THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES Department of Anthropology

October 1, 1971

Mr. Donald Crabtree Idaho State University Museum Pocatello, Idaho

Dear Mr. Crabtree:

I am writing on behalf of one of our graduate students in archaeology, Mr. Bruce Fullem. Mr. Fullem received his B.S. in geology and will receive his M.S. in anthropology in January. In 1969, Bruce received field training under the direction of Peter Miller; in 1970 and 1971, he participated in our multidisciplinary research project in the Aleutians under my direction and that of Dr. Robert F. Black (geology and geomorphology), and Dr. William S. Laughlin. Fullem was involved in field research in the Pleistocene and Recent geology and geomorphology of Umnak Island in 1970, and in archaeological investigations on Anangula and Umnak in 1970 and 1971. Currently he is analyzing more than 200 cores recovered by our team from the 8,500 B.P. unifacial, core and blade site on Anangula.

Fullem is interested in spending spring semester 1971-72 at the Idaho State Museum. He hopes to train with you, learning techniques of stone tool manufacture which will provide him with a powerful research tool in his further work. At the same time Bruce would enroll in the course in museology which the Museum offers.

If such a plan of study under your preceptorship is feasible--Fullem would be pleased to offer his services as a research associate to the museum staff as well--we would appreciate information on details relating to setting up such a training program. Fullem's references are available. I will provide more details on his work in our Aleutian project as you require.

Thank you for your time.

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cc: Bruce Fullem William S. Laughlin Sincerely,

Assistant Professor