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KANSAS WETLANDS EDUCATION CENTER

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Mr. Jim Ireland  
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Mr. Ireland:

I wanted to send a sincere letter of thanks to you for your continued support of the Kansas Wetlands Education Center. Your office has been willing to help us out numerous times in the five years we have been open. I am very thankful to you, Heather Helvie, and Mark Dean for all your support.

Recently, your department has helped us in ways that I felt were above and beyond. I want to be sure that you know that it did not go unnoticed. You and your staff provided some much-needed assistance with diagnosing a problem with the KWEC water meter located near the College that was malfunctioning. You also provided us with the use of two 15-passenger vans that we used to shuttle numerous participants with the Biking Across Kansas event that stayed overnight in Ellinwood on June 9.

To be honest, in both of these situations, we were in a bind, and your willingness to help us out allowed us to succeed in providing service to our patrons.

BCC has been a partner with the KWEC since its inception. We truly appreciate what you have done for us and your continued support. Please let us know if there is any assistance we can provide you in the future.

If you see it appropriate, I would like you to share this letter with Mr. Dean, Dr. Heilman and members of the Board of Trustees.

Sincerely,

Curtis Wolf  
Site Manager

