

To: Hupp, Sydney[hupp.sydney@epa.gov]
From: Robert Kroutil
Sent: Mon 5/15/2017 3:22:28 PM
Subject: Re: scheduling issue
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Hello Sydney !

Yes, I was wanting to set up a meeting with Mr. Ryan Jackson to discuss national emergency response issues that impact the U.S. EPA. I would like to bring two colleagues from Oklahoma that are experts about the EPA emergency response program to the meeting. We would like to propose a requested transition of an EPA asset back from where it originated which is the Department of Defense. We expect this will reduce costs for the EPA.

At any point, we would like to discuss a proposal to reduce the current costs of operation to the EPA.

I am originally from Yukon, Oklahoma and a Ph.D. graduate in physical chemistry from Oklahoma State University. I am one of the leading scientists in the country in the technical area of chemical and radiological emergency response technology with over 100 scientific publications and scientific lectures at numerous invited national and international scientific conferences. I have attached a short bio of my experience and a photo.

We would only need about 30-45 minutes with Mr. Jackson to discuss the issues related to the EPA and emergency response. We would be pleased to answer any questions that Mr. Jackson would want to ask about this technology area and the state of the Nation's chemical and radiological emergency response capabilities.

Thanks so much !

Best Regards,
Robert Kroutil
Kalman and Company, Inc.
Yukon, Oklahoma
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On Mon, May 15, 2017 at 8:39 AM, Hupp, Sydney <hupp.sydney@epa.gov> wrote:

Good afternoon Dr. Kroutil,

Thank you for reaching out! Were you wanting to set up a meeting?

Thanks!

Sydney Hupp

Executive Scheduler

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From: Robert Kroutil [mailto:rtkroutil@gmail.com]

Sent: Monday, May 15, 2017 10:20 AM

To: Hupp, Sydney <hupp.sydney@epa.gov>

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Would it be possible for you to contact me regarding a scheduling issue ?

I am a Ph.D. graduate from Oklahoma State University.

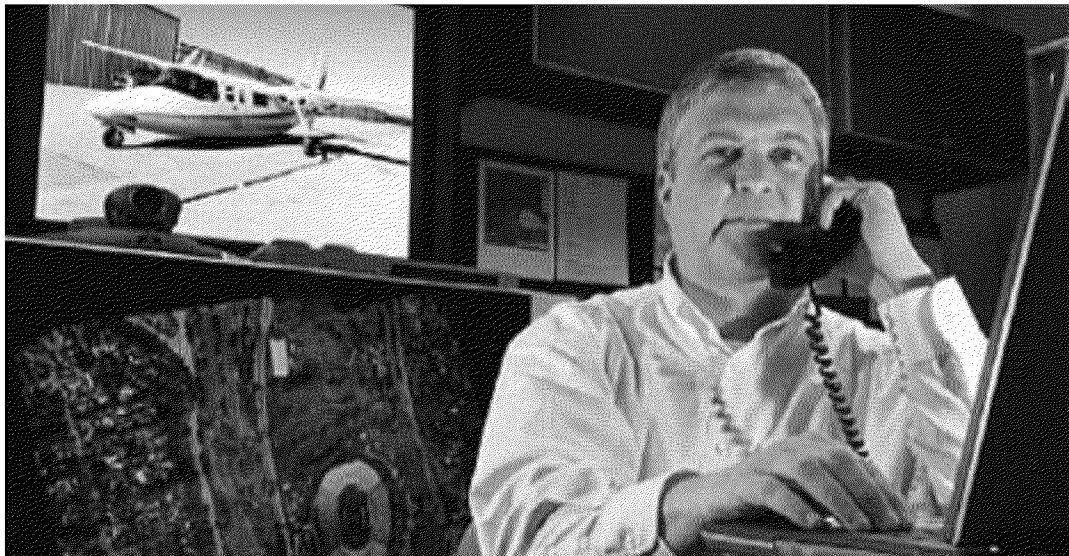
My phone number is 757-419-9386.

Best Regards,

Robert Kroutil

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Dr. Robert Kroutil is a nationally recognized expert in the field of passive infrared chemical detection to address homeland security issues. He has over 34 years experience within the Department of Defense assigned to the Edgewood Research and Development and Engineering Center, Edgewood, Md. After 2000, he supported the Department of Defense Joint Staff (J3-Operations). Dr Kroutil has also worked for the Department of Energy Los Alamos National Laboratory for nine years on homeland security matters. Work in private industry included employment with the Dynamac Corporation supporting the ASPECT project which is currently the Nation's only airborne emergency response chemical and radiological detection system. He is currently a senior scientist for Kalman and Company, Inc which is based in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Dr. Kroutil is the author and coauthor of over 28 open literature publications, 70 invited scientific national or international conferences, 1 U.S. Patent, and 2 book chapters that address homeland security issues. He has developed advanced software analysis tools for detecting environmental chemical species in the atmosphere.

Dr. Kroutil was the leading research scientist and program manager for Project SAFEGUARD which was a development project of the Department of Defence Chemical and Biological Defense Program. In that position, he led a team to develop advanced technology for defense and homeland security in a skunk works environment. He also developed policy to address chemical and radiological issues that are of critical importance to homeland security.

Dr. Kroutil is a native of Oklahoma and graduated with a Ph.D. in physical chemistry from Oklahoma State University. He was a graduate from Yukon High School, Yukon, Oklahoma. Dr. Kroutil is married.