



December 29, 1983

Dear Mr. Barker,

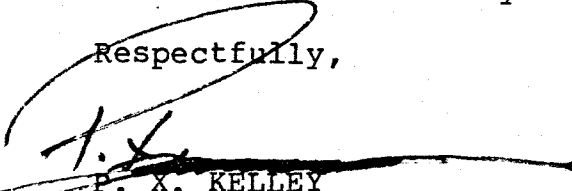
Thank you for the information regarding the Korean War Memorial and your attempt to organize a sponsoring committee in Colorado.

An appropriate memorial to the many servicemen who gave their lives to preserve freedom in that conflict is justly deserved and long overdue.

We are pleased to be invited to participate on your committee, and First Lieutenant James Shannon of our Recruiting Station in Denver has agreed to serve. Please feel free to contact him at Room 133, Customs House, 721 19th Street, Denver, Colorado 80202, telephone number (202) 837-4114.

Please accept my best wishes for the success of your venture.

Respectfully,


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