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Mr. Newell D. Johnson Federal Program Officer Office of the Mayor Omaha, Nebraska

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Your letter addressed to Mayor Ivan Allen, Jr. has been referred to our office for reply. The Atlanta Housing Authority is the City's agency responsible for the planning and execution of Atlanta's urban renewal program.

In an attempt to answer your questions and to give you information in order for you to cite examples of some specific projects, we are enclosing some material that describes our program.

We feel we have a successful urban renewal program that has been a revitalizing stimulant to private enterprise.

Let us hear from you if we can be of further service.

Sincerely,

Howard Openshaw

Director of Redevelopment

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Enclosures

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