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Dear Jeff,

Greetings in the Lord!

The American Baptist Churches of the Central Pacific Coast would like to formally invite our American Baptist sisters and brothers to our region for the 2027 ABCUSA Biennial Mission Summit. We had so much fun hosting you in 2017 in Portland that we wanted to do it again, this time further south in our region in Sacramento, California.

Of course, we are flexible on the date, but we are looking forward to being together in Puerto Rico in 2023, and we assume that a midwestern venue would be appropriate in 2025, so 2027 seemed the most likely for a return to the west coast. If you would like to accept our invitation, but propose a different year, please let us know.

We also don't want to be perceived as hogging all the fun, so if you would like to identify any of our neighboring regions to co-host this event with us, we would be happy to invite them to do so.

I look forward to conversations to answer any of the questions that you are sure to have.

Grace and Peace!



Steve Bils
Executive Minister