
From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2002 8:24 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: FW: FW: Matt Schlapp just called

Yes, we care. He is not suitable for this and seems to me that he would be a disaster. He is a liar (or Matt is) because the two people Matt claims are clamoring for him claim not to know him at all.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2002 9:16 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: Re: FW: FW: Matt Schlapp just called

Do we care about Crane for some reason?
Kevin Ring

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>; Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jan 30 21:11:36 2002
Subject: FW: FW: Matt Schlapp just called

I am really pissed at this point. They are positioning this to get it to Radewagen. A-holes.

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [redacted] Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2002 8:30 PM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Subject: Re: FW: Matt Schlapp just called

From what I heard, crane didn't look good. Also, radewagen knows KR but KR is not pushing him Susan Ralston

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From: abramoffj@gtlaw.com <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Susan Ralston - @GWB [redacted] Ralston@rnchq.org>
Sent: Wed Jan 30 19:57:03 2002
Subject: FW: Matt Schlapp just called

Please don't say anything to Matt about this just yet (so we don't look like we are running behind his back to you), but this whole OIA thing with their new candidate is very fishy. The guy they were pushing now (Crane) is not suited for this at all. Plus, they claim that [redacted] and Grover are pushing for him. I spoke to both of them: they have never heard of him. This is so darned frustrating.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2002 2:43 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Cc: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Matt Schlapp just called

Long call. Had ton of questions regarding OIA. Crane had a poor interview. Knew nothing of the issue. [redacted] with [redacted] was on the interview pushing him. Schlapp says [redacted] did mention him at some point. I told him that both [redacted] and Grover do not know him. Bad news: He said good things about Radawagon: "Rove is close to him." There was a

meeting at 5pm at Interior that may have just been cancelled. Promised to keep me informed. Also asked me a bunch of policy questions about CNMI and Guam

Tony Rudy
Greenberg Traurig
800 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Suite 500
Washington, DC 20515
(202) [REDACTED]

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoff] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Monday, July 09, 2001 8:42 PM
To: [redacted]ralston@aol.com'
Subject: RE: Stayman

Great. Thanks.

—Original Message—

From: [redacted]ralston@aol.com [mailto:[redacted]ralston@aol.com]
Sent: Monday, July 09, 2001 9:25 PM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Subject: Re: Stayman

I heard today that OPP resolved the situation w/ State and worked out a deal that agreed to. 4 months is what they were shooting but it was finalized while I was away for the 4th of July.

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoff] on behalf of
Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)

Sent: Monday, July 09, 2001 7:49 PM

To: [redacted]ralston@aol.com'

Subject: RE: Stayman

Great. Is this a new pronouncement since last week?

—Original Message—

From: [redacted]ralston@aol.com [mailto:[redacted]ralston@aol.com]

Sent: Monday, July 09, 2001 6:43 PM

To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com; denniss[redacted]

Subject: Stayman

He'll be out in 4 months.

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Tuesday, January 30, 2001 6:37 AM
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE:

He's at the WH, and so was Mehlman I thought. I thought Mehlman was Political Director at the WH.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Tuesday, January 30, 2001 7:00 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE:

Yes right under rove
Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>; Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Tue Jan 30 00:39:34 2001
Subject: RE:

Is Mehlman at the RNC?

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Monday, January 29, 2001 12:07 PM
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Cc: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Re:

Excellent.
Kevin Ring

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 12:04:24 2001
Subject: Re:

Mehlman said he would get him fired
Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 12:03:14 2001
Subject: Re:

What???
Kevin Ring

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 12:01:58 2001

Subject: Re:

He said he would kill him
Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 12:01:10 2001
Subject: Re:

Ok, cool.
Kevin Ring

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 12:00:15 2001
Subject: Re:

Nope that is y I called
Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 11:59:16 2001
Subject: Re:

Is that why u called? Or do I still need to call?
Kevin Ring

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Jan 29 11:55:07 2001
Subject:

We need to get the background material on stayman to ken mehlman at the rnc Tony Rudy

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2001 4:02 PM
To: [REDACTED]@aol.com
Subject: Fw: FYI

Jack Abramoff

-----Original Message-----

From: roger stillwell <rgstillwell@[REDACTED]>
To: Jack Abramoff <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Tue Jun 26 16:38:57 2001
Subject: FYI

Understand that in a meeting today, the Ass't Sect of State for Asian Affairs announced that Al's contract had been extended so he stays as the Micronesian negotiator for another year at least.

[REDACTED]

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoff] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2001 9:39 PM
To: [REDACTED]ralston@aol.com
Subject: Stayman
Importance: High

Hi Susan. Per our discussion, here is a memo about the Stayman situation. It is quite urgent as tomorrow State is planning on deciding about his future. Please pass this to Karl. We need to get into this urgently, if possible. Thanks!

June 25, 2001

URGENT ATTENTION REQUIRED

TO: Susan Ralston
FR: Jack Abramoff
RE: Allen Stayman, Director of Compact Negotiations

We have been informed that Allen Stayman, Director of Compact Negotiations at the U.S. Department of State, may be retained in that position by the Bush Administration. The decision, we are told, will be made in the next 24 hours. For the reasons set forth below, we think Mr. Stayman's retention would be a serious mistake.

As you know, Mr. Stayman formerly headed the Office of Insular Affairs (OIA) at the Department of the Interior. During an investigation of the OIA during Stayman's tenure, [REDACTED] found evidence that Stayman was aware of and participated in a campaign to conduct opposition research against House Republicans and to help their political opponents by using the Interior Department's official resources.

The Interior Department's Inspector General, Earl E. Devaney, testified on July 12, 2000 before the House Resources Committee that his investigation of OIA had uncovered the "most egregious example I've seen" in 30 years of law enforcement experience of official misconduct. Mr. Devaney testified that documents obtained during the investigation showed Mr. Stayman was aware of improper political activities, but no evidence that he ordered them stopped.

The improper activities Mr. Devaney enumerated included "partisan political activity", engaging "in a lobbying campaign", and "improperly" obtaining and disclosing information about Members of Congress and political opponents - all on official time and through the use of U.S. government equipment. Mr. Stayman also participated in these activities by signing some of the political communications drafted at OIA, approving a press release to be issued by a private corporation, and directing improper OIA activities like photographing a Republican Member of Congress in "social" settings unrelated to OIA.

This pattern of behavior calls into serious question his suitability to serve the Bush Administration in any capacity, but especially as the United States representative in negotiations that will affect a U.S. insular territory that was the target of these same improper practices.

I have copies of the Committee's report, the testimony of the Inspector General, and dozens of news clippings about the Stayman matter. I can send them to you should desire to review them.

In addition, it is worth noting that we were just recently made aware of a personal email that Mr. Stayman wrote to his former colleagues at the Interior Department. In it, he seems to take pleasure in the flap over Puerto Rico. Stayman wrote:

I had lunch with Farrow and he told me how badly Bush and messed this up. The White House was preparing to tell the Puerto Ricans to stuff it if they didn't want the U.S. Navy, then they could have a vote on Statehood or Independence. But then Carl [sic] Rove advised that Jeb and Pataki needed Puerto Rican votes. The rest is history.

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Finally, a quick review of Mr. Stayman's contribution history shows that he has given thousands of dollars over the past several years to the DNC, DCCC, and Vice President Gore. The one Republican Mr. Stayman contributed to was Senator ██████████ during the GOP Presidential primaries.

We urge you to intercede and block the appointment of Mr. Stayman. Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GT LAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, October 09, 2002 11:52 PM
To: 'Ken Mehlman (GWB)'
Subject: FW: Endorsements

Ken, this is from the Lt. Gov candidate in Guam (on behalf of the Republican ticket) can we get a statement from the President, or – I am probably asking for too much! – a recorded something which they can play in their ads? Thanks for anything you guys can do.

—Original Message—

From: Kaleo S. Moylan [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, October 09, 2002 6:16 PM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Subject: Endorsements

Hafa Adai, Jack:

I understand that this late in the game it would be difficult at best to secure a photo op with the President. Given that we are 27 days away from our general election date it would be impossible for us to leave. However, we welcome any chance to that the President and Vice-President could make a TV endorsement of our campaign. I believe that would be more effective for us. If this is possible please let me know. And do our media people need to create the spot or do they have canned endorsements already.

Thanks again for all your help.

Regards,

Kaleo

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2002 8:17 AM
To: 'Susan Ralston'
Subject: RE: Mehlman

The only one who I had contact with (at the RNC, not WH) was Jack Oliver, who originally was my contact point, and he put me to Terry Nelson. I am happy for Ken to be the guy, but I would appreciate if they could hurry up since the election is less than 2 weeks away! Thanks Susan.

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston [mailto:ralston@georgewbush.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2002 8:04 AM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Subject: Mehlman

Ken asked me to let you know that he has the quote to be approved for your Guam candidates. Everyone would appreciate it if you would contact Ken only and not others here at the WH because they just forward it to him anyway. Too many cooks...

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to ralston@georgewbush.com

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2002 8:42 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Leger, Stephanie K. (Assoc-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is meeting with Rove on Tuesday. This meeting is confirmed. Just an fyi. If there are any ways to "bolster" Mehlman before that time, than we should do it.

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [mailto:[REDACTED]Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Thursday, February 21, 2002 9:35 AM
To: boulangert@gtlaw.com
Subject: [REDACTED]

Thanks for breakfast. I showed KR the binder and gave him a quick brief so he is aware. He gave the binder to Mehlman to read cover to cover and to be prepared. Mehlman will be at the meeting.

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to [REDACTED]ralston@georgewbush.com

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, October 31, 2001 7:56 AM
To: 'Susan Ralston - @GWB'
Subject: RE: Babauta

Super. Thanks so much!!! :) :)

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [mailto:Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Wednesday, October 31, 2001 8:50 AM
To: 'abramoffj@gtlaw.com'
Subject: RE: Babauta

You win :)
KR said no endorsement

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to Ralston@georgewbush.com

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2001 2:15 PM
To: 'Susan Ralston - @GWB'
Subject: RE: Mehlman

I'll get him what I can, but this is ridiculous. The guy is totally hated by the R's on the Hill and has insulted [REDACTED] and others in meetings (not all of this is in print). Ken has been called by the [REDACTED] guys. Why do they persist? They should just tell Lujan and Radewagen no. not like these guys do a damn thing for any of us anything. Sorry for ranting. I just can't believe that our guys are actually entertaining helping a guy who gives money to D's and attacks R's. I sent the memo to Ken, and will forward to you as well just in case. Thanks Susan.

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2001 3:14 PM
To: 'abramoffj@gtlaw.com'
Subject: RE: Mehlman

I know. KR is being lobbied by Lujan and Radewagen and that's why it came up again. You need to get Mehlman proof that he's a bad guy.

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to [REDACTED] ralston@georgewbush.com

-----Original Message-----

From: abramoffj@gtlaw.com <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org>
Sent: Fri Oct 26 15:08:50 2001
Subject: RE: Mehlman

Spoke to him. Can you believe they are still toying with endorsing Babuata? Babuata had a rally with the whites on the island where they were all saying that, if they were on the mainland, they would all be D's and that the only reason they are supporting a "republican" (Babuata) is because he really is a D! how true!

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2001 12:58 PM
To: 'abramoffj@gtlaw.com'
Subject: RE: Mehlman

He gets too many calls. Just wait to hear from him.

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to [REDACTED] ralston@georgewbush.com

-----Original Message-----

From: abramoffj@gtlaw.com <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org>
Sent: Fri Oct 26 12:54:26 2001
Subject: RE: Mehlman

Thanks. Just tried to get him, but got vmail.

-----Original Message-----

From: Susan Ralston - @GWB [REDACTED] Ralston@rnchq.org]
Sent: Friday, October 26, 2001 11:15 AM

To: 'abramoffj@gtlaw.com'
Cc: 'laner@gtlaw.com'
Subject: Mehlman

Just asked me for your number

Susan Ralston

Please send all replies to ralston@georgewbush.com

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Sent: Friday, October 26, 2001 1:31 PM
To: mehlman@who.eop.gov
Cc: Lippy, Laura J. (AdmAst-DC-AdGov)
Subject: FW: Memo for Mehlman



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Laura, please call Ken Mehlman's office to make sure I have the right email address.

Ken, here is a memo from Kevin on the topic we discussed.

October 26, 2001

TO: Ken Mehlman
RE: Background on Juan Babauta

We are aware that Juan Babauta is seeking an endorsement for his gubernatorial run. We think an endorsement would be a mistake, in light of Babauta's record.

For years, Congressional Republicans and movement conservatives have led the effort to keep the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI) a strong, independent commonwealth. They have ensured that the territory has moved away from welfare toward work. They have moved away from dependency to freedom. They have moved from socialism to economic liberty.

While conservatives have been bashed in the liberal media over their efforts to fight a federal takeover, the CNMI's own "Congressman," Mr. Juan Babauta has stood on the other side of these issues. Not only has he opposed these efforts, he has undercut the Congressional Republicans at every turn. Indeed, rather than supporting those efforts, Mr. Babauta has served as chief apologist for CNMI enemies Congressman [REDACTED] and Senator [REDACTED].

In addition, it is critical to understand that party labels sometimes mean one thing on the mainland and quite another on the islands. Indeed, a fundraiser held just last week for Mr. Babauta brought home this point very clearly. At the event, a liberal attorney who works for Milberg Weiss announced at the event, "I never thought I would be supporting a Republican, but to be honest, if we were on the mainland, we would all be Democrats." And, indeed, they would.

Specifically, Mr. Babauta has:

- **Denounced House Republicans Efforts to Protect the CNMI.** Babauta said that Democrats would win the House and efforts on behalf of Saipan would only anger leading Democrats. He has constantly publicly mused about the return to power of the Democrats in Congress, stating that Republican help would only lead to Democratic anger in the future. "We have to remember that Mr. Babauta was extremely critical of Governor Froilan Tenorio's decision to ... court American conservative Republicans. Mr. Babauta characterized it as an unwise partisan ploy which could backfire. And yet he may have been in bed with [REDACTED] David North [former Interior employee accused of illegal actions against Republican Congressmen and violation of other laws in pursuit of Clinton's aim to take over the CNMI immigration and minimum wage authorities] and the others all along." ("Mr. Babauta's about-face" Saipan Tribune, 01/24/00)

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- **Proclaimed that [REDACTED] is a “genuine champion of human rights.”** Despite the fact that [REDACTED] would double the minimum wage immediately and allow a takeover by the federal government, Babauta said that [REDACTED] was just misunderstood and was a “genuine champion of human rights.”
- **Testified in support of increasing the CNMI’s minimum wage.** While conservatives have fought a principled fight to protect the local economy from a draconian minimum wage hike, Babauta supported applying the federal minimum wage to the CNMI.
- **Spent more time lobbying for the CNMI to have a non-voting delegate in Congress than fighting urgent minimum wage and federal immigration takeover threats.** Even when Mr. Babauta testified before Congress, he did not use the opportunity to denounce takeover efforts. Instead, he admitted to “focusing” his testimony on the delegate bill [an attempt to raise his status in Washington from Resident Representative, with no office in the Congressional complex, to that of Delegate, like those of Guam, American Samoa, Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico]. According to the Saipan Tribune, “Mr. Babauta’s federal takeover opposition is strongly suspect. It is a well known fact that Mr. Babauta used to be one of our critics. In the early 1990s, Mr. Babauta was an ardent champion of the federal minimum wage in the CNMI. He was highly critical of our local garment industry—about as critical as David North, Al Stayman [Clinton head of the OIA], [REDACTED] 20/20, Global Exchange, and [REDACTED]”
- **Contributed financially to re-election campaign of Senator Akaka, leading Senate opponent of CNMI.** It is hard to understand why Mr. Babauta would have supported the campaign of such a long-standing foe of the CNMI. Moreover, it is impossible to determine how his relationship with Senator [REDACTED] has benefited the CNMI.

In his words and in his deeds – political giving and legislative actions, to name just a couple – Juan Babauta has demonstrated that he is unworthy of endorsement by Republicans in Washington, DC. The Administration and Republican Party should protect the integrity of their reputations by not endorsing a candidate who reflects the values of neither of these two great entities.

One last note: Mr. Babauta’s main opponent in the election, House Speaker Ben Fitial, has been endorsed by [REDACTED], as well as Representatives [REDACTED], [REDACTED], and [REDACTED]. These conservative stalwarts would not have broken ranks with their party’s gubernatorial candidate without serious consideration. And yet each chose to endorse Mr. Babauta’s opponent

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From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Thursday, February 20, 2003 2:29 PM
To: [REDACTED] Farley@who.eop.gov'
Subject: Re: Things

Just left message at both your numbers. Call my cell, please. 202-[REDACTED]

-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED] Farley@who.eop.gov <[REDACTED] Farley@who.eop.gov>
To: ringk@gtlaw.com <ringk@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Thu Feb 20 15:12:47 2003
Subject: Re: Things

I need to talk to you ASAP about Sandia

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To: Jennifer M. Farley/WHO/EOP@EOP

cc:

Subject: Things

1. All set to use the fruit on new date?
2. Pascua Yaqui heard the delegation IS going to visit their rez now. True? Can you check? Are you going?

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Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2002 12:53 PM
To: 'Leonard Rodriguez'
Cc: Jack Oliver; nelson@mc[REDACTED]; peshong@mc[REDACTED]; Ken Mehlman
Subject: RE: Guam candidates quote

Thanks Leonard. I appreciate your getting back to me.

—Original Message—

From: Leonard Rodriguez [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@georgewbush.com>
Sent: Wednesday, October 23, 2002 1:38 PM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Cc: Jack Oliver; nelson@mc[REDACTED]; peshong@mc[REDACTED]; Ken Mehlman
Subject: Guam candidates quote

Jack—

I work in the office of Political Affairs under Ken Mehlman and oversee the US Territories for our office.

We approved the quote below this morning for our candidates use.

In the future please feel free to contact me directly for any requests from Guam.

Thanks and looking forward to working with you,
Leonard Rodriguez

[REDACTED] (w)

BTW, I tried to reach you via your cell phone to introduce myself and share this message with you.

I have the following number for you [REDACTED]

Below is the approved quote for our Guam candidates.

"Felix Camacho, Kaleo Moylan and Joe Ada are strong, effective leaders for Guam. As candidates for Governor, Lt. Governor and Delegate to Congress, they will bring the promise of a new confidence and new prosperity to the island of Guam. My Administration will work closely with them to see Guam remains a trusted friend and an American treasure."

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From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, February 07, 2003 10:25 AM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: email on jena

Dammit. It was sent to Susan on her rmc pager and was not supposed to go into the WH system.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, February 07, 2003 10:26 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: email on jena

Your email to Susan was forwarded to Ruben Barrales and on to Jen Farley, who read it to me last night. I don't know what to think about this, but she said it is better to not put this stuff in writing in their email system because it might actually limit what they can do to help us, especially since there could be lawsuits, etc. Who knows? Just letting you know what she said. Anyway, I had called her to talk about Jena. She has not heard from anyone on the other side of this issue.

From: Susan Ralston [mailto:ralston@georgewbush.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 11, 2003 3:04 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: Louisiana

Karl and others are aware, but the WH is not going to get involved.

-----Original Message-----

From: abramoffj@gtlaw.com [mailto:abramoffj@gtlaw.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 06, 2003 4:24 PM
To: Susan Ralston
Subject: Louisiana

I don't want to bother you guys with a meeting request, so I was hoping you could pass on to Karl that Interior is about to approve a gaming compact and

land in trust for a tribe which is an anathema to all our supporters down there. it's called the Jena tribe, and the politicians (!) at Interior (low - mid level) are agreeing to this. It will cause a major backlash from our coalition and is something which they should not do on the merits. I believe that Steve Griles over there would be opposed, but it's important, if possible, to get some quiet message from WH that this is absurd. Thanks Susan.

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From: Barry Jackson [mailto:jackson@georgewbush.com]
Sent: Wednesday, March 12, 2003 9:37 AM
To: Volz, Neil G. (Dir-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: indian

what was the name of the chief you recommended for medal of freedom

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2003 1:41 PM
To: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: RE: Raptors replacement game

I just talked to Jennifer Farley and she said she is going to use them. If anything changes, she said she will call me. I then called Laura Ayres who said that David and she were going to use their 4 tickets, too.

So, I have affirmatively checked with both people and they are absolutely, positively, 100%, no-doubt, swear-on-their-mothers' grave, shoot-me-if-I-am-lying going to use their tickets.

-----Original Message-----

From: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2003 2:07 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: FW: Raptors replacement game

Can you make certain they are using the tix, per jack's email below? Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2003 12:21 PM
To: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: RE: Raptors replacement game

We are talking about almost \$5K in tickets. I want him to affirmatively find out that they are going and if not, get the tickets back.

-----Original Message-----

From: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2003 11:46 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Fw: Raptors replacement game

Fyi

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>
To: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm) <bowersh@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Mon Feb 24 22:19:35 2003
Subject: RE: Raptors replacement game

as far as I know they are because both said they would definitely tell me if they couldn't use them.

-----Original Message-----

From: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2003 6:25 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: FW: Raptors replacement game

Do you know if are Ayres and Farley still planning to go to the game on Tuesday?

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2003 6:17 PM
To: Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: Raptors replacement game

Please confirm that everyone who wanted tix to the Raptors game will use them for the replacement game, that being Kevin's guests Ayres and Farley. Thanks. we have the BBB's still for us, right?

From: [REDACTED] Farley@who.eop.gov
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2003 5:47 PM
To: ringk@gtlaw.com
Subject: Gift

Hi Kevin, thanks for the fruit basket idea. Unfortunately I will not be able to accept it. Your thanks is enough. Give me a call and we can talk.

Jennifer

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, February 26, 2003 10:00 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Bowers, Holly M. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm); Bozniak, Allison R. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: Tickets
Importance: High

Jennifer Farley just called and said that she NOW cannot use the tickets for next Tuesday. I will get them back from her tomorrow.

GTG-R005096

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2002 5:37 PM
To: Wilson, Padgett (AstDir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: FW: Choctaw Jail

yes

-----Original Message-----

From: Wilson, Padgett (AstDir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2002 5:47 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Re: FW: Choctaw Jail

Where are you, Jack? Are you in the office tomorrow?

Padgett Wilson

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Wilson, Padgett (AstDir-DC-Gov) <wilsonp@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jan 16 16:59:29 2002
Subject: FW: Choctaw Jail

Email would be best, but also a hard copy if possible. thanks Pat.

-----Original Message-----

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2002 4:56 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Vasell, Shawn (Dir-DC-Gov)
Cc: Wilson, Padgett (AstDir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: Choctaw Jail

There should be a summary memo lurking around out there. Pat, can you find the jail information, plus the [REDACTED] letter, the house leadership letter and the [REDACTED] colloquay and get it to Jack ASAP. If you can't find the backgrounder, look in my file cabinet/top drawer..there is a choctaw jail folder. Shawn has the same folder in his lower right desk drawer. Thanks.

Todd Anthony Boulanger

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov) <boulangerT@gtlaw.com>; Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>; Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>; Vasell, Shawn (Dir-DC-Gov) <vasells@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jan 16 16:50:07 2002
Subject: RE: Choctaw Jail

Can someone get me a two paragraph summary I can use to get the meeting set?

-----Original Message-----

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2002 4:44 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Vasell, Shawn (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: Choctaw Jail

My siggestion is that you meet with Rove.

Todd Anthony Boulanger

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>; Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov) <boulangerT@gtlaw.com>; Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudyt@gtlaw.com>; Vasell, Shawn (Dir-DC-Gov) <vasells@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jan 16 16:38:46 2002
Subject: RE: Choctaw Jail

Shit. This is horrible. we need to end this. The client is literally at wits end. What can we do?

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2002 4:36 PM
To: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Vasell, Shawn (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Choctaw Jail

Just got off the phone with Tracy Henke at DOJ. Geez! We are not there. She has seen letters and clearly is not impressed enough. We need to talk more later about this. OJP is going to offer Choctaw \$9 million again with understanding that Congress may push for remainder. Frustrating. Kevin Ring

GTG-R005146

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoff] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 8:50 PM
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

He's the first choice.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 7:42 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Re: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

Will call again
Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov) <rudy@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jun 19 19:41:00 2002
Subject: FW: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

Is [REDACTED] still possible for the golf trip?

-----Original Message-----

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 5:33 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

They should go higher so he hears it from [REDACTED]
I think she should call: leadership, [REDACTED] for sure. [REDACTED] too. -----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 5:32 PM
To: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

Just talked to White House Intergovernmental. I am pretty sure they will weigh in - just trying to figure if they should call Joel or some other player in this drama. -----Original Message-----

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 4:19 PM
To: Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share
Importance: High

There is no way I'm giving itemized lists to the NRCC, or anybody else for that matter.
Saginaw: Republican -- \$225K House/Senate + \$50K for the President's dinner tonight
Dems: \$79K
Tigua: Republican -- \$300K House/Senate Dems: \$0
Coushatta: Republican -- \$178K House/Senate Dems: \$87K
Choctaw: Republican-Several Million (more than \$3 million over the last 2 cycles) to

House/Senate/Administration/Conservative Groups. Dems: \$ Less
than \$125K, I estimate.

**Do not forward this email, please.

-----Original Message-----

From: Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 4:08 PM
To: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Abramoff,
Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Williams, Michael E.
(Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

██████████ is at the dinner already - will talk with him in the morning, but I just spoke with Jonathon Poe over at the NRCC. We talked this through thoroughly and he got it instantly and will talk with ██████████ in the morning before I call. His suggestion for me was to have a list of money contributed by tribes broken down r to d so I can make the cleanest argument that we are about to let the Senate Democrats take credit for the biggest ask of the year by the most Republican leaning tribes - and then NRCC/RNC/ETC will not have to wonder why indian country gives more money to Democrats. Is that list accessible or can someone give me a pretty close number that I can use.....

-----Original Message-----

From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 3:56 PM
To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin
(Shld-DC-Gov); Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Williams, Michael E.
(Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

The bottom line is that a staffer received several letters from appropriators, Native American Caucus co-chairs and other supporting a project that costs the Federal government ZERO dollars...and he's refusing to put it in the bill because it's "his account." I'm sorry, but that is bullshit. I am stunned that leadership is going to let this happen. The tribes that want this (not just ours) are the only guys who take care of the Rs. We're going to seriously reconsider our priorities in the current lists i'm drafting right now if our friends don't weigh in with some juice. If leadership isn't going to cash in a chit for (easily) our most important project, then they are out of luck from here on out as long as I am drafting the matrices for Jack.

-----Original Message-----

From: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 3:47 PM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Boulanger,
Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Gibson, Duane R.
(Shld-DC-Gov/Adm); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: Re: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

I just came out of a meeting with ██████████'s folks. Joel aint budging. They sugested that we get ██████████ and ██████████ who do indian stuff and ask them to go to chairman ██████████ and make the case politically Tony Rudy

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) <abramoffj@gtlaw.com>
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov) <ringk@gtlaw.com>; Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov)
<rudyt@gtlaw.com>; Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov) <boulangerT@gtlaw.com>; Volz, Neil G.
(AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm) <volzn@gtlaw.com>; Gibson, Duane R. (Shld-DC-Gov/Adm)
<gibsond@gtlaw.com>; Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov) <williamsme@gtlaw.com>
Sent: Wed Jun 19 15:42:42 2002
Subject: RE: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

This is brilliant.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)

Sent: Wednesday, June 19, 2002 3:42 PM

To: Rudy, Tony (Shld-DC-Gov); Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Volz, Neil G. (AstDir-DC-Gov/Adm); Gibson, Duane R. (Shld-DC-Gov/Adm); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov); Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)

Subject: INTERIOR APPROPS - Proposed strategy on cost-share

Importance: High

I realize the jackassness of the people we are dealing with at the subcommittee; namely, Joel. We met with [REDACTED] yesterday and he is going to call. [REDACTED] did already. Others Members and staff will call, perhaps to no avail. But how about this? [REDACTED]'s office (or better yet, someone from NRCC) calls Joel Kaplan and says, "What the f is going on? The few tribes that give us BIG money say that you won't include a cost-share provision that is supported by Republican Members of the Committee, the Native American Caucus, and some Democrats. Worse yet, they said that you are telling them it will be in the SENATE bill and so it can be worked out at Conference without putting it in the House bill. Do you understand that the Senate is controlled by DEMOCRATS and that letting them take credit for this program will send a VERY bad signal to the few tribes that actually like Republicans?????" I am going to see if the White House IGA office will make that call, too, but it would be great if NRCC or [REDACTED]'s office calls and says that they have heard about this from the NRCC. Let Members fight on policy and have others fight on politics.

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov) [/o=GTLAW/ou=WDC/cn=Recipients/cn=abramoffj] on behalf of Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2002 12:07 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: fax from Matt Schlapp

That's horrible news! We need more intel.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2002 11:09 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: fax from Matt Schlapp

Kimo talked to Radewagon's wife and she said Cohen is a great choice.

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2002 11:04 AM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: fax from Matt Schlapp

I am just worried that he might be a Radewagon guy, since he is a Samoan, as is Radewagon's wife. Can you have someone call Radewagon from the Hill asking about this guy, saying that he is a candidate for OIA and the Hill is checking up on him?

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2002 10:12 AM
To: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: fax from Matt Schlapp

Geez. This guy is unbelievably qualified. Not only that, he raised money for both George Sr. and George W. Although he seems like a squish, that political background no doubt is going to help him.

He's never been in DC for a job, so we are going to have a limited number of people to ask about him.

-----Original Message-----

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2002 10:00 AM
To: Gertner, Ilisa (AdmAst-DC-Gov); Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Cc: Bozniak, Allison R. (AdmAst-DC-Gov/Adm)
Subject: fax from Matt Schlapp
Importance: High

I just faxed our machine the resume of the guy they want to hire for OIA. Kevin, can you check him out as soon as possible? we need to find out if he is a bad guy and if so why. Ilisa, please get Kevin the fax. Thanks.

From: Abramoff, Jack (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2002 5:51 PM
To: [REDACTED] Schlapp@who.eop.gov'
Subject: RE: did not get the fax yet

Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

From: [REDACTED] Schlapp@who.eop.gov [mailto:[REDACTED] Schlapp@who.eop.gov]
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2002 6:48 PM
To: abramoffj@gtlaw.com
Subject: Re: did not get the fax yet

<< File: pic14875.pcx >> just got the resume from PPO; faxing it to the number you gave me right now

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image moved abramoffj@gtlaw.com
to file: 01/10/2002 06:18:28 PM
pic14875.pcx)

Record Type: Record

To: Matthew A. Schlapp/WHO/EOP@EOP

cc:
Subject: did not get the fax yet

Please let me know if you think it will be tonight still, or tomorrow. If tonight, I might want you to send to my home fax, since I have to leave for a meeting soon. Thanks Matt.

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From: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2002 3:10 PM
To: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov); Gibson, Duane R. (Shld-DC-Gov/Adm); Platt, Ronald (Dir-DC-Gov); Smith, Michael D. (Assoc-DC-Legis); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: RE: WH/██████████

Wow, that would be huge....and a nice, sly way to get the project jump started.

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2002 4:06 PM
To: Boulanger, Todd (Dir-DC-Gov); Gibson, Duane R. (Shld-DC-Gov/Adm); Platt, Ronald (Dir-DC-Gov); Smith, Michael D. (Assoc-DC-Legis); Williams, Michael E. (Dir-DC-Gov)
Subject: FW: WH/██████████

FYI

-----Original Message-----

From: Ring, Kevin (Shld-DC-Gov)
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2002 4:05 PM
To: Governor Stewart Palsano (E-mail); David Mielke (E-mail); Tom Susman (E-mail); Mark L. Lezell (E-mail); Reid Chambers (E-mail)
Subject: WH/██████████

Jennifer Farley at White House Intergovernmental Affairs Office called ██████████ in ██████████'s office last week at our urging. Jennifer did not get a return call. She tried again today and ██████████ wasn't taking the call, so Jennifer said that she would hold and told receptionist that it was urgent matter. Receptionist came back on line and said that ██████████ said the Chief of Staff was person to talk to and that he would call her back.

FYI: Jennifer is calling to tell ██████████'s people that the President is planning to go to NM for ██████████ again and wants to know if the mountain issue will be completed by time of visit. Will be interesting to hear Bell's response. Goal here obviously is to show NM delegation that there is some interest from parties other than Pueblo.

I will keep you posted.

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