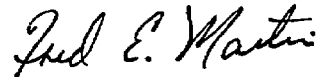


Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention and for allowing us the opportunity to be of service to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Fred E. Martin".

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