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Catherine Ann Stevens
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RE: Ted Stevens Papers Project

Dear Mrs. Stevens:

This formally acknowledges receipt of your February 9, 2015 letter to President Gamble, copied to me, providing notice of your intent to terminate the deposit agreement early and relocate the collection in accordance with paragraph 3.a. of the Agreement for Deposit of Records and Memorabilia Between Ted Stevens And The University of Alaska (Agreement). At my request, the president has delegated this matter to me.

The university respects your wishes and will work with you and/or the Ted Stevens Foundation to facilitate early termination of the Agreement. Per the Agreement, early termination requires both 180 days' notice and

“ . . . payment to the University of the actual costs incurred by the University for cataloging, preservation, storage, and shipment of the Collection, less any funds donated or otherwise provided to the University for the specific purpose of defraying some or all of those costs. Costs shall include but not be limited to pro rata costs of personnel, supplies, and equipment, as well as the reasonable and customary overhead of operating and maintaining University owned space, and the actual pro rata cost of any archival storage space acquired by the University for, or as a result of, housing the Collection. . . .”

As things stand, and based on a number of assumptions, including that the University will incur no additional expenses associated with the collection or its storage, and that the collection will be removed within the notice period, the University would be willing to waive any otherwise recoverable costs.

We appreciate your commitment to relocate the collection within the notice period. To this end UAF also will waive the balance of the 180 day notice period if that will help ensure prompt relocation. The opportunity to make this collection available to the public was the driving factor behind UA's entry into the Agreement. Efforts to make the collection publicly accessible will now cease during the notice period, making relocation an essential element of termination.

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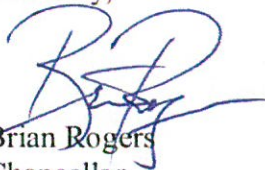
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Please let us know to whom the collection should be made accessible to facilitate your arrangements to pack and ship the collection. UAF will provide access to the Collection and to available information about the collection for that purpose in accordance with your wishes. UAF's main point of contact for this purpose will be Suzan Hahn, Interim Dean of Libraries.

UAF is proud to have played a part in bringing Senator Stevens' papers home to Alaska and in efforts to make them available to the public. We wish you all the best in your efforts to find a more accessible location, perhaps as part of a memorial to Senator Stevens' lifetime of accomplishment on behalf of Alaskans.

Sincerely,



Brian Rogers
Chancellor

cc: Pat Gamble, UA President
Carla Beam, President, UA Foundation
Tim McKeever, Chair, Ted Stevens Foundation
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