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Sent: 7/26/2018 5:27:37 PM
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Subject: RE: EPA Iowa Visit

We could look at a morning meeting with the Congressional folks and an afternoon with the Gov.

From: Stephanie Groen [mailto:stephanie.groen@iowa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 1:18 PM
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That morning doesn't work well for us as the Governor will be in Omaha at the US-Japan Midwest Governors meeting, which we would unfortunately be unable to move. That afternoon would work though.

On Thu, Jul 26, 2018 at 12:15 PM Lyons, Troy <lyons.troy@epa.gov> wrote:

Would Monday, September 10 work for the group? Des Moines area. I know Congress is in session, but perhaps we could do something on the earlier side to give Members time to get flights to DC.

From: Goeas, Lisa (Ernst) [mailto:Lisa_Goeas@ernst.senate.gov]
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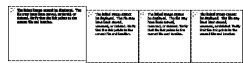
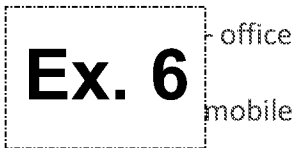
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Sounds good. Thanks Troy

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Thanks, Jacob.

Our commitment to visit Iowa still stands and we look forward to spending time with you all. Given the uncertainty with the various schedules, I am recommending we postpone August 8th to find a date that would be inclusive of the entire group. I think it would be best if we work together to find a few dates where we can find general consensus. Sooner rather than later would be best.

Does that work for everyone?

From: Olson, Jacob [<mailto:Jacob.Olson@mail.house.gov>]
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Hey Troy, thanks for this e-mail and for Administrator Wheeler's commitment to come to Iowa. We're all set for August 8th in Polk County. There is an event I believe around the lunch hour in Cedar Rapids if we can try to accommodate the other members of the delegation, otherwise we're all good to move forward.

Thanks,

Jake

From: Lyons, Troy [<mailto:lyons.troy@epa.gov>]

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To: Kozeny, Jill (Grassley); Goeas, Lisa (Ernst); Olson, Jacob; Ferland, John; stephanie.groen@iowa.gov

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Importance: High

Team Iowa—

We look forward to a productive visit to Iowa to visit with Iowa farmers and to be responsive to your July 16th letter. As you know, the tentative date is August 8th.

Visiting the state is a priority of Administrator Wheeler; however, we are receiving conflicting messages about the location of a potential visit based on the various schedules. Based on the feedback and availability we initially received, we were planning to visit the Cedar Rapids area but understand this is no longer the delegation's wish. I am putting everyone on one note so we can ensure we can better coordinate the visit.

We look forward to working with all of the offices to visit with your boss' and their constituents.

Many thanks,

Troy

Troy M. Lyons

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