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**From:** "Riddle, Ken" <Ken.Riddle@lakelandgov.net>  
**Date:** March 27, 2017 at 8:44:04 AM EDT  
**To:** Samantha Dravis Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy  
**Cc:** "Bombard, Tory" <Tory.Bombard@lakelandgov.net>  
**Subject:** Invitation to Eastern Fuel Buyers Conference

Samantha,

The 2017 Eastern Fuel Buyers Conference will be held Wednesday, May 3 through Friday, May 5, 2017 at Disney's Yacht Club Resort. Could we interest you in attending to give us the new EPA view of things going forward? We as an industry have been outcasts banished to the wilderness for many years. Our legitimate concerns on costs and damage to electrical grid reliability were ignored. Funds that were desperately needed for infrastructure upgrades were instead shifted to additional engineering studies and construction of more and more environmental control equipment, frequently for no real additional environmental improvement.

I have copied Tory on this request. She is on the board of the conference.

Here is the link to the conference website.  
<https://www.eastfuelconf.com/>

Below is the Chamber of Commerce speech.

The Eastern Fuel Buyers Conference is North America's premier coal industry event. Typical attendees at the conference consist

of industry leaders who gather to share their ideas and thoughts concerning all aspects of the coal industry. Past conference presentations have included current topics such as: coal supply, coal transportation, market updates, environmental issues impacting coal and coal contracting elements.

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**To:** pam@okgop.com[pam@okgop.com]; Fugh, Justina[Fugh.Justina@epa.gov]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Tue 4/25/2017 11:50:07 PM  
**Subject:** FW: gala invite [WARNING: SPF validation failed]

No, this is not consistent with ethics rules.

He may only attend the event and cannot raise money for the party nor can invitations for the event include solicitations for money. I've cc'd EPA's senior ethics counsel who can discuss what can appear but the Party must withdraw publicly the previous information and invitations.

- 1) The Administrator cannot, in his official capacity, attend the event. He can go in his personal capacity, as E. Scott Pruitt, former AG of Oklahoma, but not as the EPA Administrator. The campaign cannot refer to him by his EPA title (though they can call him the Honorable Scott Pruitt), and they can't use his name in connection with any fundraising or promotion.
- 2) EPA has to review the flyers.
- 3) He can speak about the candidate and urge support, but he absolutely cannot ask people to give money to the campaign.
- 4) The security detail can still go with him (they protect him 24/7, no matter what), but EPA cannot pay for the Administrator's travel expenses. Instead, the campaign must pay which I appreciate the party offering to do prior to the invitation being issued.

I'm available at Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy and Justina will be available tomorrow to square this away.

**From:** Pam Pollard [mailto:pam@okgop.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 25, 2017 6:34 PM  
**To:** Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>

**Subject:** Fwd: gala invite [WARNING: SPF validation failed]

Can we use this and in the text body say Scott Pruitt will be the keynote speaker and will receive the Ronald Reagan Leadership Award?

Pam Pollard, Chairman

Oklahoma Republican Party

405.420.8154

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