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**Cc:** Kreutzer, David[[kreutzer.david@epa.gov](mailto:kreutzer.david@epa.gov)]; Hupp, Sydney[[hupp.sydney@epa.gov](mailto:hupp.sydney@epa.gov)]; Dravis, Samantha[[dravis.samantha@epa.gov](mailto:dravis.samantha@epa.gov)]  
**From:** McGartland, Al  
**Sent:** Sat 3/18/2017 12:30:50 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Meeting Request for March 20-21--climate science

We can make any of those times work. I look forward to your call.

Have a great weekend. And I hope your daughter commitments are treasured.

Best,

Al

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 17, 2017, at 8:23 PM, Pierson, Steve <[spierson@amstat.org](mailto:spierson@amstat.org)> wrote:

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Al, I appreciate you providing the cell number. I hope to try you early in the afternoon after some daughter commitments are wrapped up. I would be calling from my cell: 202.368.9885.

Sincerely,

Steve

**From:** Kreutzer, David [<mailto:kreutzer.david@epa.gov>]

**Sent:** Friday, March 17, 2017 7:31 PM  
**To:** Hupp, Sydney; Pierson, Steve  
**Cc:** McGartland, Al; Dravis, Samantha  
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Sydney

**From:** Hope, Brian  
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**To:** Dickerson, Aaron <[dickerson.aaron@epa.gov](mailto:dickerson.aaron@epa.gov)>; Hupp, Sydney <[hupp.sydney@epa.gov](mailto:hupp.sydney@epa.gov)>  
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**From:** Pierson, Steve [<mailto:spierson@amstat.org>]  
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**To:** Pruitt, Scott <[Pruitt.Scott@epa.gov](mailto:Pruitt.Scott@epa.gov)>  
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**Sent:** Friday, March 10, 2017 3:58 PM  
**To:** '[Pruitt.scott@Epa.gov](mailto:Pruitt.scott@Epa.gov)'  
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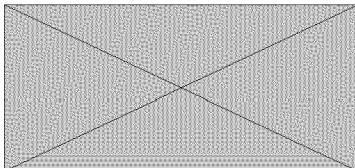
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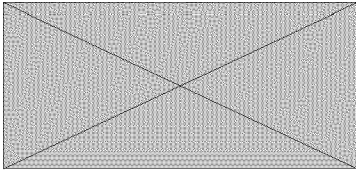
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