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Dear Mr. Pinero:

In my capacity as Department of the Interior's Agency Environmental Executive, I would like to designate a second representative to the Federal Green Building Council. I am pleased to designate Michael Keegan, Associate Director for Facility and Property Management, Office of Acquisition and Property, to this Council. Mr. Keegan recently transferred from the Architect of the Capitol and has assumed Department-wide responsibilities for facilities and asset management. Mr. Keegan will be the Department's primary point of contact for green building issues. He will serve on the Council along with Mr. Dan Wenk of the National Park Service, who continues to provide us with valuable insight on this topic from his experience as Manager of the Denver Service Center.

Mary Heying of Mr. Keegan's staff, also new to the Department, has taken over as the Department's Energy Conservation Program Manager. Within the Office of Policy, Management and Budget, additional staff support and expertise on green building topics will continue to be provided by the Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance and the National Business Center.

As you know, I have a keen interest in sustainable design and life-cycle performance. I anticipate that with this newly assembled team we will be able to reinvigorate our work in this area.

Sincerely,

P. Lynn Scarlett
Assistant Secretary – Policy, Management and Budget

cc: Dan Wenk, Manager, Denver Service Center, National Park Service
Willie R. Taylor, Director, Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance
Doug Bourgeois, Director, National Business Center