

EXHIBIT A

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Hi Jim,

I hope all is well with you. I am in the process of finalizing my recommendation to the Court and wanted to make sure the ROD doesn't have any additional information it wishes to share with me relating to (1) the creation, development and ultimate decision not to post the Public Outreach Coordinator position and (2) the powers of (or any other information you deem relevant relating to) the proposed Special Assistant to the Recorder – Community Affairs.

Also, I have spoken with you, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] in connection with one or more of these issues. I may speak to a couple more people, but if there is anyone the ROD believes I should talk to (or any documents you would like for me to review), please let me by mid-day tomorrow.

Thanks so much, Jim.

Sincerely,

Cardelle

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