

RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

From: "Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB" <(b)(6)>
To: "Miranda, Nicolle" <(b)(6)>
Date: Tue, 25 Feb 2025 14:15:01 -0500

Sure thing! Here it is: (b)(6)

Best,
Brittany Young
Executive Assistant to the Director
Office of Management and Budget
(b)(6)

From: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2025 2:13 PM
To: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Subject: Re: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Thank you so much, do you mind sending me the form so i can help her with it?

Thank you,

Nicolle Miranda

Director of Operations

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From: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2025 1:47 PM
To: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Subject: RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Send the form to Carolyn! Please make sure Mr. Wittman has his personal and congressional ID with him (:

Best,

Brittany Young

Executive Assistant to the Director
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From: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>

Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 1:00 PM

To: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>

Subject: Re: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Wonderful, thank you so much!

Thank you,

Nicolle Miranda

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From: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>

Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 12:47 PM

To: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>

Subject: RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

I will take care of the Congressman's WAVES form, but I will send Carolyn her form to fill out.

Everyone should arrive at the entrance on State Place and 17th Street, and have ID's ready to be scanned. Our office is located on (b)(6) I will be here to greet the Congressman and Carolyn. Let me know if you have any further questions!

Best,

Brittany Young

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Office of Management and Budget
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From: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 12:45 PM
To: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Subject: Re: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Thank you for working with me to confirm this time. Our Chief of Staff, Carolyn King, will join the Congressman for this meeting. Her email is (b)(6). Is there a particular entrance that they should use or information that the Congressman should provide upon arrival?

Thank you,

Nicolle Miranda

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From: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 12:22 PM
To: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Subject: RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

That works great! Wednesday at 5pm. Who will be joining Rep. Wittman? I will send over WAVES links for each individual to get into the building.

Best,
Brittany Young
Executive Assistant to the Director
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From: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 12:15 PM
To: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Subject: Re: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Thank you for letting me know. Due to committee activity, the earliest the Congressman can make it over to the Eisenhower Executive Building on Wednesday would be 5:00pm. Would that work with the Director's schedule?

Thank you,

Nicolle Miranda

Director of Operations

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From: Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2025 11:28 AM
To: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Subject: RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Hi Nicolle,

Sorry for just getting back to you. Director Vought would love to have Congressman Wittman come to the Eisenhower Executive Building for this meeting if that fits his schedule? I was looking at Wednesday afternoon after 3pm or Thursday afternoon between 2-4pm? Do any of these times work for the Congressman?

Best,

Brittany Young

Executive Assistant to the Director
Office of Management and Budget

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From: Miranda, Nicolle <(b)(6)>
Sent: Sunday, February 23, 2025 5:49 PM

To: Duncan, Hal P. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)> King, Carolyn
<(b)(6)>
Cc: Siao, Stephen H. EOP/WHO <(b)(6)> Coyne, Hallie
<(b)(6)>; Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Subject: Re: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Hi Brittany,

Congressman Rob Wittman would like to speak with Director Vought. My boss' schedule flexible this week, are there any times in particular that would work best with Director's schedule?

Thank you,

Nicolle Miranda

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From: Duncan, Hal P. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 2025 6:39 PM
To: King, Carolyn <(b)(6)>
Cc: Siao, Stephen H. EOP/WHO <(b)(6)>; Sroka, Will
<(b)(6)>; Coyne, Hallie <(b)(6)>; Miranda, Nicolle
<(b)(6)>; Young, Brittany M. EOP/OMB
<(b)(6)>
Subject: RE: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought

Thanks, Carolyn. Adding Director Vought's scheduler, Brittany.

From: King, Carolyn <(b)(6)>
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 2025 3:34 PM
To: Duncan, Hal P. EOP/OMB <(b)(6)>
Cc: Siao, Stephen H. EOP/WHO <(b)(6)>; Sroka, Will
<(b)(6)>; Coyne, Hallie <(b)(6)>; Miranda, Nicolle
<(b)(6)>

Subject: Rep. Wittman (R-VA-01) – Request to discuss submarine construction with Director Vought
Importance: High

Hi Hal,

I hope you having a good week! I was hoping to work with you to arrange a time for Congressman Rob Wittman (R-VA-01) to speak with Director Vought in the near future about the path forward for submarine construction.

Congressman Wittman’s Director of Operations, Nicolle Miranda, to work with you on finding the best time to make that happen if we proceed.

Background

As Director Vought is likely aware, Navy, Congress, and industry had a series of conversations throughout 2024 about how to best fund the next 17 submarines that Navy must get on contract. Rapidly expanding supply chain and labor costs have led to cost growth and schedule delays on the Virginia-class and Columbia-class programs in recent years. It is critical to get these programs back on track to preserve the future of our asymmetric undersea advantages and secure the sea-based leg of our nuclear triad.

At the end of last year, Congress was briefed by Navy and industry on a proposal to fund future submarines, referenced as the Shipbuilder Accountability and Workforce Support (SAWS) plan. As [public reporting](#) summarizes, SAWS would have allowed industry partners (Huntington Ingalls Industries-Newport News Shipbuilding and General Dynamics-Electric Boat) to “take some workforce money in existing contracts for boats that haven’t begun construction and break those open to create a pool of more than \$10 billion to apply more freely to infrastructure and labor costs.”

Current submarine anomaly funding in the CR – [H.R. 10545 - American Relief Act, 2025](#) -- allowed Navy and industry work to continue in the near-term, but it is not a long-term solution to the fundamental problems limiting submarine construction. As such, time is of the essence to determine the best contracting and investment path forward to improve the submarine industrial base and put submarine production back on track.

Congressman Wittman would like to discuss Director Vought’s perspective on options to improve and accelerate the Virginia-class and Columbia-class programs in order to undue the years of damaged caused by the Biden administration’s mismanagement and inattention.

I’m glad to share any additional information that you might need.

Thank you!

Carolyn

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