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Division of State Historic Sites
State Capitol**

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November 7, 2005

Mr. James Craddock, PLS
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Dear Jim and Concord Survey Team:

After a prolonged period of administrative staff changes and uncertainty, we are now standing on solid ground and I can send this belated letter of our appreciation. On behalf of the non-profit State Capitol Foundation, Inc., and the staff of the North Carolina State Capitol State Historic Site, please accept our most sincere thanks for your firm's generous gifts of time and labor, as your firm comprehensively surveyed historic Union Square. Your firm's work will greatly assist us in all of our future endeavors to preserve, protect, and enhance these grounds for the benefit of the visiting public. It is, without doubt, the most thorough and expansive 'layered' and detailed topographic survey of Union Square in its history! It also stands as the most exacting, given the use of GPS telemetry and CAD technology in its creation.

The State Capitol Foundation is dedicated to accomplish projects and programs that preserve the history of the 1840 State Capitol and the earlier State House as well as to showcase both the structure and functions of State government and, to raise and to provide the funds necessary to carry out its missions, on behalf of this National Historic Landmark. Your firm's magnificent and most generous donation, at a value of \$35,407.39, will be of great assistance to our labors and Concord's survey will be an invaluable aid for any State maintenances of and improvements to these grounds for decades to come.

Your donated services have qualified Concord Engineering and Survey, Inc., to be designated as a "Capitol Crown" member of the Foundation's affiliated State Capitol Society. This letter also will serve as the official acknowledgment of your firm's donation for the purposes of State and Federal taxes.

Our sincere thanks to you, Carl Young, Darrell Helms, Antonio Flowe, and David Haywood for their labors here under the harsh winter conditions in which they worked for several weeks. They

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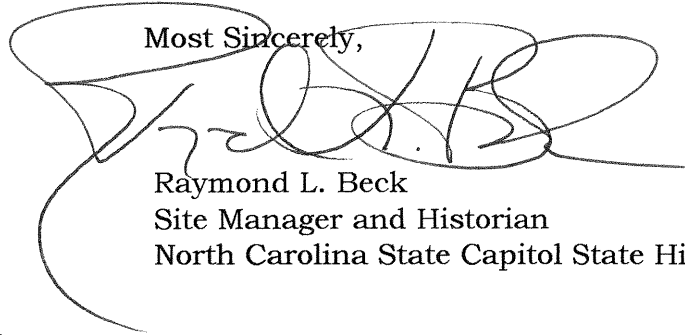
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went beyond the call of duty to accomplish the Union Square survey and we appreciate their dedication and laud their collective accomplishment.

On behalf of the State Capitol Foundation's President, Barbara H. Boney, we appreciate all of Concord's efforts in support of this state's most historic site, and we look forward to continued collaborations and friendship.

Most Sincerely,



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*Thanks Jim
for everything!
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