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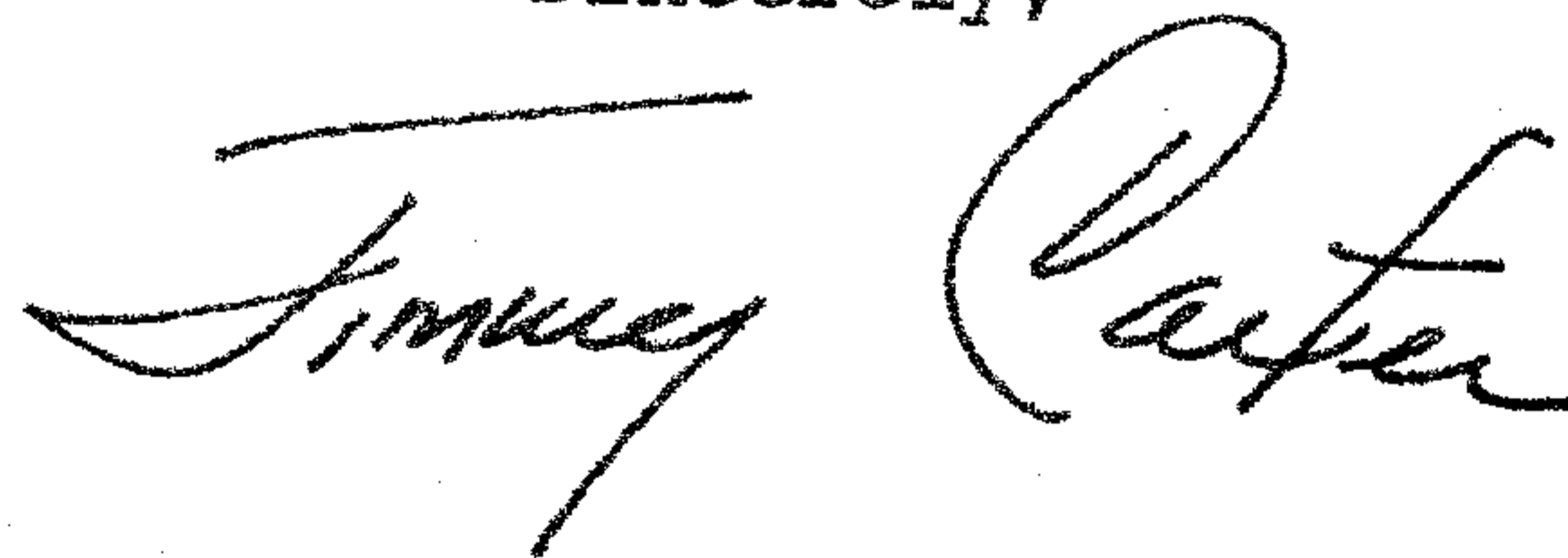
February 8, 1977

To the Civil Air Patrol
Bagpipe Band

I deeply appreciate your excellent participation in the 1977 inaugural parade. Your appearance helped make one of the finest parades ever, shared by hundreds of thousands in person and millions more by television.

You have helped to set an example of what we Americans can accomplish by sharing our talents and energies with each other. Many thanks.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jimmy Carter". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

Civil Air Patrol Bagpipe Band
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