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**From:** Smith, Robert L. [RLSmithII@Venable.com]  
**Sent:** 5/20/2017 8:19:39 PM  
**To:** Wagner, Kenneth [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=048236ab99bc4d5ea16c139b1b67719c-Wagner, Ken]  
**CC:** Gunasekara, Mandy [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=53d1a3caa8bb4ebab8a2d28ca59b6f45-Gunasekara,]  
**Subject:** RE: R5 Issue

Kenneth -- really great meeting you on Thursday and I hope you're enjoying the weekend in the 918. Looking forward to talking again and, INTM, feel free to bring me back some Coney I-Lander. --rob

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**From:** Wagner, Kenneth [mailto:wagner.kenneth@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 18, 2017 12:58 PM  
**To:** Smith, Robert L. <RLSmithII@Venable.com>  
**Cc:** Gunasekara, Mandy <Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: R5 Issue

So the entrance is the right by the Federal Triangle Metro Stop off of 12<sup>th</sup> St NW between Constitution and Pennsylvania. Enter just north of the Metro escalators (North Entrance) go through Security and ask them to call 202-564-1988 and I will come and get you.

Thanks,

**Kenneth E. Wagner**  
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*For Regional and State Affairs*  
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**From:** Smith, Robert L. [mailto:RLSmithII@Venable.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 18, 2017 12:43 PM  
**To:** Wagner, Kenneth <[wagner.kenneth@epa.gov](mailto:wagner.kenneth@epa.gov)>  
**Cc:** Gunasekara, Mandy <[Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov](mailto:Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: R5 Issue

We'll be there. Question - is the building named or is there an EPA sign?

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**From:** Wagner, Kenneth <[wagner.kenneth@epa.gov](mailto:wagner.kenneth@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 16, 2017 5:56:06 PM  
**To:** Smith, Robert L.  
**Cc:** Gunasekara, Mandy  
**Subject:** Re: R5 Issue

Yes...I can do 5-5:30pm in my office. Come to the North Entrance by the Federal Triangle Metro Stop and I will come get you. My room # is 3309

Please confirm.

Ken

Kenneth E. Wagner  
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On May 16, 2017, at 2:08 PM, Smith, Robert L. <[RLSmithII@Venable.com](mailto:RLSmithII@Venable.com)> wrote:

Can we meet Thursday afternoon?

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**From:** Wagner, Kenneth <[wagner.kenneth@epa.gov](mailto:wagner.kenneth@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 15, 2017 1:48:40 PM  
**To:** Smith, Robert L.  
**Cc:** Gunasekara, Mandy  
**Subject:** Re: R5 Issue

Wednesday does not work as I am in Annapolis for a Chesapeake Bay meeting. Thursday afternoon could work after 2pm? How long will you need?

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On May 15, 2017, at 1:43 PM, Smith, Robert L. <[RLSmithII@Venable.com](mailto:RLSmithII@Venable.com)> wrote:

Thanks Mandy.

Ken - nice to e-meet you. I represent PolyMet and we are building the NorthMet Copper and Nickel mine in MN. Might you be available to see us on Wednesday to discuss the project and some of the issues we're having with R5? Thanks.

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**From:** Gunasekara, Mandy <[Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov](mailto:Gunasekara.Mandy@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 15, 2017 12:14:00 PM  
**To:** Wagner, Kenneth  
**Cc:** Smith, Robert L.  
**Subject:** R5 Issue

Hi Ken,

I'm connecting you with my friend Rob Smith (cc'd) who is having some issues out in Region 5 with regards to a mine. I think you would be a good place to start. Let me know if you need help from my end (or Sarah's if it involves water).

Rob, as I mentioned, Ken is the Administrator's go-to person for all things involving in the Regional Offices.

Best,  
Mandy

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