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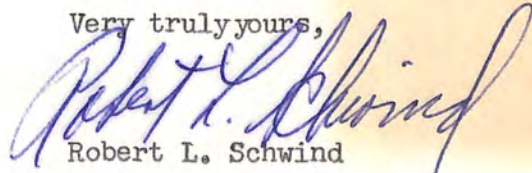
Hon. Ivan Allen
Mayor of Atlanta
City Hall
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Sir:

The results of the run-off yesterday for the Democratic gubernatorial candidate are a disappointment for me and surely a cause for concern for all citizens in this community and state. Fortunately, however, the Democratic primary is no longer necessarily the equivalent of the election and we still have a choice and chance to keep our state headed in the right direction. The choice between Lester Maddox and Howard Calloway is one which we cannot afford not making.

You, Sir, are highly respected in this community and, for that reason, I call upon you to take stock of our situation and to take steps in the direction of preserving us from Mr. Maddox for the next four years. It would appear that committees of responsible citizens in Georgia could be organized by you and others to raise funds for Mr. Calloway's campaign and to get out the vote in November. If I may be of assistance, feel free to call on me.

Very truly yours,



Robert L. Schwind