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Dear Ms. Seigel:

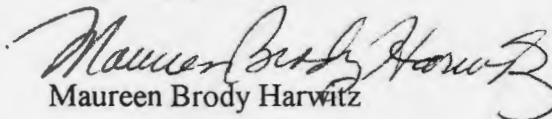
1. On behalf of the Arch Creek Trust, inc. ("Trust"), this is to confirm that its Board has discussed the recent North Miami Beach diagram proposing the signage for assisting school bus drivers to identify the relocated Biscayne Boulevard access to the Arch Creek archaeological site and park.

The Trust has questions as to the adequacy of the proposal in terms of visibility and driver safety. As we discussed, this may be an issue that requires coordination with the state DOT. Of course, the access problems can be solved by using the historic access at the traffic light at NE 139th Street. Carol Helene will be contacting you to arrange for a meeting to discuss the North Miami Beach proposal for signage and road striping.

2. The Trust has become concerned with the unregulated dumping of trash on the historic roadway. The Trust believes that the lack of striping and lack of maintenance of the roadway has created a feeling of abandonment and encouraged dumpers. We request that North Miami Public Works Department remove the accumulated trash.

We look forward to working with the City of North Miami Beach in the implementation of those recommendations that are part of the historic designation and road maintenance; and to assure safe Biscayne Boulevard access to the park.

Very truly yours,


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