



The Phillips Collection

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Keith Crown
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Dear Mr. Crown:

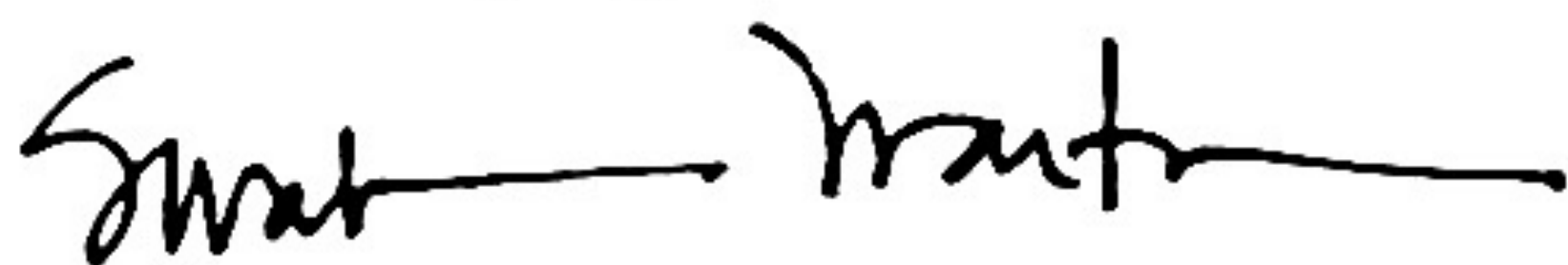
Ms. Cindy Taylor of the L.A. Municipal Art Gallery has recently informed us here at The Phillips Collection of a title change in your painting currently on loan to L.A. She explains that the title is Soybean Field with Grain Elevator III rather than Midwestern Illinois Lands.

We would be happy to submit the work for a title change, but since the procedure is a rather formal and involved one, would you please be so kind as to provide us with an explanation for our files. As Ms. Taylor explained it to me, this work was part of a series and you wanted the title to reflect that.

Let me assure you that there is no problem involved with such a change, it is only that we need to follow a curatorial procedure to prevent casual changes in titles and to document any changes which do occur in our records.

I look forward to hearing from you in the future, and should you have any questions regarding this matter please feel free to contact me directly.

Sincerely yours,



Sarah Martin
Research Curator for the Collection