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April 24, 1953.

Professor A. S. Parks
Social Science Division
Florida A & M College
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Professor Parks:

The Executive Committee of the Joint Council on Economic Education has approved a grant of \$1,000 to Florida A & M College as a grant in aid for your Workshop on Economic Education. This is a grant to enable you to offer fellowships to key teachers in the state of Florida in order that you may encourage the highest level of participation.

The check will be forwarded June 1st. Please notify me as to how it should be made out and to whom it should be sent. If you prefer, we can keep it on deposit here and make payments from this fund as directed by you or the college.

Cordially yours,

G. Derwood Baker
Director

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May 11, 1953

Dr. George W. Gore
President
Florida Agricultural and
Mechanical College
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear President Gore:

The Executive Committee of the Joint Council has authorized a grant of \$1,000 for the Scholarship Fund of your Workshop on Economic Education. We appreciate the leadership which your Institute is exercising in the improvement of economic education in the public schools and are pleased to have a part in strengthening the program.

The Executive Committee wishes me to inform you that this is a special one-year grant and that we can give no assurance that it will be available in future years. However, we would like to work with you in seeking support for this project from the State Legislature and from private sources within the state or from foundations of a national character.

I plan to participate in the opening sessions of the Workshop and trust that I shall have the opportunity of talking with you about the future of the program.

Sincerely yours,

G. Derwood Baker
Director

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cc:- Professor A. S. Parks

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January 8, 1954.

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Mr. George W. Gore, President
Florida A & M College
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear President Gore:

With 1954 on us, naturally my thoughts turn to the Workshop program for this summer. I want you to know how much we appreciate the efforts that you and the members of your staff are making to provide a valuable service to many teachers in Florida. We have received a number of letters here in this office from your participants requesting materials from us, which obviously shows that they are trying to implement the experiences that they had in the Workshop in their own classroom work. If we were seeking for some measure of evaluation of your efforts, certainly this would be evidence for it. I know that your enthusiasm and the enthusiasm of Mr. Parks, Mr. Kidd and Mr. Austin has done much to stimulate this interest.

The Business Education Division of the Committee for Economic Development is most interested in the work that you are doing. They believe, as we do, that every effort should be made to continue the operation of these Workshops at Florida A & M College, Fisk University and Texas Southern University. It was this feeling, coupled with our own, that brought about the decision to make available to each of these schools some funds out of our own budget to carry on these Workshops. There is every indication that the same decision will be made this year.

We are also carrying on our investigations with various other groups interested in Negro education to see if it is possible to secure additional finances for the operation of these Workshops and I hope to have some information for you on this some time this spring.

I am sure that you have found that business men, labor and agricultural leaders and educators all over the State of Florida have a high degree of interest in this program, and I am sure that you can call on them for their personal support when it fits in with your planning.

No doubt your staff has been developing its plans for the 1954 Workshop and I would appreciate any information that might be available at this time regarding these plans.

We expect to be holding our usual spring conference for Workshop directors and we will let you know about this as soon as the date has been set.

Mr. George W. Gore
Florida A & M College

January 8, 1954.

Additional materials relating to the Workshop are being mailed out of this office in the near future to aid and assist your staff in their plans.

I do want to take this opportunity of wishing you a very Happy New Year.

Cordially yours,

G. Derwood Baker

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Director

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cc: Prof. A. S. Parks

January 26, 1954

Mr. H. M. Efferson
Dean of Administration
Florida A and M University
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Dean Efferson:

In response to your request concerning the status of the Economic-Resource Use Education Workshop for the summer of 1954, we are strongly in favor of, and highly recommend that the Workshop be scheduled during the first three weeks of the summer session.

We indorse this activity because of the many benefits that accrue to the participants and to the communities which they serve. It also provides the University added opportunity to extend its services to the community.

Respectfully yours,

/s/ J. W. Riley
J. W. Riley

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*Did you visit the letter
sent in connection with attached?*

January 26, 1954

Mr. G. Derwood Baker, Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
444 Madison Avenue
New York 22, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Baker:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 8, 1954. I am pleased to announce that our committee on Economic Education Workshop has recommended that we jointly sponsor an economic education workshop here this summer, and are drawing up tentative plans for its prosecution.

I take this opportunity to express appreciation for the University and its staff for the splendid assistance that you and the Joint Council has rendered in our two previous workshops, and we are eagerly expecting to continue this project, with your assistance, and support as you indicated.

February 4, 1954

Dr. G. Derwood Baker, Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
444 Madison Avenue
New York 22, New York

Dear Dr. Baker:

The University is at present considering plans for the 1954 summer session. I am quite sure that some consideration will be given to the matter of an Economic Education Workshop.

In view of our evolving program, it appears that we will not be able to put as much of the institution's funds into this program this summer as formerly. I do trust that your Council may be able to render more assistance to this worthy project.

I am

Yours very truly,

George W. Gore, Jr.

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CC Mr. A. S. Parks



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TELEPHONE: MURRAY HILL 8-2063

May 5, 1954

Dr. George W. Gore, Jr.
President
Florida A & M University
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear Dr. Gore:

Enclosed is our check for \$1,000 which is a special grant from the Joint Council on Economic Education in support of your Economic and Resource-Use Education Workshop Program this summer.

I should like to express my appreciation, and that of our Trustees, for the leadership which Florida A & M University has taken in this important field for educational development. I also want you to know how highly we regard Walter M. Austin as a teacher and workshop director.

It is my sincere hope that other means of financing this program can be developed for I think it highly improbable that the Joint Council will be able to continue its direct financial assistance.

Cordially yours,

G. Derwood Baker
Director

Enclosure (ck)

cc: Walter M. Austin

EXHIBIT COMMITTEE

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May 10, 1954

Dr. G. Derwood Baker, Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
144 Madison Avenue
New York 22, New York

Dear Dr. Baker:

Allow me to thank you for a check for \$1,000 as a special grant from the Joint Council on Economic Education in support of our Economic and Resource-Use Education Workshop Program. I shall confer with Mr. Austin concerning the matter, and we will give you an account concerning the grant and the Workshop.

I am

Yours very truly,

George W. Gore, Jr.

GWGjr/gle

cc: Mr. Walter Austin
Mr. J R E Lee, Jr.

May 11, 1954

Mr. J R E Lee, Jr.
Florida A and M University
Campus

Dear Mr. Lee:

I am enclosing herewith check No. 2876 in the amount of \$1,000.00 from the Joint Council on Economic Education as a special grant in support of our Economic and Resource-Use Education Workshop Program for the summer 1954.

Yours very truly,

George W. Gore, Jr.

GWGjr/gle

Enclosures (3)

September 28, 1954

Dr. G. Derwood Baker, Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
2 West 46th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Dr. Baker:

Florida A and M University is very pleased to be associated with the Joint Council on Economic Education. We plan to go forward each summer with the workshop in this field.

Mr. Walter M. Austin is chairman of our group and will keep you informed of our plans.

Yours very truly,

George W. Core, Jr.

CWGjr/gle

cc: Mr. Walter M Austin
Mr. A L Kidd

March 26, 1955

Mr. M. L. Frankel, Associate Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
2 West 46 Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Mr. Frankel:

Allow me to thank you for your letter of March 16 with respect to our Summer Workshop. Plans are going forward for this activity, and we are expecting it to be bigger and better.

I am

Yours very truly,

George W. Gore, Jr.

GWGjr/gle



Joint Council on Economic Education

2 WEST 46 STREET, NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

TELEPHONE: JUDSON 2-5150

April 26, 1955.

President George W. Gore, Jr.
Florida A & M University
Tallahassee, Florida

Dear President Gore:

Enclosed is a check for \$1,000.00 made out to Florida A & M University, representative of the final contribution of the Joint Council on Economic Education to the summer workshop on economic education to be held on your campus this year.

We have been particularly pleased with the wonderful work which Professor Walter Austin has been able to carry on during this past school year. We look forward to working closely with Professor Riley in his plans for this summer.

Professor Austin has informed us that this will be the last year that any financial subsidy will be required from the Joint Council on Economic Education. I am sure that his efforts in organizing county groups will produce dividends in terms of a continued support for your program.

Cordially yours,

M. L. Frankel
Associate Director

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April 28, 1955

Mr. M. L. Frankel, Associate Director
Joint Council on Economic Education
2 West 46th Street
New York 36, New York

Dear Mr. Frankel:

Allow me to acknowledge receipt and express appreciation to you for a check for \$1,000.00 to assist Florida A. & M. University with the summer workshop on Economic Education.

Each year this workshop is a high point of our summer session, and we are looking forward to continuing the association with you and your office.

I am

Yours very truly,

George W. Gore, Jr.

GWG:C

CC Mr. Walter Austin
Mr. John Riley

*Letter & check
to Mrs. Lee 4/28/55
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