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Copy for Harold.

Dear Jo

The basic details of the course(s) I would like to teach through the Community Ed. programme this year are as follows;

1. Title: "The JFK Assassination -Fact and Mythology"  
A critical look at the main areas of evidence used by the Warren Commission in reaching its conclusions that Lee Harvey Oswald was the unaided sole assassin.
2. Times: Basic Course, 5 weeks starting Monday July 10 ending Monday August 14, 7.00pm to 9.30pm  
Advanced: 6 weeks starting Monday September 18 and ending Monday October 16, 7.00pm to 9.30pm

3. The advanced course will differ from the basic course in that it assumes a higher level of prior factual knowledge by students and will look more carefully at the investigations made by the Dallas Police, the FBI, Secret Service and the Commission staff. It is not expected students must have done the basic course first to undertake the advanced course. Other areas of study covered in the advanced course will include the responses of US government bureaucracy (including the Warren Commission itself) when faced by the crisis of the assassination of a president and the attitude of the news media to evidence of an official cover up. Both courses will attempt to put the assassination (and its investigation) into a context that touches on their historical, political, social and moral significance.

Both courses will involve study of original documents drawn from the published and unpublished records of the Warren Commission.

Yours faithfully

Dal McGuirk  
Transition Education

P.S. Lili has told me I need to ensure there is a "cost recovery" factor built into course costs. As I anticipate a relatively high number of photocopied sheets being handed out to students, certainly over 100 sheets per student, you may need to look at a surcharge for the course(s).