

Ms. Rosemarie Rossetti Universal Design Living Laboratory 1008 Eastchester Drive Columbus, OH 43230-6230 August 17, 2006

Dear Rosemarie,

I am very pleased to act as the sponsor of the landscape portion of the Universal Design Living Laboratory.

The landscape that I design and install will provide you with interest and beauty through each season of the year. By utilizing the principles of Universal Design, this garden will serve as a model for gardens of the future.

The tenet of Universal Design benefits all people- regardless of age or ability. Most significantly, Universal Design influences the way in which Landscape Architects view and use outdoor living space. From the design of the walkways to the groupings of the plants to the water garden, your landscape will be designed to maximize views, create beauty, and provide you with unfettered access to your property.

Landscaping is the final outdoor touch that can be added to any home. The design of your landscape will compliment your home's architecture and will provide you with areas to entertain, reflect, and relax for many years to come.

I look forward to working with you through the duration of the project.

Sincerely,

Bill Gerhardt, ASLA

President