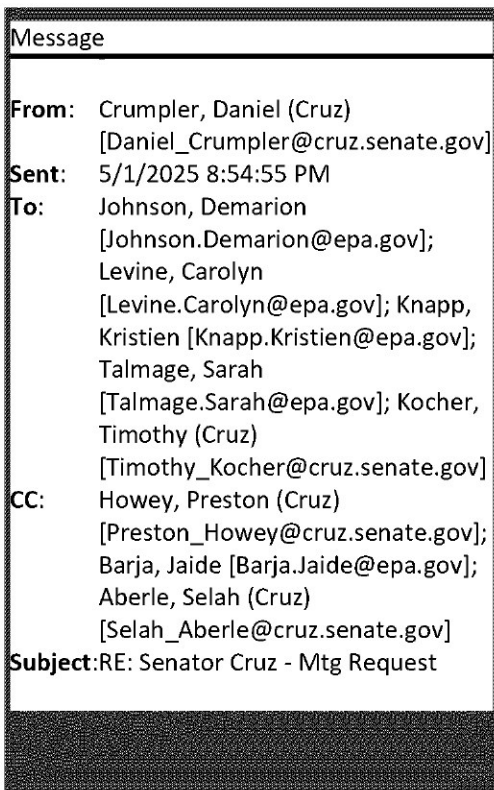




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Yes, sounds good. We will be in touch with some alternate times. Unfortunately, the rest of next week is jam packed, so it will need to be after then.

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

From: Johnson, Demarion <Johnson.Demarion@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, May 1, 2025 4:53 PM
To: Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

Could we explore other times for Aaron to sit down with Senator Cruz. He has travel on Monday evening conflicting with the 6:15 alternative.

Best,

Demarion L. Johnson
Special Advisor
Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
(w): 202.359.9469

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From: Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 1, 2025 4:21 PM

To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>; Johnson, Demarion <Johnson.Demarion@epa.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

We are checking if 6:15pm Monday May 5 works for the Senator to speak with Aaron Szabo. We will be in touch shortly!

Carolyn Levine

Legislative Director

Office of Congressional Affairs

U.S. EPA

(O): 202-564-1859

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 1, 2025 3:29 PM

To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

Apologies, but Senator Cruz had a change in travel plans on Monday, so he will no longer be available at 4:45pm for this meeting. Would 6:15pm work on Monday instead?

If not, we can look at other times coming up.

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler

Director of Scheduling

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

From: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>

Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 4:23 PM

To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Perfect. Thanks very much, Daniel!

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 4:21 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
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Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Sounds good, thanks so much. We have this confirmed on our end.

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Yes, this works! Thank you so much, Daniel.

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 3:52 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

Would 4:45pm on Monday, May 5th work? If not, happy to look at options for later in the week.

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

From: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 3:15 PM
To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Thanks so much, Daniel. Mr. Szabo now has a different trip with the Administrator on May 1. Any availability for us the week after, week of May 5?

Sorry for all the changes on our end and thank you so much for working with us to get this on the books.

Thanks,
Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 14, 2025 2:36 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Barja, Jaide <Barja.Jaide@epa.gov>; Aberle, Selah (Cruz) <Selah_Aberle@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

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Hi Kristien,

Thank you for checking in. The Senator has a jam packed week, so unfortunately we will not be able to schedule a formal sit-down meeting until he is back in DC. However, if they happen to run into each other on the Midland visit, that would be great.

Just let me know if 1:00pm on Thursday, May 1st works for a meeting here in Russell 167.

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

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Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

I just learned that Mr. Szabo's travel this week is to Houston and Midland and that Senator Cruz is also supposed to be there, along with EPA Administrator Zeldin. Do you think we can arrange for Senator Cruz and Mr. Szabo to have their chance to meet in Texas this week within the contours of these travel plans?

Thank you so much for all your help!
Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2025 4:02 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

Chairman Cruz could meet at 1:00pm on Thursday, May 1st. Would that work?

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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From: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 11, 2025 11:30 AM
To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi again,

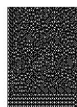
Sorry to have to do this, but is it possible to move this meeting any earlier in the day, or earlier in the week? We had a travel need pop up on Mr. Szabo's calendar.

Thanks,
Kristien

From: Knapp, Kristien
Sent: Friday, April 4, 2025 4:14 PM
To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Wonderful, thank you! Have a good weekend.

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 4, 2025 4:13 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Great, thanks so much. We have this confirmed on our end.

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)
Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

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Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

Yes, that works!

Thank you.
Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 4, 2025 1:49 PM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
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Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

Senator Cruz would be available at 3:30pm on Thursday, May 1st. Would that work?

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler
Director of Scheduling
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel—

We would like to reschedule this, any availability the week of April 28?

Thank you,
Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, April 4, 2025 11:49 AM
To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

We are still planning for this meeting to take place next Thursday, April 10th at 3:30pm. The Senate is scheduled to be in recess the following two weeks, so Senator Cruz will not be in DC.

Just let us know if you would like to keep the meeting next Thursday, or reschedule to a later date.

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler

Director of Scheduling

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

From: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>

Sent: Friday, April 4, 2025 10:00 AM

To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

Just checking back in on, as we all firm up our schedules for next week. Do you think this meeting is likely to stay on Senator Cruz' schedule for next week, or is there any chance he might be interested in postponing/rescheduling for the following week—week of April 14?

Thanks,

Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2025 9:38 AM

To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Great, thanks so much. We have this confirmed on our end.

Daniel Crumpler

Director of Scheduling

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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From: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2025 9:31 AM

To: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Daniel,

Yes, looks like that works!

Thank you!

Kristien

From: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>

Sent: Thursday, March 27, 2025 9:27 AM

To: Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>; Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Hi Kristien,

Thank you for checking in. Senator Cruz would be available to meet at 3:30pm on Thursday, April 10th. Would that work?

Our office is located in the Russell Senate Building, room 167.

Thanks so much,
Daniel

Daniel Crumpler

Director of Scheduling

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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<Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Timothy—

Just circling back to see if you have any dates/time to suggest for Senator Cruz to meet with Aaron Szabo (EPA Air Nominee)?

Thank you!
Kristien

From: Knapp, Kristien

Sent: Monday, March 24, 2025 9:50 AM

To: Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>; Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>

Cc: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Howey, Preston (Cruz)

<Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Levine, Carolyn <Levine.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Good morning, Timothy—

Let's get this on the books! Can you let me know the Senator's next availability? We'll do what we can on our end to make it work.

Thanks,
Kristien

Kristien G. Knapp

Senior Counsel, Congressional Affairs
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

From: Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 5:53 PM
To: Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Cc: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>; Knapp, Kristien <Knapp.Kristien@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request

Hi Timothy –

Absolutely! Looping in some folks on our end who can help get that set up asap.

Best,

Sarah Talmage
Associate Administrator
Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

From: Kocher, Timothy (Cruz) <Timothy_Kocher@cruz.senate.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 21, 2025 4:10 PM
To: Talmage, Sarah <Talmage.Sarah@epa.gov>
Cc: Crumpler, Daniel (Cruz) <Daniel_Crumpler@cruz.senate.gov>; Howey, Preston (Cruz) <Preston_Howey@cruz.senate.gov>
Subject: Senator Cruz - Mtg Request



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Good afternoon Sarah,

I hope you're doing well. By way of introduction, I handle the EPA/EPW portfolio for Senator Cruz.

I'd like to request a meeting with Aaron Szabo, nominee for EPA Assistant Administrator for the Office of Air and Radiation, to discuss issues under the Office of Air and Radiation's purview that are important to the state of Texas. Ideally, we'd like to schedule a meeting before the Senate vote on Mr. Szabo's nomination.

Thanks, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Timothy Kocher
Legislative Assistant
U.S. Senator Ted Cruz (R-TX)

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