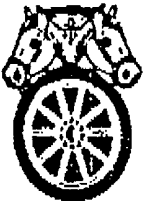


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Mr. Warren Schaber  
Ramsey County Commissioner  
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Dear Mr. Schaber:

The other evening I discussed with you that I sit on the National Clean Air Act Committee and we talked about having a national firm do a quality inspection of your building that you have on Robert St. and Kellogg.

The last time I was in Washington, D.C., I received a sample of the work that ACVA System does and they did the building in Olympia, Washington. After further discussions, I requested the Committee that they would allow this firm to come into Minnesota to do a sampling test of whatever building you desired. Mr. Chairman, you thought that Robert and Kellogg would be a good building or even the Courthouse.

I am sending you a copy of the same kind of report once they are through with the examination of your facility. You can see that it is quite extensive, and it would be at no cost to the County and also I think it would be good not only for the Union members but all employees and the public who go into County buildings.

As you know, I do not negotiate or arbitrate contracts. I am the Teamster Lobbyist and their representative pertaining to legislation, etc., but I have been informed by AFSME Union and the Sheriffs Department and other County employees that it won't be long before you will be negotiating future contracts and naturally we are just as much interested in our members as you are in the public.

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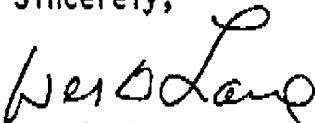
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This ACVA will take approximately three to four weeks once you authorize it for them to get their schedule arranged, and it will probably take another three or four weeks for them to measure and make laboratory test results from the samples they collected and then put it in this type of booklet form for Ramsey County.

ACVA also will be doing one of the big nursing homes in the State and also one the the State of Minnesota Buildings. This company has done work for the Government for three or four buildings in Washington, D.C., New Jersey, New York, Oregon, and Florida, and I just thought it would be good for the citizens in Ramsey County. We will be one of the first to have a Clean Air report pertaining to your buildings.

Mr. Chairman and other members of the County Board, after you look at this report, I would appreciate it if you would hang onto this for me. This is my last copy. Please let me know as soon as possible. The quicker you decide, the quicker we can proceed with the buildings you would like to have done and the quicker you would have the full report in this booklet manner.

Sincerely,



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