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Dear Ms. Seastrand *Andrea*

It was a pleasure to visit with you and members of the California Space Authority (CSA) and receive an update on your many initiatives to enhance space education, science and technology and encourage public awareness of space. CSA's broad strategic planning to improve national space capabilities is truly remarkable.

As you know, space education and training is an area of special emphasis for Air Force Space Command and we continually strive to bring the space story to the American public. Your commendable Project 66 Alpha concept has the potential to greatly facilitate these efforts and benefit our nation. We appreciate your innovation and ongoing support.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "LW Lord", is written over a horizontal line.

LANCE W. LORD
General, USAF