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Seattle, December 6, 1909

To the Honorable City Council

of the City of Seattle.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith a communication received today from Mr. George Russell, Custodian of the United States Government Building at the A-Y-P Exposition Grounds. This communication is self-explanatory, and it might be well for your Honorable Body to pass such resolution as in your judgment, is proper expressing the disposition of the City of Seattle, whether or no, the City will have use for the United States Government Building.

Very respectfully,

Mayor."

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UNITED STATES PUBLIC BUILDINGS. OFFICE OF CUSTODIAN.

U. S.C. H., C. H. & P. O. Bldg., Seattle, Wash., Dec. 6, 1909

Hon John F. Miller, Mayor,

City of Seattle, Wash.

Sir:

The United States Marshal has made the request that certain portions of the Government Buildings at the Fair be turned over to his Department. The Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department at Washington informs me that consideration will not be given to the request of the Marshal until it is determined whether the buildings are to be taken over by either the Exposition authorities, City or State government. Will you kindly inform me at your earliest convenience whether you desire to make application for any of these buildings.

Very respectfully,

George & Russiee

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Custodian.