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Dear Ms. Rivera,

I hope you will recall that I briefly introduced myself to you at the store on Monday. I am very interested in researching and writing about the life of Marsha P. Johnson and am very happy to know that you are willing to assist me in my research.

I am finishing up my doctorate in American history at the CUNY Graduate School and plan to begin the research on Marsha P. Johnson sometime in February. I am especially interested in Marsha's and your involvement in the post-Stonewall gay community through your founding of STAR and STAR House as well as all the other social and political activities the two of you participated in over the years.

I will be in touch with you in February.

Sincerely,

