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June 6, 2001

Tom Bussing, Mayor City of Gainesville P.O. Box 490, Station 19 Gainesville, FL 32602-0490

Dear Mayor Bussing:

This is a follow-up request from a previous letter of March 13, 2001.

With the goal of better serving local governments, the St. Johns River Water Management District is requesting your assistance in designating an elected official on your Board to act as a liaison to our District.

My responsibilities as an Intergovernmental Coordinator include working with local elected officials, staff, and the legislative delegation to facilitate management of water resources. By having one designated official from each government, we hope to build stronger and more effective relationships.

I look forward to hearing from you and working with your liaison on water resource issues. If you have any questions or if I can be of any assistance, please call me at 386-329-4437.

Sincerely

Gene Caputo, Intergovernmental Coordinator

Office of Policy and Planning

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