August 27, 1990

Mr. Bill R. Phillips  
Deputy Director  
U. S. Office of Personnel Management  
Washington, D. C. 20415  

Dear Mr. Phillips:

As you are probably aware, Ms. Constance Berry Newman, Director of the Office of Personnel Management, recently announced the establishment of the Alamo Federal Executive Board in San Antonio. This is the first new Board to be chartered in fourteen years and it has conferred on the State of Texas the unique distinction of being the only state in the union with three Federal Executive Boards within its borders, the others—being Dallas-Fort Worth and Houston.

With the addition of San Antonio, there are a total of twenty-seven FEBs nationwide. Established by direction of the President in order to strengthen the management and administration of Federal activities in selected metropolitan centers, FEBs include the widest possible representation of Federal agencies in a community, from Defense to Agriculture, Treasury to Veterans Affairs, and Postal Service to Justice. Local agency heads serve on the FEB and collectively act as a board of directors to consider governmentwide management opportunities and interagency cooperation with an objective of improved coordination and cost reductions of a variety of programs.

On behalf of the over 75,000 civilian and military members of the Federal community in San Antonio, I cordially invite you to preside over the official inauguration of the Alamo Federal Executive Board. The date of the ceremony is tentatively set for October 26, 1990. I sincerely hope that you will be able to officiate in San Antonio at this important event.

Sincerely,

Jose R. Coronado, FACHE  
Chairman
April 19, 1990

Mr. Jose R. Coronado
Chairman
The Alamo Federal Executive Board
8610 Broadway, Suite 305
San Antonio, TX 78217

Dear Mr. Coronado:

It is a great pleasure to inform you that the establishment of the Alamo Federal Executive Board has been formally approved effective immediately. This charter is granted pursuant to a Presidential directive and under the authority of the Executive Office of the President which transferred responsibility for Federal Executive Board functions to the Office of Personnel Management.

As you are well aware, Federal Executive Boards are organized and operated to achieve better interagency coordination of Federal activities and to improve communications between Government officials in Washington and in the field. The Boards are composed of the highest local officials of each Federal agency in those selected and approved metropolitan areas. With the addition of the Alamo Federal Executive Board, there are now twenty-seven Boards throughout the country.

San Antonio, with its 75,000 Federal civilian and military members, represents the largest concentration of Federal employees of any Board city. I believe, therefore, that the Alamo Federal Executive Board will prove to be a significantly positive element in addressing governmentwide management opportunities and interagency cooperation with an objective of improved coordination and cost reductions of a variety of programs. On behalf of the President, please accept my best wishes for every success in future years.

Sincerely,

Constance Berry Newman
Director