THE ROUTE 74 ASSOCIATION Founded 1978

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Mr. David Warren, President Eagle Lake Association 9 N. Tappan Landing Road Tarrytownn, NY 10591

Dear Dave,

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You were missed at the annual meeting! I was very sorry to learn that your absence was dictated by eye trouble and I earnestly hope that everything is now being restored to normal.

You should have received by now the last newsletter which carried an account of the annual meeting. If you do not have it please let me know and I will see that another goes to you pronto.

You will recall my mentioning to you at our directors' meeting, prior to our get-together with Ed Reilly, the matter of the Eagle Lake Association's support of The Route 74 Association. We have received \$100 from the Schroon Lake Association, \$100 from the Paradox Lake Association and \$25 from the Eagle Lake Association. The Eagle Lake Association's \$25 contribution was a year ago by Bob Stevens who explained that that was the maximum he was authorized to give without specific approval of the directors. He also indicated, as I recall, that more was likely to be forthcoming after the directors had had an opportunity to take action. Has this been considered by the directors - or, if not, will they be considering it soon? We are gratified that The Route 74 Association has the support of the other related associations and we naturally would like to be able to state that the amount of support from each of the other associations indicates the full endorsement by each group of our objectives.

At the annual meeting of the Eagle Lake Association this last summer at which I was invited to appear by Bob Stevens there seemed to be general approval by the members of our aims. Our stated purpose is "to preserve the ecological, economic and aesthetic values of the area. This means that we will be concerned with more than the shape of Route 74. We will be concerned with the quality of the water in the lakes, with traffic on the lakes and other uses of the lake, and with the surrounding lands. Our immediate concern with the route itself has enabled us to form a strong organization that can act effectively with respect to other matters as wwll. We would earnestly hope, therefore, that the directors of the Eagle Lake Association will want to indi cate the Association's fullest support of our objectives.

cc - Robert C. Stevens

Sincerely/ Whitman Daniels President