

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20852

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INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE

Honorable Carl Albert
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Thank you for your letter of September 30, 1974, supporting the establishment of an Indian Health Service clinic for the Seminole Nation of Oklahoma at Wewoka, Oklahoma.

The Indian Health Service has long identified the need for a health center in the Wewoka service area. As such, we support the including of this much needed clinic in our budget requests at the earliest our resource levels permit.

We appreciate your interest in and support of the health program for the Indian communities at Wewoka, Oklahoma.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Surgeon General

Director, Indian Health Service