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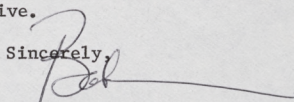
Dear Laura:

On behalf of Robert B. Yegge, Chairman and the ten members of the Colorado Council on the Arts and Humanities, I wish to inform you of your selection by the Council as one of the three 1977 recipients for the Colorado Governor's Award for Arts and Humanities. This award will be given in recognition of your outstanding contribution to the growth and preservation of the arts and humanities of our state. More particularly your individual impact into the creative aspect of the American culture goes beyond our state border and has had a lasting effect on the growth and success of arts activities over the past years. The Colorado Governor's Award was instituted by the Colorado Council in 1969 and now claims among its recipients some of America's outstanding artists, patrons, administrators and volunteers.

We will look forward to your being able to join us on the evening of September 9, 1977 for a banquet and awards ceremony at the new home of the Colorado Council, the Grant-Humphreys Mansion, 770 Pennsylvania Street in Denver. Governor Lamm will continue the tradition by making the presentation to you that evening. You will also be honored at a reception for all those past award winners and Council members. We trust you will look with favor upon your selection by the Colorado Council and will honor us with your attendance at the award ceremony and banquet.

Judith Wray, Director of the Community Development Program of the Council will be contacting you shortly regarding further details necessary for the ceremony. The public announcement of your selection will be made from our office later on in the summer. There will be an effort made to inform your friends and associates of this event enabling them to attend and join us in honoring you. Congratulations once again on being selected for this very distinguished honor. I am looking forward to joining with the Council, staff and your many friends on September 9th in saying thanks to you for your unending contribution to those aspects of the quality of life that makes us all happy to be alive.

Sincerely,

  
Robert N. Sheets  
Executive Director

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