



CITIZENS COINAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE
801 9TH STREET, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20220

April 22, 2024

The Honorable Janet Yellen
Secretary of the Treasury
Department of the Treasury
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20220

Dear Madam Secretary:

The Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee (CCAC) held a public meeting on April 17, 2024, during which they reviewed the candidate designs for the Janet Yellen Secretary of the Treasury Medal. As part of its bronze medal portfolio, the United States Mint has historically produced Secretary of the Treasury Medals to commemorate the Secretaries and their legacies. The medals typically feature portraits of the Secretary and the beginning dates of their terms. Reverse elements often include meaningful symbols, seals, and quotes. The United States Mint worked closely with you and your staff in development of a design portfolio.

Following a brief discussion, the CCAC unanimously approved a motion to recommended your preferred design candidates **JY-O-05** and **JY-R-04** for the obverse and reverse of the medal. However, the CCAC also recommends that the inscription on the reverse of the medal be reconfigured by the Mint to make clearer that you are the 78th Secretary, not the “78th United States”.

It is an honor to serve as the Chair of the CCAC and proud of the CCAC’s role in United States coins and medals.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter van Alfen". The signature is stylized and cursive, with a large initial "P" and "A".

Peter van Alfen, PhD, CCAC Chair