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Dear Bill:

I am sorry our meeting was cancelled yesterday morning. I've had second thoughts about it. My purpose was not to toot my horn, or the work in our program, but rather to call attention to a larger issue. I have presented this to the Administration last year and to the Legislators last week. The ratio of School of Public Health monies brought into the state versus its state support is unique on campus. In addition, the School has important outreach research and program activities, all of which are very positive for the image of the School and the University.

I guess then that I would prefer you contact Dean Stauffer if your office is seriously interested in an accounting of these activities. He would be happy to respond to any details.

I am enclosing my presentation to the Health Policy and Appropriations Committee of the Minnesota Legislature arranged by Vice President Kegler last week, explaining some of those activities. The Minnesota Heart Health Program was also referred to in President Magrath's January Tribune article.

Cordially,

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Enclosure - attached & LPH Mission and Legislative Presentation

pc. Dean Stauffer

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