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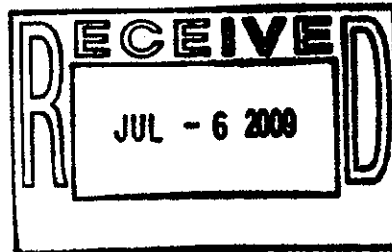
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Wendell W. Young, IV, President
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Dear Wendell,

Thank you for your letter expressing your dismay over the lack of a contract for the men and women employed at Acme Markets in Philadelphia and the suburbs.

I have to tell you that I am not a supporter of Acme markets for a number of reasons. First, I believe that they are not worker friendly as is displayed by their lack of cooperation on the contract issue. Secondly, they have left almost all of the inner city neighborhoods and their outreach is almost zero. Acme left my district to move down and across the street to the Main Line. Noticeably out of the city but close enough to be reached by the bus line and, as a result, close enough to attract those living in my district who have no other choice.

I believe they want to be seen as being inner city friendly all the while paying taxes to the Main Line area and to the benefit of those living in the Main Line.

Please let me know what you need me to do to help. I am only a phone call away.

Sincerely yours,

Louise Williams Bishop

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