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Dear Committee,

I am writing this memo in support of Teo Doras' request for access to Backfiles of the Wiley Blackwell Biological Science holdings (<http://olabout.wiley.com/WileyCDA/Section/id-406091.html>). The list includes highly respected peer-reviewed journals that our students and faculty are referencing and citing in their work. We also contribute publications to some of these journals (Freshwater Biology, Marine Mammal Science, Marine Ecology, Molecular Ecology, etc.). Unfortunately, students and faculty members often run up against a lack of access to older papers and this hampers and slows research and writing in our research and academic programs. This is a very good list of journals and the library of any institution aspiring to reach new research goals should have access to these older issues without having to use interlibrary loan.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, which appears to read 'Nathan Dorn', followed by a small, stylized graphic of a plant or tree with several leaves.

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