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Dear Melissa,

Congratulations on being chosen as a recipient of the *2008 Governor's Service Award*. This award is presented to extraordinary West Virginia individuals, volunteer organizations and businesses who exemplify the spirit of community service and volunteerism. I commend you as a role model for West Virginia. You demonstrate what can be done in our communities when we work together.

I invite you and a guest to a banquet and awards ceremony, which will be held at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 16, 2008, at the Charleston Civic Center, as part of Faces of Leadership, the state's conference on volunteerism, national service, and service-learning.

Moya Doneghy of the West Virginia Commission for National and Community Service is the event coordinator and will contact you soon with information regarding arrangements. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Moya at 1-800-WV-HELPS.

Thank you for all you do for West Virginia.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Manchin III".

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