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**Mr. Joseph Thompson
Grants and Local Aid Manager
Virginia Department of Fire Programs
1005 Technology Park Drive
Glen Allen, VA 23059-4500**

**RE: Town of Farmville
Burn Building Alternate Site**

Dear Mr. Thompson:

As you are aware the Town of Farmville is moving forward and has been on schedule with our Burn Building Project. However, today some concerns came to our attention regarding the close proximity of the Burn Building to the Town's closed landfill.

The Town must move the building further away from this abandoned landfill. The Town is requesting approval from Virginia Department of Fire Programs to move the building to another site on the same road (Industrial Park Road) approximately .5 miles from the current site. This alternate Town-owned site was one of two (2) original sites initially considered by the Town. Enclosed is a site map.

To avoid any difficulties in the future, and to make sure state and local funds are spent judiciously, it is imperative that the Burn Building site be moved. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald J. Spates", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

**Gerald J. Spates
Town Manager**

GJS/cm

**cc: Walter Bailey, Chairman, VFSB
Bob Miner, Chairman, Burn Building Subcommittee, VDFP
Melvin Carter, Executive Director, VDFP
Christine Lopilato, Director of Finance, VDFP**

ENCLOSURE

Farmville Burn Building New Location

