

**To:** Cathy Stepp, Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Fri 6/16/2017 3:25:05 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Call

Yes.

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Ryan Jackson  
Chief of Staff  
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> On Jun 15, 2017, at 11:24 PM, Cathy Stepp, Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy wrote:  
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> Hi Ryan. Would u have time for a quick call on Friday?  
>  
> Thanks  
>  
> Cathy Stepp  
>  
> Sent from my iPhone

**To:** Nishida, Jane[Nishida.Jane@epa.gov]  
**Cc:** Chmielewski, Kevin[chmielewski.kevin@epa.gov]; Hupp, Sydney[hupp.sydney@epa.gov]; John Peter Freire[Freire@usepa.onmicrosoft.com]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Mon 5/15/2017 11:54:26 AM  
**Subject:** Re:

Thank you.

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> On May 15, 2017, at 7:39 AM, Nishida, Jane <Nishida.Jane@epa.gov> wrote:

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> The McKenna call today was already moved to Friday, May 20. Once I know JP's availability, I will schedule the call with Canada about the trip.

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On May 15, 2017, at 7:26 AM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:

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>> Unless there's a particular purpose for the McKenna call today I think it would be best to button up the Canadian visit before we have the principals visit which will unavoidably be in part about the trip and it be left open ended.

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>> Chief of Staff

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**To:** rjmartin@alphanr.com[rjmartin@alphanr.com]  
**Cc:** Greenwalt, Sarah[greenwalt.sarah@epa.gov]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Mon 6/5/2017 1:25:47 PM  
**Subject:** CWA permits

Jay, can you send us information on the CWA permits your working with the Agency to get?

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**To:** Wheeler, Andrew R.[Andrew.Wheeler@FaegreBD.com]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Thur 11/9/2017 7:11:47 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Lindsey

It was good. We will prevail.

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On Nov 8, 2017, at 10:19 PM, Wheeler, Andrew R. <Andrew.Wheeler@FaegreBD.com> wrote:

Everyone seemed to think I did a really good job including inhofe, capito and mr Murray. Carper and Cardin both said really nice things about me.

Troy and Liz were both happy.

Sent from my iPhone

On Nov 8, 2017, at 9:37 PM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:

Nice. How did you feel about it today.

Only saw a couple stories on how you work to save coal mining jobs and how you didn't write murray's 3 pager.

Seems like it was successful.

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On Nov 8, 2017, at 8:00 PM, Wheeler, Andrew R. <Andrew.Wheeler@FaegreBD.com> wrote:

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Bono, Mary" <Mary.Bono@faegrebd.com>  
**Date:** November 8, 2017 at 7:18:42 PM EST  
**To:** "Wheeler, Andrew R." <Andrew.Wheeler@FaegreBD.com>  
**Subject:** Lindsey

At dinner with Lindsey Graham. He said he's looking forward to voting for you.

Mary  
The Honorable Mary Bono  
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**To:** Fred Krupp[fkrupp@edf.org]  
**Cc:** rdenison@edf.org[rdenison@edf.org]; Joanna Slaney[jslaney@edf.org]; Elizabeth Thompson[ethompson@edf.org]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Tue 5/23/2017 2:58:22 PM  
**Subject:** RE: invitation

Perfect. Thank you.

**From:** Fred Krupp [mailto:fkrupp@edf.org]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 23, 2017 10:10 AM  
**To:** Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** rdenison@edf.org; Joanna Slaney <jslaney@edf.org>; Elizabeth Thompson <ethompson@edf.org>  
**Subject:** RE: invitation

Ryan,

Thanks for your outreach. It has definitely been good to begin to get to know Senator Inhofe, and I admire his leadership on the Lautenberg Chemical Safety Bill, and appreciate your constructive role on that as well.

I would suggest that you and Elizabeth, copied above, discuss next steps re your invitation.

All best,

Fred

**From:** Jackson, Ryan [mailto:jackson.ryan@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 18, 2017 2:20 PM  
**To:** Fred Krupp <fkrupp@edf.org>  
**Cc:** Richard Denison <rdenison@edf.org>; Joanna Slaney <jslaney@edf.org>

**Subject:** invitation

All, Administrator Pruitt asked me to reach out to you to check on your availability to meet for coffee to establish a relationship between EDF and him.

He appreciated me recounting the story of when I was working for Senator Inhofe, how Senator Inhofe called Fred unexpectedly prior to an EDF board meeting simply to report on the status of negotiations at the time of the TSCA update. It's a much broader environment here now than negotiating the Lautenberg Act, but the Administrator was interested in meeting to try to build a relationship and identify common ground and items on which we can work together.

I appreciate your consideration. I can also be reached at Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy anytime.

Ryan.

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**To:** Yergin, Dan[Daniel.Yergin@ihsmarkit.com]; Steven E Koonin (sek9@nyu.edu)[sek9@nyu.edu]  
**Cc:** Dravis, Samantha[dravis.samantha@epa.gov]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Tue 4/11/2017 11:21:45 PM  
**Subject:** RE: introducing...

Thank you gentlemen. So as luck would have it the Administrator will happen to be in New York tomorrow. Would there be a convenient time to meet as early as tomorrow? I know this is last minute, but I wanted to ask. If that doesn't work, we will schedule another time definitely.

My cell is Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

Ryan.

**From:** Yergin, Dan [mailto:Daniel.Yergin@ihsmarkit.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 11, 2017 6:07 PM  
**To:** Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>; Steven E Koonin (sek9@nyu.edu) <sek9@nyu.edu>  
**Subject:** introducing...

Dear Ryan,

Very glad to meet you with Administrator Pruitt today. With this email, introducing you to Steve Koonin, now at NYU, formerly Undersecretary of Energy in DOE and Provost of Caltech. He's an MIT Ph.D. in astrophysics. I've attached his article on climate science not being settled from the Wall Street Journal.

He's based in New York City but will be down for a meeting of the top physicists on April 28,

and could come a day early. Or they could meet in New York City. I think the Administrator would find an 1 ½ to 2 hours very useful for deepening the texture on the climate change discussion. As I mentioned, Steve will have a new article coming up in the WSJ later this month.

Kind regards,

Dan

<http://online.wsj.com/articles/the-unknowns-of-climate-science-1411143565>

**To:** Lynn Scarlett[lscarlett@TNC.ORG]  
**Cc:** Willis, Sharnett[Willis.Sharnett@epa.gov]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Sun 3/26/2017 10:26:34 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Greetings and follow up

I'm here all the time. Eager to know what options work for you. Maybe later this week or next week?

**From:** Lynn Scarlett [mailto:lscarlett@TNC.ORG]  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 19, 2017 9:32 PM  
**To:** Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov>  
**Cc:** Willis, Sharnett <Willis.Sharnett@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Greetings and follow up

Hi, Ryan

Sounds good. We are preparing the info, including admin. barriers reductions. I'm in California through Tuesday at all day events. I will check with my asst. and get back to you re: possible options to talk

Lynn

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 19, 2017, at 2:04 PM, Jackson, Ryan <jackson.ryan@epa.gov> wrote:

I would like to. Will you let me know when a time works for you?

Also you mentioned in the meeting a list of administratively accomplished reduction in barriers and I would like to get the benefit of that as well.

Much appreciated.

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On Mar 9, 2017, at 1:54 PM, Lynn Scarlett <[lscarlett@TNC.ORG](mailto:lscarlett@TNC.ORG)> wrote:

Hi, Ryan

It was nice to see you yesterday at the infrastructure meeting. I wanted to follow up with you to see if there is a time I (and some of my team) might meet with you to offer a deeper dive on opportunities to: 1) advance “natural infrastructure” that is both cost-effective and high-performing; 2) identify regulatory streamlining that could enable such solutions to be more widely used, where cost-effective; and 3) offer some thoughts more broadly on ways to improve decision processes while, at the same time, sustaining environmental safeguards and public health.

Might we explore a time when we might meet?

Lynn

**To:** pbailey@americaspower.org[pbailey@americaspower.org]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Sun 4/23/2017 11:53:57 PM  
**Subject:** CCR  
CCRPP Process Questions (239) 4 3.docx

Paul, the state waste directors will get information on the CCR guidance this week here in DC. Although I don't have the guidance quite yet, I do have something I could use your help in reviewing. I think we'll get this out quickly.

Thanks.

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**To:** Myron Ebell[Myron.Ebell@cei.org]  
**Cc:** Dravis, Samantha[dravis.samantha@epa.gov]; Gunasekara, Mandy[Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov]; Bolen, Brittany[bolen.brittany@epa.gov]; Konkus, John[konkus.john@epa.gov]  
**From:** Jackson, Ryan  
**Sent:** Fri 6/16/2017 12:32:35 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Rob Gordon: Exposing the EPA's Gold King Mine Cover-up

You will like what we are going to do.

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On Jun 15, 2017, at 5:35 PM, Myron Ebell <[Myron.Ebell@cei.org](mailto:Myron.Ebell@cei.org)> wrote:

I think Rob's comment to me is correct: If EPA gets away with this under the new administration, they will feel invincible. If it is exposed, it will add steam for reform.

Rob spent hundreds of hours investigating the Gold King Mine disaster and scandalous cover-up when he was staff director of the House Natural Resources Committee's oversight and investigations subcommittee. He may be reached at [Robert.Gordon@heritage.org](mailto:Robert.Gordon@heritage.org).

<http://dailysignal.com/2017/06/14/exposing-epas-gold-king-mine-cover/>

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