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January 19, 2011

Michelle Gonsalves  
Loiederman Soltesz Assoc. Inc.  
2 Research Pl., Suite 100  
Rockville, MD 20850

**RE: Environmental Review for 9800 Medical Center Dr., Rockville, Montgomery County, MD.**

Dear Ms. Gonsalves:

The Wildlife and Heritage Service has determined that there are no State or Federal records for rare, threatened or endangered species within the boundaries of the project site as delineated. As a result, we have no specific comments or requirements pertaining to protection measures at this time. This statement should not be interpreted however as meaning that rare, threatened or endangered species are not in fact present. If appropriate habitat is available, certain species could be present without documentation because adequate surveys have not been conducted.

Thank you for allowing us the opportunity to review this project. If you should have any further questions regarding this information, please contact me at (410) 260-8573.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lori A. Byrne".

Lori A. Byrne,  
Environmental Review Coordinator  
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MD Dept. of Natural Resources

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