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Mr. John Mansbridge,  
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Dear Mr. Mansbridge,

Thank you for your application dated February 25. I will submit this to the spring meeting of our Projects Committee, but I am rather concerned about the amount you are asking for - \$3,150, and you say "Unfortunately this is a fixed budget". Now, our grants normally range from around \$500 to a pretty well maximum figure of \$2,500, and the average grant in recent years has been of the order of \$1,500. In addition, we have an unusually high number of applications in for this spring, so I fear that a number of worthwhile projects will have to be rejected and many others will not receive the full amount they are seeking.

In these circumstances I think the Committee may feel that it would not be worthwhile to recommend a partial grant for you if it would not enable you to complete the project. Are there no other sources of funds to which you could look for support? I would be grateful if you could review the position during the next few weeks and if you could let me have some further comments by March 31 I could present the letter with your application to the Projects Committee which meets in early April.

Yours sincerely,

*D. Lukin Johnston*

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Secretary, Projects Committee.

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