UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY

April 1, 2010

Dear Dr. Chuck Allison,

I am delighted to invite you to join with me in celebrating Utah Valley University's 69th Commencement Ceremony on April 30, 2010. This is a significant day in our history, as we will honor the first master-degree graduates at Utah's newest university. Larry Echo Hawk, Assistant Secretary of the Interior and head of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, will be the commencement speaker. As part of our ceremonies we will award honorary doctorate degrees to Larry Echo Hawk, and local business entrepreneurs and dedicated community advocates Miles and Mary Morris and Linda Walton. These individuals have contributed greatly to their fields and the success of our University. We are grateful for their contributions and willingness to be presented with these honors.

I would be pleased to have you and a guest join us for a luncheon honoring our valedictorians and honorary degree recipients. The luncheon will be held directly following the commencement ceremony at approximately noon in the Events Center, Presidential South Room (3rd floor). You are also invited to attend a breakfast that morning at 9 a.m. in Presidential South. We will robe there before attending the main commencement ceremonies at 10:30 a.m.

As an honored guest, you will be seated on the platform. Your guest will be escorted to seating in the VIP section for the commencement ceremony. If you are not planning on attending the breakfast, please meet at Presidential South no later than 10 a.m. to receive your regalia for the ceremonies and prepare for the processional. Parking will be available for you in lots U, T and N. The UVU shuttle will be in operation for your convenience. A parking map is enclosed.

Please respond to this invitation before Friday, April 16, by contacting Bonnie Andrus in University Marketing and Communications at (801) 863-8206 or bandrus@uvu.edu.

Sincerely,

Matthew S. Holland

President

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