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August 15, 2008

Dear Steve:

I am writing to grant you permission to conduct research on property along Allen Creek, per the information you submitted via email on 7/2/08 and per the methods described in your proposal, "A thermal remote sensing tool for mapping spring and diffuse groundwater discharge to streams."

The following statement will serve as landowner approval for the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA):

The Friends of Allen Creek Watershed, in conjunction with multiple Fort Atkinson landowners, give the University of Wisconsin, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering permission to conduct flight operations from this land. We understand that they will be using remote controlled aircraft (an unmanned aerial vehicle) to collect imagery of the site. Flight operations will include taking off from, flying over, and landing on our property. The data collected will be used to monitor groundwater discharge to the stream.

Individual permission was obtained from the following three landowners at the indicated date and time,

[Redacted]

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Exemption 6

[Redacted]

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This permission is granted for calendar years 2008 and 2009. Please contact Friends of Allen Creek Watershed to let us know when you plan to perform flight operations.

Sincerely,

Andy Selle, Friends of Allen Creek Watershed

Cc:

Peter Jacobs, Friends of Allen Creek Watershed, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater
Dale and Kim Karrow, Friends of Allen Creek Watershed
Richard Deitchman, University of Wisconsin-Madison