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From: Brown, Byron [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=9242D85C7DF343D287659F840D730E65-BROWN, BYRO]
Sent: 7/31/2017 12:02:59 PM
To: Bode, Denise A (53804) [dabode@michaelbeststrategies.com]
CC: Dominguez, Alexander [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=5ced433b4ef54171864ed98a36cb7a5f-Dominguez,]; Burton, Tamika [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=207e0f24fd934d6d8a3e4c400a311638-Burton, Tam]; Swanson, Kevin O (59578) [koswanson@michaelbeststrategies.com]; Nichols, Alex (53820) [janichols@michaelbeststrategies.com]
Subject: Re: Purpose of the meeting requested

Let's plan to meet today. See you at 10.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 31, 2017, at 7:35 AM, Bode, Denise A (53804) <dabode@michaelbeststrategies.com> wrote:

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> Than you, Byron. I thought Tamika said you would not be attending, only Sarah. My apologies. We would be pleased to go ahead with the meeting > with you or can change it if you prefer to wait for Sarah. Since we were > going to discuss next steps what would you prefer?

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>> On 7/31/17, 7:27 AM, "Brown, Byron" <brown.byron@epa.gov> wrote:

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>> I have this meeting on my calendar for this morning. In Sarah's absence I >> am trying to arrange for a senior official from OW to attend as well. I >> have availability on Tuesday if you want to reschedule.

>> Sent from my iPhone

>>> On Jul 31, 2017, at 6:54 AM, Bode, Denise A (53804) <dabode@michaelbeststrategies.com> wrote:

>>> Dear Alex,

>>> When we met with the Administrator he directed us to have a follow up >>> meeting with Byron who staffed the meeting. Byron then asked that we >>> meet >>> with Sarah and himself, then it was Sarah. We have been trying to get >>> this followup meeting for two months. Steve is in town for two days and >>> we have a number of meetings on the hill, to brief them on what the >>> dairy >>> industry and Newtrient are doing in the states which we built around >>> this >>> meeting for Steve, which was one of the follow ups suggested after the >>> first meeting with Scott. Sarah met with one of the states, >>> Pennsylvania, >>> so we really would like to follow up with her while Steve is here on the >>> broader effort, or go back to Byron if he is available while Steve is in >>> town.

>>> Can we look at another time over the next two days that either of them >>> can >>> fit us in. Kevin is on jury duty so please let me or Alex Nichols know, >>> who is copied her. Give me a call if you have questions. My mobile is >>> below. Thanks for your consideration.

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>>> On 7/30/17, 7:06 PM, "Dominguez, Alexander"
>>> <dominguez.alexander@epa.gov>
>>> wrote:
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>>>> Kevin - I just spoke with Sarah and she missed her connecting flight
>>>> and
>>>> will have to get on the first plane out tomorrow morning.
>>>> Unfortunately,
>>>> she is not going to be back in time for the meeting. As her policy
>>>> analyst I am more than happy to meet with you and follow up with Sarah
>>>> in
>>>> the evening. If not, we are going to have to reschedule with a call at
>>>> a
>>>> future time. Apologies as I know Steve Rowe was most likely traveling
>>>> in
>>>> for this meeting.
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>>>> Alex
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>>>> Alex Dominguez
>>>> Policy Analyst to the Senior Advisors to
>>>> the Administrator for Air and Water
>>>> U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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>>>> -----Original Message-----
>>>> From: Swanson, Kevin O (59578)
>>>> [<mailto:koswanson@michaelbeststrategies.com>]
>>>> Sent: Sunday, July 30, 2017 11:43 AM
>>>> To: Dominguez, Alexander <dominguez.alexander@epa.gov>
>>>> Cc: Bode, Denise A (53804) <dabode@michaelbeststrategies.com>
>>>> Subject: Fwd: Purpose of the meeting requested
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>>>> Alex,
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>>>> Thanks for your note on Friday. Apologies, I've been out of town. The
>>>> email below provides a good overview of the purpose of our meeting. It
>>>> is
>>>> with our client Newtrient, LLC. They are working with the full support
>>>> of
>>>> the dairy industry on an environmental asset marketplace to reduce
>>>> emissions from dairy farms. We met with the Administrator at the end of
>>>> April and Monday's meeting is meant to further discuss the concept and
>>>> further discuss what EPA can do to help support Newtrient's activity.
>>>> We
>>>> understand that Byron wanted us to meet with Sarah to introduce her to
>>>> Newtrient and their work understanding that she's familiar with
>>>> parallel
>>>> efforts in PA. Joining the meeting will be my colleague Denise Bode,
>>>> Steve Rowe, CEO of Newtrient and Clay Detlefsen from National Milk.
>>>> When
>>>> I get home later today I will forward a one pager that we'll be
>>>> presenting at the meeting.
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>>>> Thanks,
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>>>> Kevin
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>>>> Begin forwarded message:
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>>>> From: "Bode, Denise A. (Firm)"
>>>> <dabode@michaelbest.com<mailto:dabode@michaelbest.com>>
>>>> Date: July 11, 2017 at 3:46:12 PM EDT
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>>>> Hi Byron, Just to recap the purpose of the meeting. At the meeting we
>>>> had in April, you may recall after an explanation of Newtrient's
>>>> efforts
>>>> on public-private partnerships, the Administrator asked what role we
>>>> were
>>>> asking EPA to play. Steve Rowe explained that EPA could best help
>>>> foster
>>>> voluntary public private partnerships in three important ways:
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>>>> * Support from the administration to the regional offices, asking
>>>> them to work with the states on these efforts.
>>>> * First state efforts to create marketplaces that would like
>>>> support are Pennsylvania, Vermont, and Wisconsin.
>>>> * A point person within EPA that we can work with in setting up
>>>> marketplaces.
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>>>> He encouraged us to take next steps with the staff with your
>>>> assistance.
>>>> We also discussed in our next meeting that including any key
>>>> headquarters
>>>> staff who are familiar with these efforts would be helpful.
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>>>> When Steve is in town for this meeting we are also including meetings
>>>> with key committee staff to update them also on our efforts I the state
>>>> along with the National Milk Producers Federation. We will send the
>>>> final list of attendees soon.
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>>>> Let me know if there are additional things we should be prepared to
>>>> discuss.
>>>> Best, Denise
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