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1730 K Street, N. W.
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Dear Mr. Mohr:

In response to your telephone call on Wednesday, February 8, I am attaching a sheet with the run-down of parks acquired under the Open Space Program, total acreage, and annual anticipated participation.

The Parks and Recreation Division compiled these figures on the basis of actual programs in six parks which are partially developed and by estimated annual participation figures of undeveloped parks. The figures on anticipated participation were developed from actual participation figures of existing recreation programs in established parks using all aspects of public recreation. Some examples of types of recreation used are: low organized games, organized athletics and league play, music, dancing, arts and crafts, teen clubs, Golden Age activities, camping, etc.

Six of the parks acquired under the Open Space Program are partially developed and serving the public now. In addition, the Parks Department currently has under development in 1967 Cleveland Avenue, Benteen, Shady Valley, Waters, Collier Driver, and Empire Boulevard Parks. After calendar year 1967 only two parks will remain with no development, Gun Club and Browns Mill. Planning for the development of these two

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parks is going ahead and they will be scheduled for development at an early date.

If you require any other information regarding the Open Space Program in Atlanta, please feel free to call on us.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dan Sweat".

Dan Sweat

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cc: Mr. Jack Delius
Parks Manager