Mr. Rasenfeld Lincoln Trail Libraries System 1704 West Interstate Drive P. O. Box 3339 Country Fair Champaign, Illinois 61820 Director: Anthony Baldarotta Telephone: 217 352-0047 April 2, 1971 TO: Alphonse F. Trezza, Director Illinois State Library FROM: Anthony Baldarotta, Director Lincoln Trail Libraries System SUBJECT: Douglass Center Community Library Project I have been asked by the Joint Board of the Douglass Center Library Project to communicate with you in regard to extending the time limit of Phase I of this project. This request is based on two (2) factors. 1. Douglass Center Library has been opened for public service on a daily schedule for only a brief period of time. Time limitations of Phase I greatly restrict opportunities to plan, develop, and evaluate library service programs. 2. Without such an extension, funds allocated to library service programs for the black community would be lost. The Joint Board and I are ready to provide you with whatever additional information you may need to help you arrive at a favorable decision.