Professional Issues Tutorial: Information Graphics

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Redesign this letter using the principles of information graphics described in Bret Victor's essay Magic Ink. Sketch the design, and explain its features. (Use the back of this page.)

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