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WASHINGTON, D.C.

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Mr. Marriner S. Eccles Chairman of the Board First Security Corporation First Security Bank Building Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Mr. Eccles:

I should like to express my deep appreciation for the assistance you and the other members of the Advisory Committees of the Democratic Advisory Council have rendered to the Party and to the Nation.

I know you agree with me that our country must have new ideas if we are to maintain our position of leadership. Your work has made important contributions toward this objective.

In the weeks ahead there will be a pressing need for such ideas, for solutions to the problems we face, and for programs of action. I know that I can count on your assistance in your individual capacity and through the continuing operations of the Council and the Committees.

With every good wish, I am

John F. Kennedy

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