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THE CITY OF NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Robert J. McKenna  
Mayor

April 24, 1992

JH  
The Honorable Claiborne deB. Pell  
United States Senator  
335 Russell Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Pell:

As you know, the Newport Historical Society has submitted an application for funding, to the National Endowment for the Humanities. The application is for the funding of the permanent exhibit "Hope and Speculation: the Landscape of Newport History." The enclosed resolution was sent to Mrs. Cheney in support of the Historical Society's application.

As we have indicated in the past, this particular project is extremely important to the City, for its potentially significant economic, historic and cultural impact. On behalf of the City of Newport, I therefore respectfully request any and all assistance that you may give in securing this grant. It is my understanding that the decision on this grant is imminent.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

I am, sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bob".

Robert J. McKenna

RJM/bb/c  
Enclosure