

such as the Hudson in New York. They are potentially the greatest single source of pleasure for those who live in most of our metropolitan areas."

I am convinced we can rise to the challenge presented by the President if all of us who are the chosen stewards and public trustees of the Potomac Valley will work and plan together.

As the President's representative in this effort I will hope to sit down with you and the members of your board in the near future to discuss ways and means of implementing this excellent concept. In the interim it would certainly be wise that action be suspended on any proposals that might adversely affect our joint purpose of making the Potomac a "conservation model" for the country.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd) Stewart L. Udall

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