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Rep. John N. (Happy) Camp  
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Dear Sir:

By expressing our thoughts on the current political situation, we hope to join with many others who wish to help members of Congress form a clearer perception of the true sentiments and desires of "middle class" citizens who form a majority of the voters of this nation.

Entirely too much time and money have been lavished on the "Watergate Affair" to the neglect of more important business. We have doubts about the real motives for these extensive investigations of the administration. Are they truly patriotic with the best interests of our country at heart rather than selfish partisan preoccupations? "Let him that is without sin among you cast the first stone."

Even more serious than the paralyzing of legislative matters at home is the detraction from our influence in world affairs. This is so vitally important in these critical times. Aren't we encouraging aggressive governments to be continually testing our strength or weakness in certain areas?

We feel that President Nixon beyond question has held the national interest of first importance at all times. Surely he is the most able president that we have had so far in the twentieth century. It is a shame that he has been so stymied in gaining his objectives by a hostile "Far Left" press and a politically negative Congress.

"A house divided against itself cannot stand." Let's work together for a better America.

Yours truly,

*Seba and Eloise West*

WATERGATE

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Mr. and Mrs. Seba E. West  
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Dear Friends:

I wish to thank you for your letter to me of November 10. You know, this is the only way I have of knowing how my constituents feel, and I am glad that you have expressed yourselves to me.

I, too, feel that we need to get the Watergate incident behind us and get on with the work of the Congress. That is what we were elected for. We have had too much distraction in the last five or six months, and this distraction has caused us not to spend the time that we should on the important business of the nation.

We feel that Mr. Nixon's plus side far outshadows his minus side, and I agree with you that what we all need to do is work for a better America.

Sincerely,

Happy Camp  
Member of Congress

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