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Dear Mrs. Labbee-Kinnard:

On behalf of the Department of Environmental Protection and the Office of Greenways and Trails, I would like to thank you for your interest in our Florida Greenways and Trails Seed Grant Program through the submission of your Mason Manor Trail Boardwalk Devlopment project. Your Seed Grant Evaluation Committee meet on March 4, 1999 in Jacksonville.

I regret to inform you that your project was not included among those selected for grant assistance. We were extremely pleased to receive so many quality grant applications from across the state, particularly in your Northeast District. The flip side to that coin, as you know, was that many worthy projects were unable to be funded.

I thank you again for your interest and support of the greenways and trails program. If you have any questions about the Seed Grant process, or if we can be of any further assistance for future efforts, please do not hesitate to call the Office of Greenways and Trails staff at (850) 488-3701.

Sincerely,

Mark Lippert

Seed Grant Administrator

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