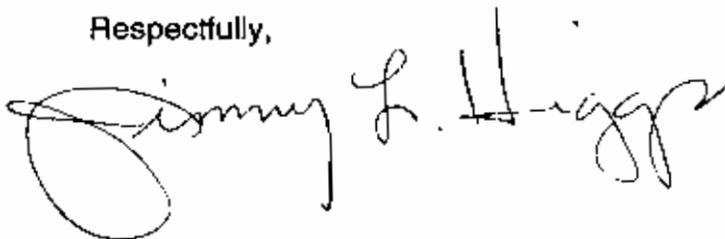
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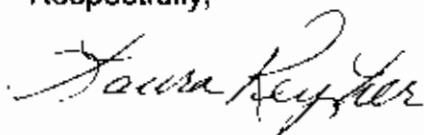
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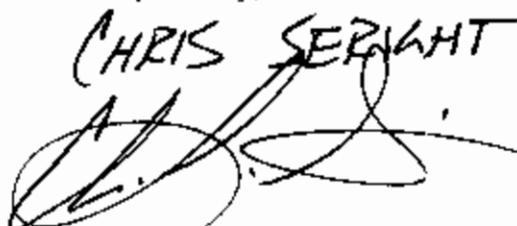
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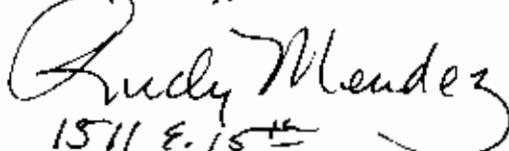
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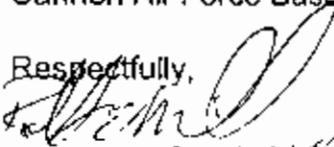
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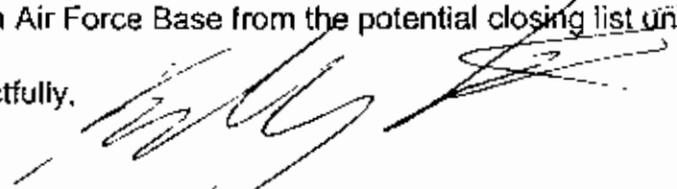
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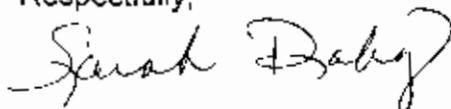
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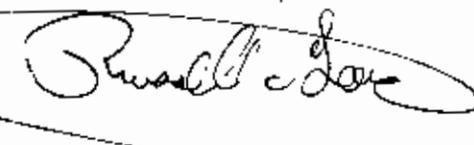
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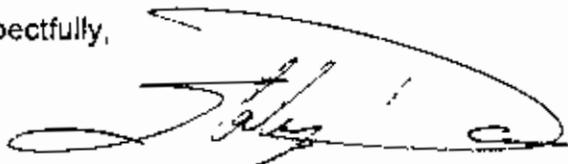
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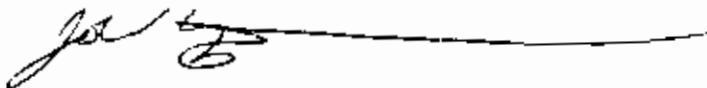
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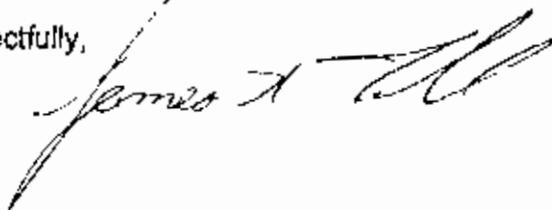
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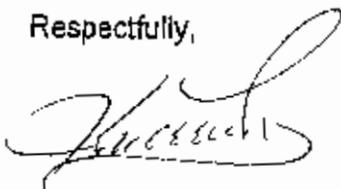
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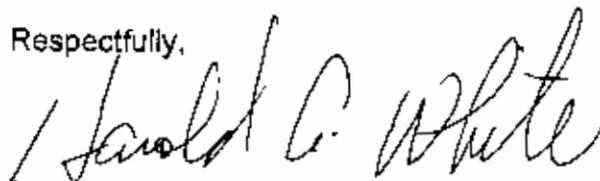
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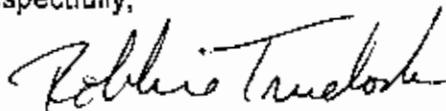
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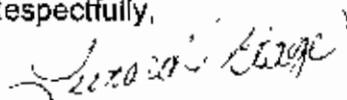
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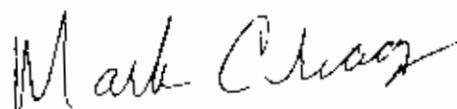
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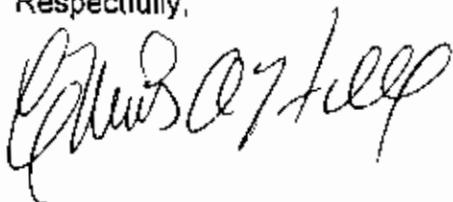
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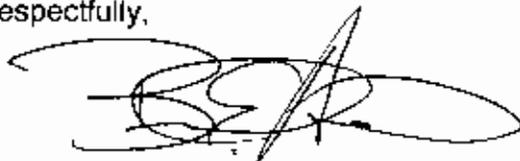
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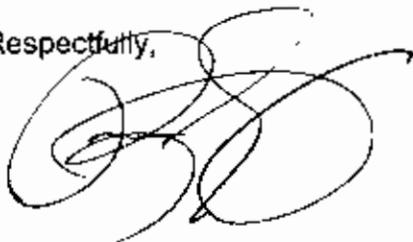
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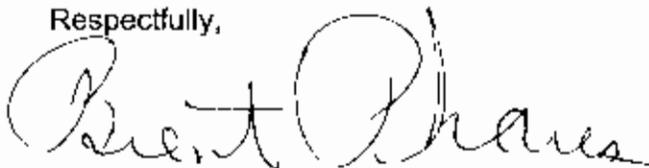
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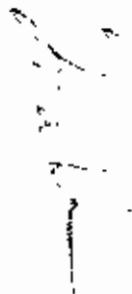
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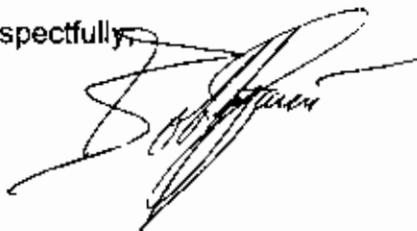
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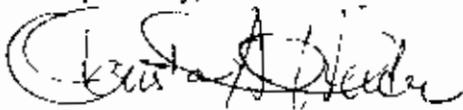
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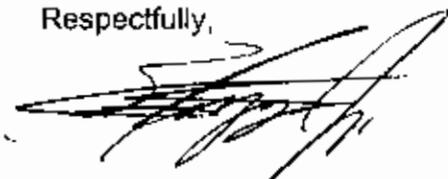
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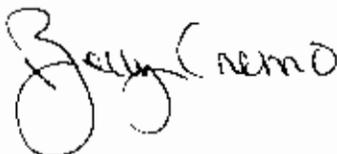
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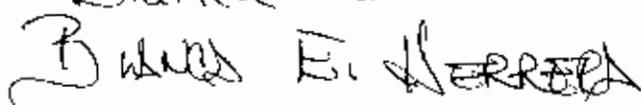
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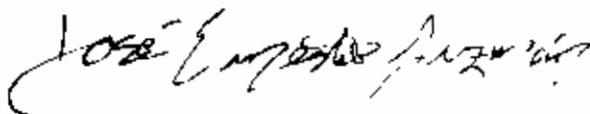
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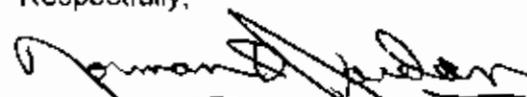
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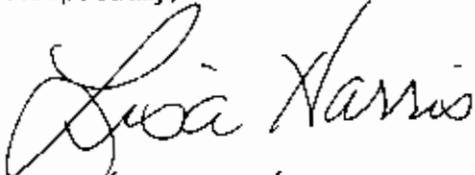
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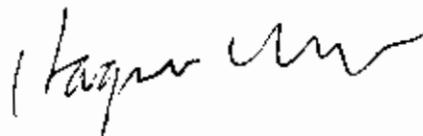
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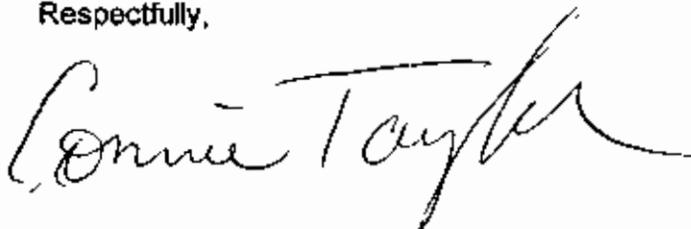
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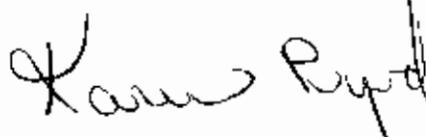
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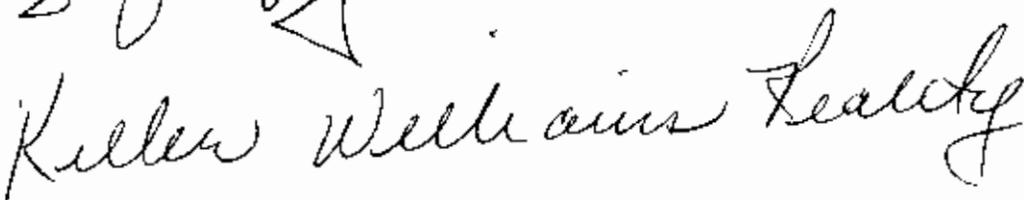
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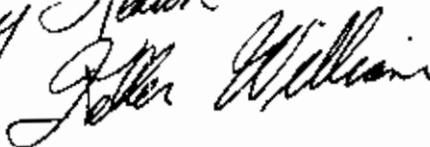
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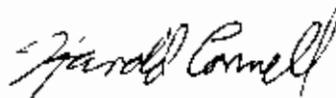
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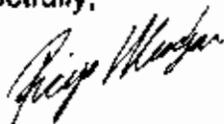
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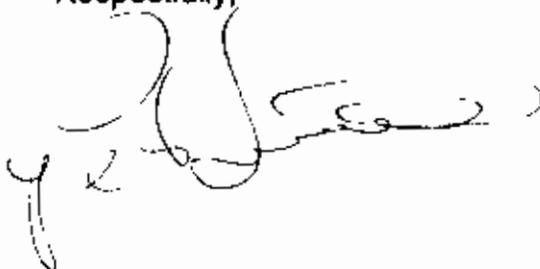
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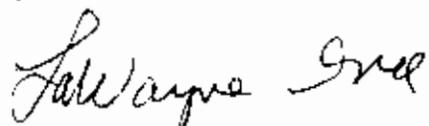
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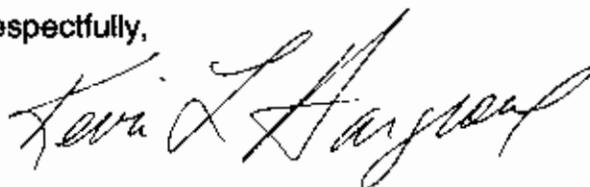
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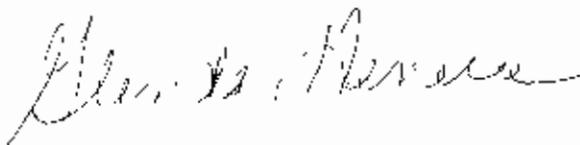
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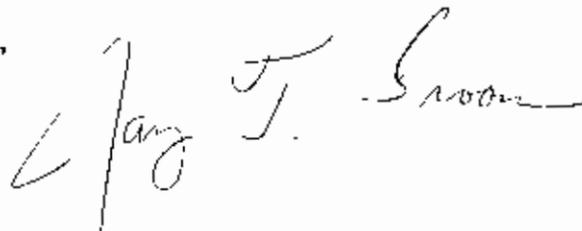
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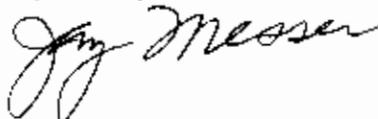
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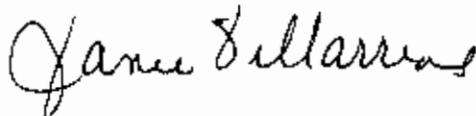
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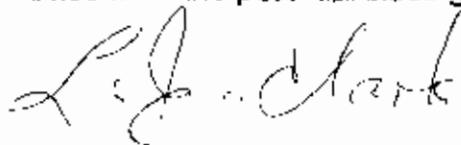
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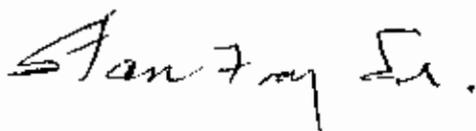
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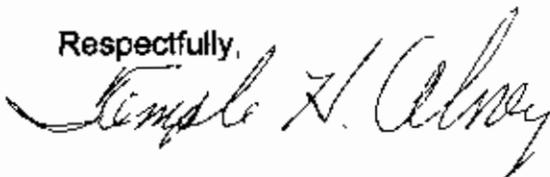
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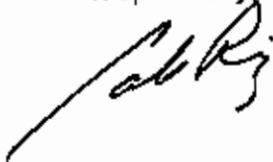
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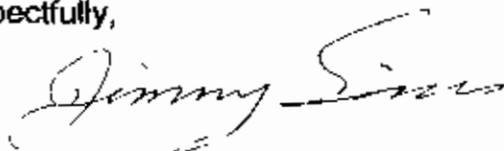
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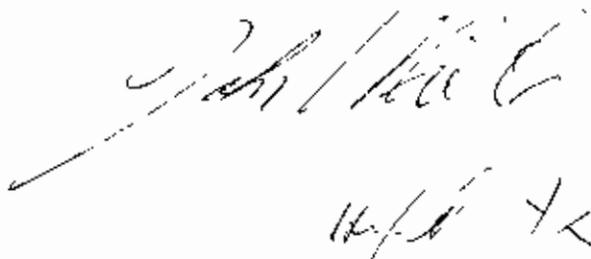
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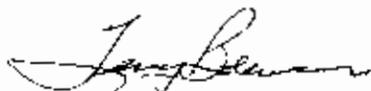
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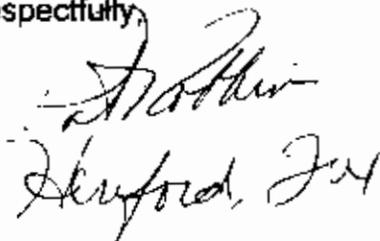
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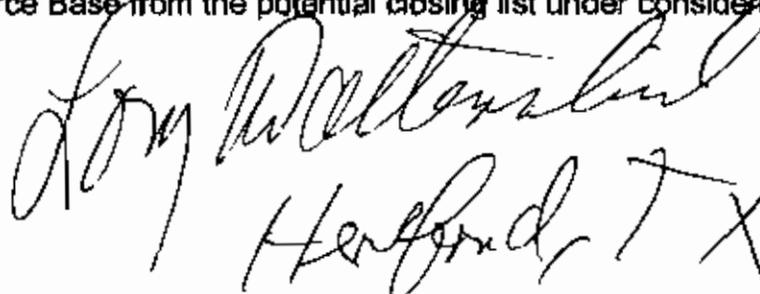
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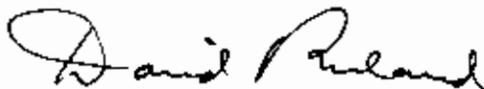
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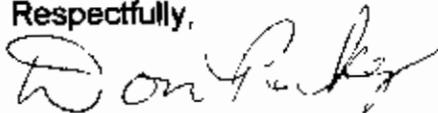
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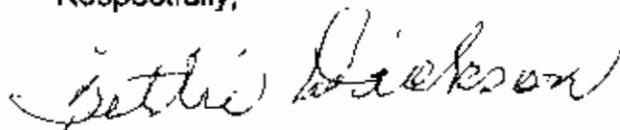
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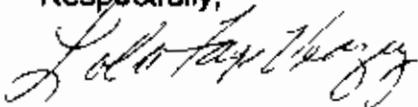
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## Harrier jet carrying bombs crashes in Ariz.; no injuries reported

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TV image via KPNX 12

Nearly 1,300 homes were evacuated Wednesday while a military explosives team dismantled the bombs at the crash site in Yuma, about 185 miles southwest of Phoenix. Most people were allowed to return home by late evening

The Harrier jet was coming in for a landing at Marine Corps Air Station-Yuma when it crashed and burst into flames about a mile from the base, Marine Cpl. Michael Nease said

"I was just sitting here. It was a low soaring sound. It got real low, it was like a rumbling and I heard an explosion," said Marita Jane Wichman, who lives about four houses away from where the crash occurred

The jet was carrying four 500-pound bombs and 300 rounds of 25-millimeter ammunition, none of which exploded. Two homes had some structural damage, Nease said

One unidentified person suffered a minor arm laceration but apparently no one else was taken to the hospital as a result of the crash, authorities said

The pilot, who was based out of Yuma and returning from a training mission, was "up walking around" after ejecting, Nease said. His name was not released.

The Marines were investigating the accident but had not determined a cause, Nease said.

Wichman and her 82-year-old mother-in-law refused to evacuate, even though they were urged to do so by authorities.

"Like I say, I'm 82. I'm ready to go. I don't want to leave my animals," O'Neill said. "My contention is if it was going to explode, it should've exploded on impact"

The AV-8B Harrier, a light attack aircraft that can take off and land like a helicopter, was the fourth such jet from the Yuma air station to crash in recent years. A Harrier crashed in Yuma on Dec. 2 and another two crashed in December 2003. In each of the cases, the pilots ejected safely.

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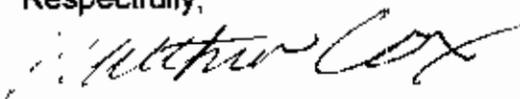
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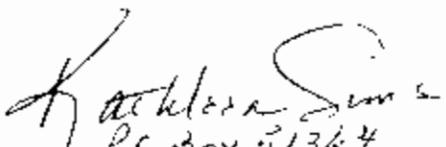
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Sincerely

  
(Roy E. Simmons)  
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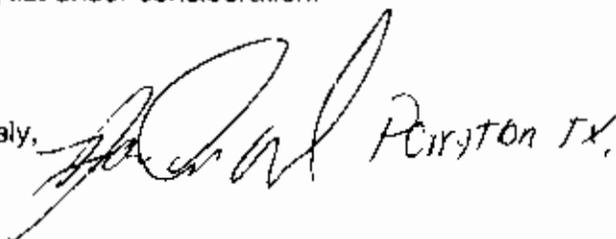
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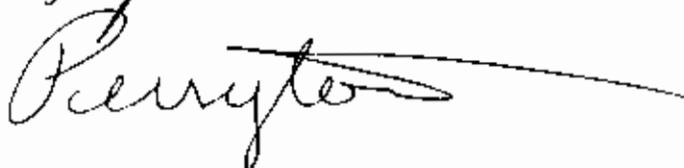
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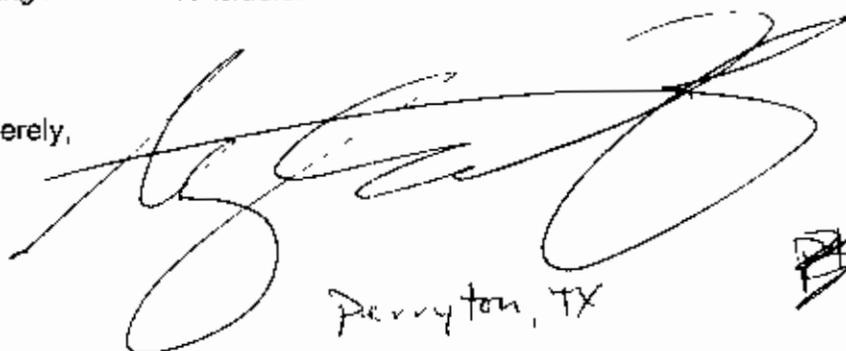
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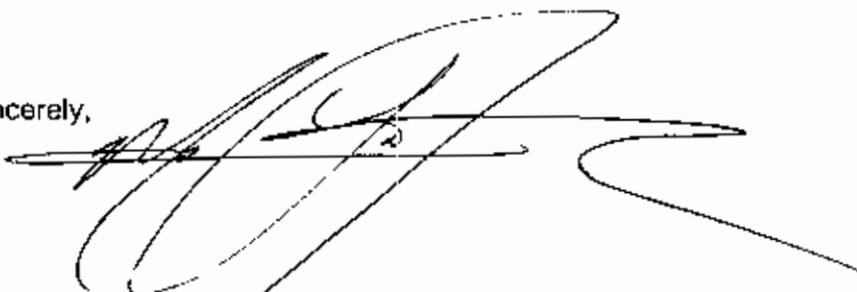
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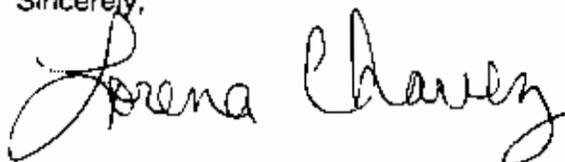
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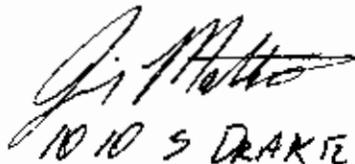
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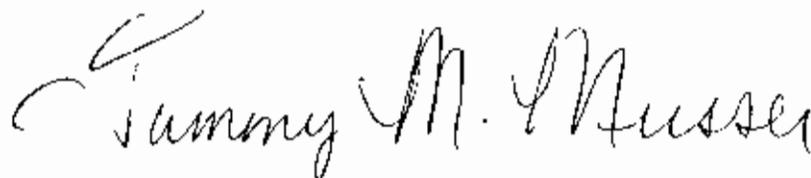
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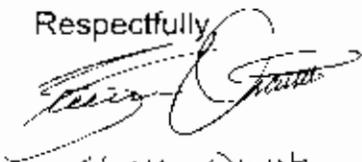
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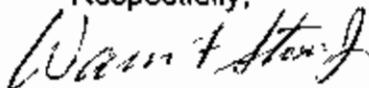
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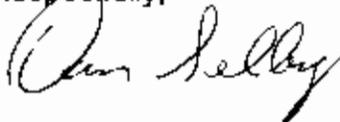
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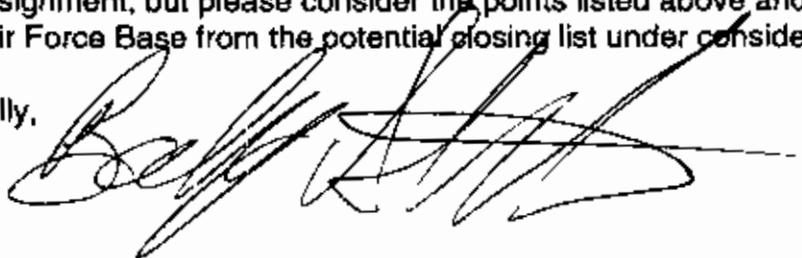
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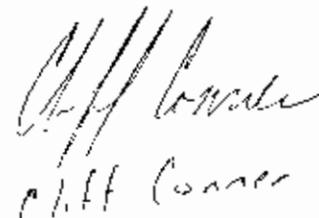
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