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Steven Novy, Acting Executive Director  
Department of Veterans Affairs  
Office of Labor Management Relations (LMR)  
810 Vermont Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20420

Subject: Office of Community Care, Care Coordination and Outcomes in the VA  
Expanded Choice Program

Dear Mr. Novy:

The National VA Council #53 does not give blank approval for survey, when the Department management officials cannot provide any information on the location where the survey will take place. Once NVAC is provided the location of this survey NVAC will relook at approving this survey. NVAC is not now approving this survey for AFGE VHA bargaining unit employees within the Department.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (217) 554-4866.

Sincerely,

Oscar L. Williams, Jr.  
Chairperson, Mid-Term Bargaining Committee  
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National VA Council #53

cc: Alma L. Lee, President National VA Council #53  
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