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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....

The President
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Dear Mr. President:

The letter I am transmitting to you by this note is from Paul Todd, a Member of the Congress with whom you served from 1964 to 1966 and whom, of course, I defeated in 1966 when I commenced my tenure in the House of Representatives.

The day following the election, Paul called me to express his deep and sincere disappointment at your loss and, I should add parenthetically, his disappointment over my razor-thin victory. Although it is not for publication and I know you will keep it in confidence, Paul expressed to me before the election his intention to vote for you and confirmed that he had when he talked with me the morning after.

I hope that you will recognize the deep and abiding concern Paul feels and his similar deep and abiding faith in you.

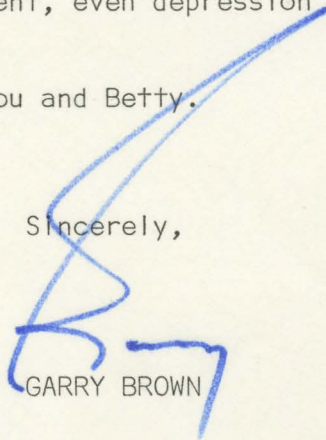
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From my own personal standpoint, there aren't words which could possibly express my complete dismay, discouragement, even depression over the results of the election of November 2.

I extend my very, very best wishes to you and Betty.

With warmest regards,

Sincerely,



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