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July 2, 2009

Mr. James Owston
Mountain State University
PO Box 9083
Beckley, WV 25801

Dear Mr. *Jim* Owston:

I am writing to personally congratulate you on all your accolades for your recent research on higher education in West Virginia. I applaud your recognition from the Council for the Advancement of Education and the American Association of University Administrators. You are to be commended for all your hard work and the distinction it brings to our state. I look forward to hearing of your continued success.

I wish you good fortune in all your future endeavors. Please feel free to call upon me anytime that I may be of assistance to you in any way.

With warm regards, I am

Sincerely,

NICK J. RAHALL, II
Member of Congress

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*Great work you do, Jim,
Nick*



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July 15, 2009

Mr. James Owston
PO Box 9003
Beckley, WV 25801

Dear Mr. *Jim* Owston:

I am writing to personally congratulate you on receiving the Alice L. Beeman Dissertation Award. Your research has significantly benefited the field of higher education and deserves to be commended. I look forward to hearing of your continued success.

Please feel free to call upon me anytime that I may be of assistance to you in any way.

With warm regards, I am

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nick Rahall".

NICK J. RAHALL, II
Member of Congress

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Great job,
Nick