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## CITY OF HEAVENER

March 13, 1967.

Mr. W.: P. Kelly Acitng Director, Job Corps Executive Office of the President Washington, D. C. 20506.

Dear Mr. Kelly:

I have received your letter of March 8, concerning the Job Corps Center near Heavener.

I have known of this center ever since it was established. When I received your letter, I went out to this Job Corps Camp and made an inspection of the camp and of the work the members were doing, so that I would have first hand information and see personally what was going on.

I found the camp very clean and everything in order. I believe that we have excellent administrative personnel; and they are doing everything possible to teach and to train those boys. Contrary to public rumor, I found the boys were really working: Building roads, operating heavy equipment, beautifying the highways, constructing or improving camp sites and recreational areas, and improving the National Forests.

When these boys come to Heavener, they conduct themselves in a gentlemanly manner. They attend the ball games and the shows, and some come in to church on Sunday. My Chief of police tells me they are well disciplined.

We are pleased to have this camp in our area.

If I can be of further service to you at any time, please call upon  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{me}}_{\:\raisebox{1pt}{\text{\circle*{1.5}}}}$ 

Respectfully,

All V. MORRIS
MAYOR OF HEAVENER.