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Dear Jonathan,

There are no words to express the depth of gratitude that we, the people of West Covina United Methodist Church, feel about the unbelievably stellar job you did in representing our interests. There is no other lawyer ANYWHERE who could have brought such a unique background in tower transmission standards, procedures and protocol to the table. Nor could there have been another lawyer who was more intent on seeing that our church was well represented and treated fairly.

As you worked on our behalf, you seemed to anticipate every turn in the road, and that gave us confidence to move forward in what, we originally thought, was going to be a losing battle. Your statement that “negotiations that end up in court represent a failure on the part of the attorneys” informed us that your straightforward, honest presentation of the facts done in a non-threatening manner would ultimately serve our best purpose. You were able to keep the negotiations upbeat and amiable, even when there was some doubt as to the intent of the other party involved.

I think probably the thing that best describes our feeling about you during this process was that you became our “security blanket”...always reassuring yet never promising what you couldn’t deliver. Indeed, you turned lemons into champagne!

We will forever be indebted to you for your kindness, your service, and your persistence. Because of you, the trustees of the church can take great pride in having made the most important decision in securing the future of the congregation...and that decision was discovering you!

May you find this year full of blessings and good wishes!

For the Trustees

Jim Hollifield