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September 13, 2022

Dr. Victoria Ramirez Director Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts 2510 Cantrell Road Little Rock, AR 72202

Dear Dr. Ramirez,

Enclosed is a letter to Warren Stephens which quotes your letter dated March 3, 2021, as well as Townsend Wolfe's letter of May 21, 1998.

Your letter negates the terms of my agreement of 1998.

2021 Letter from Dr. Ramirez

Anne Bartley

Enclosures:

1998 Letter from Townsend Wolfe

2021 Letter from Dr. Ramirez



May 21, 1998

Ms. Anne Bartley 3580 Clay Street San Francisco, CA 94118-1839

Dear Anne:

What a wonderful telephone conversation we had last week. I am truly delighted. Golly, I wish you would call more often!!

I received your letter and fax reconfirming our conversation with the understanding that you are pledging \$100,000 to be paid over the next five years. In addition, \$500,000 would be designated in your will for The Arkansas Arts Center's Jeannette Edris Rockefeller Permanent Collection Gallery. I will be happy to work with both you and Bruce about selecting a picture of your mother as well as a narrative describing her role in the development of the AAC. I hope you will give a great deal of participation in both areas.

Your note regarding the change of the name of the AAC is in agreement with my desires as well. There has been no discussion in changing the name at this time.

Once again, many many thanks for this wonderful gift. I look forward to working with you and Bruce in any way possible to honor your mother.

Wishing you the very best.

Sincerely,

Townsend Wolfe
Director and Chief Curator

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March 3, 2021

Ms. Anne Bartley 3580 Clay St San Francisco, CA 94118-1839

Dear Ms. Bartley,

Recently, we announced the exciting news that the Arkansas Arts Center has officially become the Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts (AMFA). The institution's new identity is a promise for the future and honors the past. The new name continues to underscore our commitment to the state of Arkansas while "Museum of Fine Arts" is carved in the original Art Deco façade from 1937, an historical feature that has been restored and will be revealed once again as the new museum's north entrance.

In keeping with acknowledging our legacy, we believe it is important to recognize the individuals who brought us to the strong place we stand today. As such, I am reaching out because in the new building we will be honoring patrons who had named spaces in the previous building. We are creating a special plaque that will be displayed in the new AMFA. The plaque will have the following introduction:

A History of Giving. We thank these important patrons who had named spaces in the Arkansas Arts Center. We offer our sincere gratitude to the following for their leadership and generosity

We plan to honor your mother's previously named space with the following listing on this special plaque:

Jeannette Edris Rockefeller

Should you have any questions about this recognition, or the project to establish the new Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts, please contact Alysia Carter, Development Operations Manager, at (501) 396-0355 or acarter@arkmfa.org. You may also reach me directly at (501) 590-9792 or vramirez@arkmfa.org.

If you travel to Little Rock, I would very much welcome the opportunity to tour you through the site, so you can see this amazing transformation first-hand. Designed by renowned architecture practice Studio Gang and landscape architecture firm SCAPE, the new AMFA will be a beacon for Little Rock and recognized on the architectural and art world stages. The project is transformational for our city and state, as it will provide children, adults, and families throughout our community with exhibitions, classes, performances, programs, and special events in a 137,000 square foot, world-class facility on 13 acres of beautiful grounds. The new museum will also attract visitors from throughout the state, region, and nation.

Thank you again, and I look forward to the possibility of celebrating the opening of the new Arkansas Museum of Fine Arts with you in 2022!

Sincerely,

Dr. Victoria Ramirez Executive Director