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Mr. Henry Bowden  
City Attorney  
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Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Bowden:

The Atlanta Children and Youth Service Council was established by the Board of Aldermen by an Ordinance adopted on February 9, 1966. It was initially called the Atlanta Youth Council. By an Ordinance adopted on June 5, 1967, certain changes were made including the change of the name.

A question has arisen as to the exact powers of the organization as now created. The case in point is an application for federal funds to undertake a project. The project will require a grant agreement with the federal government. Our question is whether or not the Atlanta Children and Youth Services Council, as now organized, has the power to contract in this fashion. It should be emphasized that they propose to enter into the contract in their own name, not as the City of Atlanta.

I will very much appreciate your opinion on this as soon as it is convenient for you. We have a contract pending which will be held in abeyance until we receive your advice on this point.

Very truly yours,

Charles L. Davis  
Comptroller

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bcc: Mr. Dan Sweat