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Dear Sir:

I am currently conducting an oral history project that is designed to interview gentlemen that served in the Civilian Conservation Corps during the 1930's and early 1940's. As of today, I have talked with 56 gentlemen who served in the CCC when it started in 1933 and when it ended in the summer of 1942. I have talked with gentlemen that served at camps here in the state near thier homes and other gentlemen that served in distant camps in California, Florida, Nevada, New Jersey, New York and Mississippi. Each gentleman that I have talked with has taught me something about the CCC that will help me to write a comprehensive history of the CCC's activities. It is an important history that needs to be written.

The primary purpose of this letter is to make contact with you and invite you to participate in the project. In the next few days I will be getting in touch with you to set up a time that is convient with you to sit down and talk with you about your experiences while you were in the CCC. I look forward to talking with you in the near future.

The secondary purpose of the letter is to provide you with some information about the project. I am enclosing a list of questions covering different areas of CCC operations that I have been asking the gentlemen I have interviewed. If you have any questions about the project or the the subjects to be covered feel free to get in touch with me at the following phone numbers:

Home: 318-352-0623
Work: 318-628-4664

Sincerely yours,


Tim Phillips

PS: If you have your discharge, photographs or other memorabilia from when you were in the CCC I would like to see them.