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May 27, 1960

Mr. Harold H. Beane
Chairman of Program Committee
Iowa State Soil Conservation Day
and Plowing Matches
Guthrie Center, Iowa

Dear Mr. Beane:

This will acknowledge your letter of May 24 with your very kind invitation to the Republican Presidential nominee to come to Guthrie Center, Iowa, to appear on the program of the Iowa Soil Conservation Day and Plowing Matches on September 16.

As you have probably surmised, a number of invitations to appear at similar functions throughout the Midwest have been extended to our Presidential nominee. I am sure he would want to stop in Iowa. Please be assured we shall be very happy to bring your invitation to the attention of our nominee after the Convention in July.

Sincerely yours,

Thruston B. Morton

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OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

June 8, 1960

Dear Ben:

This is just a note to thank you for writing as you did on June 1 concerning the letter you received from Mr. Harold H. Beane, Program Chairman for the Iowa Conservation Field Day and Plowing Match to be held near Guthrie Center on September 16.

As you know from my letter to the Honorable Sam Robinson, I am holding the invitation to attend this important program in a pending status, with the understanding that I shall contact Mr. Robinson if it is possible to arrange to be in Guthrie Center on September 16. However, in the event this appearance cannot be worked into my September schedule, I am sure you will understand that it will be only because of the many complexities involved in planning my campaign itinerary.

I would appreciate it if you would convey my thanks to Mr. Beane for his interest, and assure him that I shall give every consideration to this invitation.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Dick", with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

Richard Nixon

The Honorable Ben F. Jensen
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.