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TO: Dr. Derrick L. Foward
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April 6, 2020

Dear Dr. Foward:

Once again, I would like to thank you for meeting with me, Migwe Kimmia, and several of your board members last month. As I shared with you during that brief meeting; AFSC is currently going through major organizational restructuring; which resulted in laying down the program work in Dayton Ohio.

A group of us, community activists, with past AFSC involvement, have agreed to become the Dayton AFSC Building Management Committee. It is our goal to identify a likeminded organization who would be benefited from having the Dayton AFSC office building as a donation.

After viewing the annual reports of the Dayton Unit NAACP, it is clear that the work accomplished during your tenure as the president has been outstanding. You have been president of our local unit since 2007 and the seven administrations you have assembled over the years, reflect the great diversity of our community. It is amazing to read that our local Dayton unit has been recognized by the national NAACP for eight years in a row with the Thalheimer Award, which is the highest award local NAACP units can receive from the national NAACP.

It is a pleasure to learn so much about the Dayton NAACP 's outstanding programs; and that your local active staff /volunteers would be happy to move into the AFSC building. I know you will enjoy doing some necessary repairs, and remodeling to give to staff / volunteers some additional office space. AFSC has been blessed to operate hundreds of programs from our building since 1964 and we know you will appreciate it being your property soon.

AFSC's national top administrators have asked us to get the support of a lawyer, or someone with the expertise necessary for getting the job done legally. We will have to submit a proposal to be approved by the national board members. I am sure you will also need approval from your NAACP board members as well.

I am looking forward to working with you in any way to support AFSC donation of our office in Dayton to the Dayton Unit of the NAACP, as soon as possible. It is our goal to be out of the building by the end of June 2020. We want to set up a telephone conference call later this week or early next week, depending on times that work best for you.

Please give me the names and e-mail addresses for whomever you would like to have included on that conference call. I will send that information to the regional AFSC secretary / director and Sharon Goens, who will send everyone an e-mail; with the time, date and phone number before the conference call.

Looking forward to talking with you and NAACP board members you think will be able to give us advice on how to move forward with the donation process.

Yours in Peace,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patricia A. Trammell". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Patricia A. Trammell
Building Manage Committee Clerk