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June 25, 1993

Kathleen A. Welch  
Executive Director  
NAPIL  
1118 22nd Street NW, 3rd Floor  
Washington, D.C. 20037

Dear Ms. Welch:

Thank you for your letter dated June 17th, and the attached letters of endorsements for our legislation. Your role in our legislation's success to date has been a crucial one.

As you are well aware, the campaign for passage of our bill through the full House and Senate continues. Your ongoing support will be necessary for our continued success. Anything less than our greatest effort to pass the National Service bill will sell our nation's future short.

On behalf of the whole National Service staff, we would like to thank you for your indispensable lobby efforts. Keep up the great work.

Sincerely,

Eli Segal  
Assistant to the President and  
Director of National Service

EJS:dh

May 25, 1993

Ms. Jackie Gelb  
Executive Director  
YouthBuild  
173A Norfolk Avenue  
Roxbury, MA 02119

Dear Ms. Gelb,

I appreciate your taking the time to introduce me to YouthBuild yesterday.

It is always rejuvenating to get out of Washington and witness a community service program firsthand. The work you do in Boston is truly something to be proud of, and an example we can all follow.

Thank you once again, and keep up the terrific work.

Sincerely,

Eli J. Segal  
Assistant to the President and  
Director, Office of National Service

EJS:dh

May 28, 1993

Ms. Pamela Garrett &  
Mr. Marc Foster  
5151 Coronado Ave. #3  
Oakland, CA 94618

Dear Ms. Garrett and Mr. Foster,

Thank you for your letter to Eli and me dated April 5, 1993. I apologize for taking so long to respond, but it has been extremely busy here as we introduced our National Service legislation on April 30.

You will find attached a detailed outline of the National Service Trust Act of 1993, together with a copy of the New York Times May 1 story about the proposal and a transcript of the President's remarks in New Orleans where he introduced our legislation. I also enclose a description of the Summer of Service program in Oakland-East Bay. Summer of Service is the first step in the President's vision of national service. This is a group you will be able to work with to promote national service.

Your dedication to national service will help give our future the opportunities it deserves. Your efforts will be valued by those you serve. Thank you for your interest.

Sincerely,

C. Richard Allen  
Deputy Assistant to the President  
Deputy Director, Office of National Service

RA:dh

May 25, 1993

Ms. Gwen Van Servellen  
Program Director  
It's About Health  
Los Angeles, CA 90024

Dear Ms. Van Servellen,

It was a pleasure meeting with you and the other members of UCLA's It's About Health on Friday, May 21.

I am excited to see how you have progressed on your Summer of Service program. Sometimes, behind my desk here in Washington, it is hard to imagine all the great accomplishments SOS will produce. Visits to sites such as yours reinforce my enthusiasm in our program.

Keep up the terrific work. I look forward to seeing you at Treasure Island during the week of June 21st.

Sincerely,

Eli J. Segal  
Assistant to the President and  
Director, Office of National Service

EJS:dh

May 25, 1993

Mr. Bruce Saito  
Program Manager  
PO Box 15868  
Los Angeles, CA 90015

Dear Mr. Saito,

I appreciate your taking the time to introduce me to the Los Angeles Conservation Corps last Friday, May 21.

It is always rejuvenating to get out of Washington and witness a community service program firsthand. The work you do in Los Angeles is truly something to be proud of, and an example we can all follow.

Thank you once again, and keep up the terrific work.

Sincerely,

Eli J. Segal  
Assistant to the President and  
Director, Office of National Service

EJS:dh

October 7, 1993

Mr. 1~ 2~  
ACTION State Program Director  
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Dear 1~,

Enclosed are some of the materials sent by you or the VISTA Summer Associate program in your state. I have sent a majority of the materials back to the programs, but I was not able to identify which site these came from or to whom they should be returned.

You, of course, can do what you want with them. I will direct any inquiries regarding their whereabouts to you. It is unlikely anybody will ask for something not in this envelope; call me if it happens, and I will do my best to relocate it.

These materials were great additions to the presentation given to the President at the Forum in Maryland. He was truly impressed with our collective accomplishments this summer. As you heard at the signing of the legislation, President Clinton has a deep commitment to national service, and VISTA's role in it.

Thank you for all of your help and cooperation, hopefully we will have the opportunity to do this again next summer.

Sincerely,

David Henkel