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Dear Jim,

Thanks for your gracious letter.

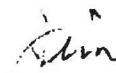
As we discussed, the official fundraising can't start until I leave the Commission -- May 1st or sometime this summer.

I hope sufficient funds will support a communications chair so that I can make a productive contribution to you and the MSU communications department.

Mary and I were most impressed with your positive personality and communications expertise. Also, I have a natural affinity for Italian-American heritages that Irish Mary shares.

We enjoyed the superb dinner with you and Cindy and I look forward, hopefully, to working with you this coming fall.

Kindest personal regards,


James H. Quello
Commissioner

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January 22, 1997

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Dear Jim,

The letters from you and Gary Reid were most welcome.

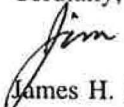
As you know, I have expressed an interest in the suggestion of becoming a weekly lecturer at my cherished Alma Mater. Whether or not this develops, I will always be interested in helping to achieve a bigger and better communications college at MSU.

Several friends have proposed working toward an endowed MSU chair in my name. I'm delighted with the possibility. Dr. Brian Fontes, a former MSU faculty member, who served as my superb Chief of Staff when I was FCC Chairman, has volunteered to become the point of contact at the appropriate time.

However, any solicitation of funds must not occur until after I am no longer an official of the federal government. I have informed the White House and the Hill of my intention to leave the FCC in May 1997 or shortly after, depending upon the Presidential nomination and Senate confirmation processes.

I look forward to dining with you and Cindy at 7 PM on Thursday, January 30th at the Prime Rib restaurant.

You have my best wishes for continued achievement in the exciting years ahead.

Cordially,

James H. Quello
Commissioner

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