within the Clinton Administration. This could be facilitated through the establishment of a national tribal political action committee.

We will be contacting each invitee to solicit his or her views and recommendations regarding these issues and any other suggestions he or she may have regarding joint tribal economic development strategies. We will also take the liberty of preparing a discussion outline based upon your input. It will be made available to you at the meeting. On our tribe's behalf, the team of Richard Trudell, Alan Parker and Chris McNeil will be working on this project together to gather information and develop the analysis. They will make the initial calls to you concerning this meeting.

As the host of the meeting, the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Council will provide you with a complementary room and meals at the Foxwoods Resort Hotel. The meeting will be preceded by a tour of our gaming operation and Community Center and a dinner on May 17, 1994 at 7:00 PM. If you are able to accept this invitation, please notify Jani Cummings, Assistant to the President at the Foxwoods Resort of your acceptance or decline of this invitation at (203) 885-3340. Please also fax your flight itinerary to both Ms. Cummings at (203) 885-3105 and to my secretary, Simone Herritt at (203) 572-0421. Jani will be pleased to assist you with your lodging accommodations at Foxwoods. I am of course available to discuss this meeting at (203) 572-6124. We will distribute both a proposed agenda and participant list after we know who will be coming to the meeting.

Each of you, as tribal leaders, has taken substantial risks to achieve what you have already accomplished for your tribe. Because of your leadership and accomplishments, you have a tremendous wealth of business and political experience which could be marshaled in a way which could benefit each tribe and future generations of our people. On behalf of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Council, I want to express my appreciation for your interest in this historic endeavor.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Hayward
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