August 9, 2002

Mr. Sam Allaire Virginia Department of Transportation 41 Lawson Road, SE. Leesburg, VA 20175

Dear Mr. Allaire,

The Loudoun Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) is writing this letter in support of Eric Ward's Eagle Scout project for Boy Scouts of America. Eric's project includes the marking of storm drains and the education of the residents of Lovettsville not to dump pollutants into storm drains.

The marking of storm drains and the education component of this project are highlights of the Loudoun SWCD Strategic Plan. Furthermore, the Loudoun SWCD will be sponsoring Eric's project with financial resources and educational materials.

Any support that your organization can give Eric with his Eagle Scout project will be greatly appreciated.

Please do not hesitate to call our office at 703/777-2075, ext. 103 for further information.

Sincerely,

Peter R. Holden District Liaison

cc: Eric Ward

Mayor Elaine Walker