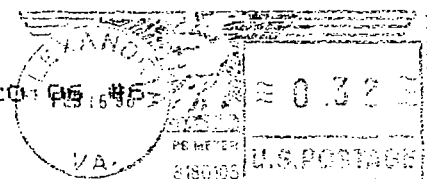


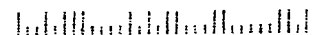


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Dear Ms. Bowyer:

Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) is a membership organization with a membership base of over 3,500 coalitions representing a diverse group of people including grass roots coalitions, educators, law enforcement, drug demand reduction coordinators and many others who participate in the fight against substance abuse and related violence.

Per your request I have enclosed two (2) photographs depicting activities typical of the work being done by coalitions in communities across the country. One photograph was taken at a neighborhood graffiti paint-out where volunteers from the community work together to paint homes and businesses in at-risk neighborhoods. The second photograph was taken at the Project Freedom (a local anti-drug coalition) March and Rally held in Wichita, Kansas. The day long event informs and entertains over 5000 seventh grade students to encourage them to stay drug and alcohol free.

I hope these photographs will meet the needs of the publisher. CADCA is honored to have been mentioned in Mrs. Clinton's "It Takes a Village" and we look forward to working together to make our nation free of drugs and related violence.

Very truly yours,

James E. Copple
President & CEO

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