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Community art Project

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Dear Dr. Farnham:

After our conversation this morning I talked with my colleagues here at the University, and it seems necessary for us now to liquidate the Community Art Project. I am, therefore, requesting Mr. Adams to arrange with you for the division of any assets and liabilities of this undertaking that may remain.

We take this step with profound regret, for we firmly believe that there is a great need for this project, and the fact that it is wartime does not lessen that need but increases it. Secondly, we feel keenly that the cooperative arrangements between the two institutions, thus symbolized and for a time implemented, should grow and be strengthened rather than diminish.

In view of the fact, however, that decisions have been made with regard to personnel and program, there seems to be no other feasible course for us to follow.

Sincerely yours,

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