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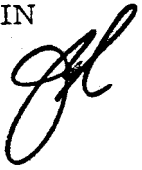
September 4, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

MARJORIE WICKLEIN

FROM:

JAMES E. CONNOR 

The attached letter was returned in the President's outbox with the request that Mayor Cianci receive an appropriate thank you.

cc: Don Rumsfeld

Attachment:

Letter from Mayor Vincent A. Cianci, Jr.
Mayor of Rhode Island

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....



Executive Chamber, City of Providence, Rhode Island

Vincent A. Cianci, Jr.
MAYOR

August 30, 1975

Please thank

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

It is my very great pleasure to present to you and Mrs. Ford this original painting of the historic Betsy Williams Cottage. This famous landmark in Roger Williams Park in Providence, so magnificently captured by our distinguished Rhode Island artist, Spencer Crooks, is an integral part of the rich heritage of all of the people of Providence. In sharing our heritage with you both, we welcome you to our community.

I sincerely hope that in the days ahead, this painting will be a most pleasant reminder of your visit with us, and that it will inspire you to return again and again.

Warm personal regards.

Sincerely,

Vincent A. Cianci, Jr.
VINCENT A. CIANCI, JR.
Mayor

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THE PRESIDENT

Executive Office, City of Providence, Rhode Island