Mr. David Thompson U.S. Department of Soil Conservation Bethal, Conn.

Dear Dave:

Thanks ever so much for your time and courteous advice with regard to our proposed golf course in Ridgefield. Ray Phelan and I along with the rest of the committee appreciate all the help you have so far given and that we can anticipate in the future.

Our architects, George and Tom Fazio advised me today that they plan to inspect the site on Tuesday, February 1. As we discussed we would very muck appreciate it if you could be present for part of the work session that day. The Fazios have also indicated that Tuesday is their prime target date but that their schedule may dictate it may be Wednesday. If you could perhaps keep some flexibility in your own schedule to meetsours, I will know by Monday exactly when they plan to be here.

Again, our thanks and we look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,