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Mr. Joseph M. Hendrie, Chairman
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
1717 H. Street N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Hendrie:

I am asking for a day of your time in June to participate in a conference designed to help develop strategies to guide the region's policies through the next decade.

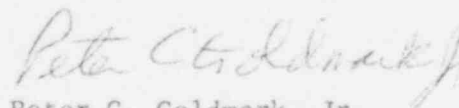
We are not calling the usual kind of conference. Indeed, we are convening a congress of regional leadership. Limited to 500 attendees -- the Congress for Regional Recovery is scheduled for June 21, 1979 at the New York Hilton Hotel. The congress will be comprised of intensive work and plenary sessions designed to result in specific recommendations and a unified regional course of action.

We have invited Vice President Walter Mondale, and other important public officials to address the congress.

To assure our own role, I established a Port Authority Committee on the Future about a year ago, to look at the many issues which confront our region. It is our hope that this effort will help to focus public attention on some of these critical issues. It is apparent from this study that there is a need to develop a regional methodology to address the issues important to the region's future. While I know you are quite busy, I believe this mission is vital to the well-being of this region.

Please select the topic which interests you most and mail your response back as soon as possible. Workshop papers will follow.

Sincerely,



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