



Office of the Inspector General

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

May 21, 2018

The Honorable Donald S. Beyer, Jr.
Member, United States House
of Representatives
1119 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Beyer:

Thank you for your May 1, 2018 letter requesting my office review the circumstances and procedures the Social Security Administration (SSA) used in deciding to close the Arlington, Virginia field office.

Based on your request, we will do the following:

1. Identify and evaluate SSA's reasons for the field office closure.
2. Ascertain SSA's plans to mitigate any effects on individuals currently served by the field office.
3. Determine whether SSA followed its internal policies related to notifying your office and the public of the office closure.

We have notified SSA management that we will be conducting this review and have begun obtaining all relevant information related to your request.

If you have any questions, please call me or your staff may contact Walter Bayer, Congressional and Intragovernmental Liaison at (202) 358-6319.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gale Stallworth Stone".

Gale Stallworth Stone
Acting Inspector General

cc:
Commissioner of Social Security