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Dear Mr. Naegele,

My name is Susan Hoffmann. I'm working now with Seymour Rosen and his organization named SPACES. You may remember meeting Seymour a few years ago. As you probably know, SPACES is concerned with the preservation of folk art environments all across the United States.

We are putting together some promotional materials to send out on SPACES. One sheet will be our definition of a folk art environment--I've enclosed a sample for you. A second sheet will include photographs and descriptions of the Garden of Eden and the Watts Towers. We would like to use the photograph of Dinsmoor from your brochure. Do you mind if we reproduce this photograph for our materials?

Seymour would like to know the date when the Garden of Eden was named to the National Register. Could you please send us this information? Also, do you know which other environments have been named to the Register? We are having trouble finding this information.

We're trying to locate additional folk art environments across the country. If you have heard of any others, please let us know!

Thanks for all your help!

Sincerely,

Susan Alderson Hoffmann

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