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Mr. E. H. Rainwater, Chairman
1962 GSA Field Trip Committee
3737 Bellaire Boulevard
Houston, Texas

Dear Mr. Rainwater:

I have written to Dr. Stenzel asking whether we could use the topographic map of the Palestine Dome that appears in his Shell Company Guide Book to that area for our GSA Guide Book article to the Palestine Dome and Grand Saline Salt Domes. He has indicated to me that the original plates are still available and that it might be possible to persuade Shell to print enough copies to furnish all needs of the guide book. Would you please notify me how many copies of the guide book will be printed and if it is done this way, I would appreciate having the map the full page size so that we can print the geological map of the Palestine Dome on the opposite page so that they can be compared.

I had proposed to Dr. Zingula that a single index map from the new tectonic map of the United States would make an excellent index map for all field trips. This map could be a double page inside cover with the routes of the field trips superimposed. I have yet to begin drafting a regional index map for my part of the field trip guide book in the hope that this meets your approval. Would you please let me know whether I should prepare an index for my field trip.

Sincerely yours,

Bill

William R. Muehlberger
Associate Professor

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CC: Mr. R. P. Zingula
H. B. Stenzel