

To: Stephen Ciccone (TMNA)[stephen.ciccone@toyota.com]
Cc: Hewitt, James[hewitt.james@epa.gov]; Hupp, Millan[hupp.millan@epa.gov]; Kim Rubin (TMNA)[kim.rubin@toyota.com]; McMurray, Forrest[mcmurray.forrest@epa.gov]; Tom Stricker (TMNA)[tom.stricker@toyota.com]; Scott Vazin (TMNA)[scott.vazin@toyota.com]; Graham, Amy[graham.amy@epa.gov]
From: Bennett, Tate
Sent: Thur 8/10/2017 3:08:01 PM
Subject: Re: Important Toyota visit -- press inquiry

Adding Amy

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 10, 2017, at 10:06 AM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) <stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

We just received an inquiry from a CBS news reporter in Dallas about the visit. We won't reply until the visit is over, at which point our plan is to share the quote we provided you for the press release. If you guys want us to handle differently, please let us know.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 10, 2017, at 4:57 PM, Hewitt, James <hewitt.james@epa.gov> wrote:

Hey Stephen, our draft is still going through some final revisions. I will be sure to send that to you once I have a finalized draft.

Thanks,

James

From: Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) [<mailto:stephen.ciccone@toyota.com>]
Sent: Thursday, August 10, 2017 10:51 AM
To: Hewitt, James <hewitt.james@epa.gov>
Cc: Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>; Hupp, Millan <hupp.millan@epa.gov>; Kim Rubin (TMNA) <kim.rubin@toyota.com>; McMurray, Forrest <mcmurray.forrest@epa.gov>; Tom Stricker (TMNA) <tom.stricker@toyota.com>; Scott Vazin (TMNA) <scott.vazin@toyota.com>
Subject: Re: Toyota visit -- need to finalize

Has the press release been finalized? I have not seen it.

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On Aug 9, 2017, at 12:36 AM, Hewitt, James <hewitt.james@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Stephen,

I think this should work. We will use this quote in a press release highlighting all the stops Administrator Pruitt makes during his visit to Texas. This quote will be included below the paragraph highlighting his tour of Toyota. I should have a draft of the release written by tomorrow afternoon that I can get in front of you before it's finalized.

Best,

James

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 8, 2017, at 6:13 PM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

Sure. Adding James

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 8, 2017, at 4:41 PM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA)
<stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

Tate,

Here is a draft quote. Could you please let us know if this works for you guys? We are open to revisions. Also, could you give us the context or the press release that you are planning?

Stephen

"We were pleased to show Administrator Pruitt our new headquarters in Plano, TX and to highlight the environmental sustainability aspects of the new facility. Toyota previously

announced it will invest \$10 billion over the next five years in the U. S., and the new headquarters is just one of those commitments to help grow American jobs.

We appreciate the opportunity to showcase our new Plano headquarters where we will soon have 4,000 team members working in a more collaborative way in order to better serve our customers."

On Aug 8, 2017, at 12:23 AM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

Just press after we leave. Not before

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2017, at 5:13 PM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) <stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

I thought you all did not want any press coverage? We are fine to develop a recommended quote, but I want to be sure that we are fully understanding. If you do want press, is this going to be a press release? Do you want a Toyota quote as well?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 7, 2017, at 6:46 PM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

Do you all mind providing us with a quote we can use for our press release after the meeting?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 2, 2017, at 4:49 PM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA)
<stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

We will hold off on food. My EA, Kim Rubin, copied here, will arrange the walk through. No problem.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 2, 2017, at 10:39 PM, Hupp, Millan
<hupp.millan@epa.gov> wrote:

Stephen -- good afternoon. This timeline and rough agenda looks great.

To Tate's point, the Administrator often will not eat at meetings but of course would take no offense to your bringing in lunch for the rest of the group. We shall leave that up to you.

My colleague Forrest, copied here, will travel into Dallas on Wednesday, the 9th and will likely reach out to you in hopes of scheduling a time to do a walk-through of the location.

Kindly let us know if there are any outstanding items we can address for you at this time. We look forward to meeting you next week.

Thank you so much,

Millan

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 2, 2017, at 5:48 AM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) <stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

6565 Headquarters Drive. Plano, TX.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 2, 2017, at 10:32 AM, Bennett, Tate <Bennett.Tate@epa.gov> wrote:

May we have an exact address?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 1, 2017, at 8:01 PM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) <stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

Ok. We will make that call later. Our folks won't starve if they have to

wait until 1PM for lunch. We just don't want to be rude hosts.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 1, 2017, at 7:51 PM,
Bennett, Tate
<Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>
wrote:

Hmm I think that would be fine but he doesn't do working lunches if he's speaking....but others could!

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 1, 2017, at 7:44 PM, Stephen Ciccone (TMNA) <stephen.ciccone@toyota.com> wrote:

Agree on the press. Fine on the 45 minute blocks. Will get back to you on 11am start. If we do that time, can/should we add a casual lunch?

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 1, 2017, at
7:36 PM, Bennett,
Tate
<Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>
wrote:

I think the 45 min
each might be best. Is
there a chance we can
bump to 11 AM
instead? Also, we'd
ask you keep this a
private event, closed
to press.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 1, 2017,
at 6:32 PM,
Stephen Ciccone
(TMNA)
<stephen.ciccone@toyota.com>
wrote:

Yes, we can lock
in the afternoon
of August 10.

Run of show
proposal (happy
to edit if you
guys have
something else in
mind)

First hour: Tour of new campus with emphasis on environmental sustainability components.

Second hour: Time with 5-8 Toyota executives to discuss issues ranging from the state of the auto industry, development and deployment of alternative fuel vehicles, CAFE, California ZEV mandate and any other issues of interest to the Administrator.

If needed, we could cut both segments down to 45 minutes.

Thank you.

Stephen

Sent from my

iPhone

On Aug 1,
2017, at
5:46 PM,
Bennett,
Tate
<Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>
wrote:

Can we
lock in an
afternoon
visit? Mind
putting a
potential
run of show
together? I
can get you
an exact
time
tomorrow.

Sent from
my iPhone

On
Aug 1,
2017,
at 3:01
PM,
Stephen
Ciccione
(TMNA)
<stephen.ciccione@toyota.com>
wrote:

Any
update?

Original
Message-----

From:
Bennett,
Tate
[mailto:Bennett.Tate@epa.gov]

Sent:
Monday,
July
31,
2017
1:09
PM

To:
Morris,
Madeline
<morris.madeline@epa.gov>;
Stephen
Ciccone
(TMNA)
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Hupp,
Millan
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Subject:
RE:
Toyota
visit --
need to
finalize

Hi
Stephen!
Is there
a good
number
where
I can
give
you a
buzz?

Original
Message-----

From:
Morris,
Madeline

Sent:
Monday,
July
31,
2017
9:52
AM

To:
Stephen
Ciccone
(TMNA)
<stephen.ciccone@toyota.com>

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Bennett,
Tate
<Bennett.Tate@epa.gov>;
Hupp,
Millan
<hupp.millan@epa.gov>

Subject:
RE:
Toyota

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need to
finalize

Hi
Stephen,

Thanks
for
being
patient
with us
as we
figure
out the
schedule.

I
believe
we are
set for
the
10th,
and we
are
planning
on
sometime
in the
morning.

I
wanted
to loop
in Tate
Bennett
she
heads
up our
External
Affairs
and
Millan
Hupp

who
heads
up our
Advance
and
Scheduling.

They
will
circle
back
with
you for
more
details.

I
appreciate
your
help,
and
happy
that we
found
something
that
worked!

Best,

Maddy

Madeline
Morris
Executive
Scheduler
I
Office
of the

Administrator

I

direct:

202-

564-

0844 I

cell:

202-

579-

4283

Original

Message-----

From:

Stephen

Ciccone

(TMNA)

[mailto:stephen.ciccone@toyota.com]

Sent:

Saturday,

July

29,

2017

8:32

AM

To:

Morris,

Madeline

<[moris.madeline@epa.gov](mailto:morris.madeline@epa.gov)>

Subject:

Toyota

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Maddy,

I have
some
Toyota
executives
holding
their
calendars
open
for
August
10 to
host
Administrator
Pruitt.

I'm
not
going
to be
able to
keep
the
calendars
held
much
longer.

Can
we
finalize
the
date
and
time?

We
would
very
much
like to
host
him.

It's
less
than

two
weeks
from
now,
so I'll
need a
time to
be sure
we can
be
proper
hosts!
Thanks.

Stephen