July 26, 1996

Mr. Wallace Milam 360 Greenway Avenue, Apt. 4 Dyersburg, TN 38024

Dear Wallace,

On behalf of the Review Board, I wanted to extend my thanks, first, for the help you extended to Joe Freeman of our staff during his visit to Martin, Tennessee, and, second, for your donation of William Wood's (a.k.a. Bill Boxley) files to the JFK Collection.

Joe found your assistance very valuable during his survey of the McCombs Papers. (He also reports knowing a great deal more about the history of northwestern Tennessee than when he left Washington!) Should you come across additional records of interest during your ongoing perusal of the McCombs Papers, please let us know. Per our understanding, we do not intend to physically transfer any of the McCombs material to the National Archives prior to November of this year.

While we have yet to review the Wood/Boxley files, I hope that this material will be a significant addition to the Collection (supplementing as it does the Garrison and Wegmann material previously obtained by the Review Board). Please accept my thanks for this donation and rest assured we will return copies of the material to you as soon as we can.

Finally, we are very interested in pursuing the other records-related matter you and Joe discussed, and we will be in touch as soon as a tentative schedule for a trip to Dallas is arranged.

Thanks again for all your efforts.

Sincerely,

T. Jeremy Gunn General Counsel