

# FRIENDS OF THE EARTH FOUNDATION

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Dear Eliot:

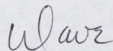
At the present moment in FOE's brief history I, feel as if I were riding a Grand Canyon dory through Lava Falls, expected to steer without any oar at hand.

The press has done fairly well in its coverage of these unhappy moments, but there have been a good many errors, some of them arising in-house.

The enclosures will let you know how it looks from where I sit.

I hope you can bear with us through all this. FOE needs your help as much as ever, to say the least. And so, by the way, does our forthcoming Fate of the Earth Conference-- "our" meaning that FOE is one of the most important endorsers, and initiated the idea.

Sincerely,



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Chairman