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I am a former Patent Examiner in the semiconductor fabrication arts and currently practice patent law in the Boise Idaho area. As a former examiner, I think Boise would be a fantastic place for a satellite office. Boise's low cost of living, short commute time, vibrant city life and proximity to a wealth of outdoor opportunities would provide Examiner's a fantastic place to live and work, making it easy to hire and retain employees. It is a short non-stop flight from Silicon Valley and other technology hubs in the West. Micron, HP and other Boise businesses would benefit greatly from easy access to the Patent Office.

I hope you will consider Boise as a potential cite for the next PTO.

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