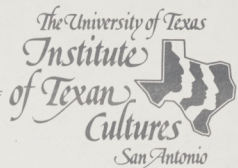


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Dear Stuart:

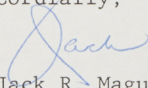
When months went by and we didn't have any additional word from you or Marilyn Maxwell, we decided that you no longer were interested in talking with us about having your exhibit of bird paintings at The Institute of Texan Cultures. As a result, we went ahead with plans for our rotating exhibits and we're now booked into 1986.

As a part of the Sesquicentennial, we intend to mount a very large exhibit on the history of Aviation in Texas, thanks to a grant from Southwest Airlines. We're not sure yet exactly how long this particular exhibit will be on display, but it could very well be throughout the Sesquicentennial year.

To obtain official recognition for your project from the Sesquicentennial Commission, you need to address a letter to Randy Lee, Executive Director, Texas 1986 Sesquicentennial Commission, P. O. Box 1986, Austin 78767, and outline your project in detail. I don't know how the exhibit of the paintings could be given the use of the Sesquicentennial logo, but the book certainly would be a possibility. If I can help in any way, please let me know.

I am sorry that we got off the track about planning the exhibition of your wonderful paintings, but I don't think that there is any way that we could do it now or even consider it before 1987.

Cordially,


Jack R. Maguire
Executive Director

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