"[N]o one is going to get everything they want out of this Board or out of this government, but I think it is terribly important to start the right way, as you are, by plugging into the research, being open, being inclusive; that is a very good sign."

John Newman, Review Board hearing in Washington, D.C., October 11, 1995

"I know that you are trying to redress the harm and the wound that was done to the American spirit in 1963 and the confusions that have arisen since so that we may -- the American people may be free to move on to the current history, which clamors for its attention." Priscilla Johnson McMillan, Review Board hearing in Boston, March 24, 1995

"The real question about the impact of the [Review] Board—how much impact has the Board had on the way agencies behave?" David Garrow, Experts Conference, April 14, 1998 "In this era of cynicism about government, your mission is of critical importance." Lindy Boggs, Review Board hearing in New Orleans, June 28, 1995 "The only option for rightfully restoring and renewing the public trust in its government is by countermanding a history of political constraints and past prejudices in assassination inquiries through an active and massive declassification of all records relating directly and indirectly to the President's assassination, and the time and opportunity is obviously now." Richard Trask, Review Board hearing in Boston, March 24, 1995