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Honorable Senator Deb Fischer
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Honorable Senator Pete Ricketts
139 Russell Senate Office Building
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Honorable Congressman Adrian Smith
502 Cannon HOB
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Senators Fischer and Ricketts and Congressman Smith,

First, we'd like to Thank You for championing our efforts to transfer the land of the concessions area of The Good Life Marina, Lake View Lodge, and the privately owned cabins on Swanson Reservoir to Hitchcock County. The land transfer is heavily supported by all local businesses and residents as they understand that losing the residents of these areas would have a detrimental effect on the local economy. These areas have been in place and operating for decades allowing residents to build businesses and support families, not to mention the tax dollars Hitchcock County relies on for this small community.

We are confident we are more than capable of managing these areas for the public and truly believe we can do a better job of management on the local level of government as it involves and affects our local communities.

Thank you again for working for the people of Southwest Nebraska.

Respectfully,

Hitchcock County Chairman Board of Commissioners,

By: Paul Nichols