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Mr. Behnam Dayanim
President
Kemp Mill Civic Association
11708 Stonington Place
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Dear Mr. Dayanim:

Thank you for calling me and also for your follow-up letter. I have reviewed it with our Real Estate department and as I commented to you on the telephone, we have no intentions at this time of closing our Kemp Mill Shopping Center Giant store. The store has been an integral part of the community since 1969 and has also undergone a number of remodels.

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. We wish you our best and we look forward to being a part of the Kemp Mill community for many more years!

Sincerely,


Barry F. Scher

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