To: Soderlund, Dianne[Soderlund.Dianne@epa.gov]; Dunbar, Bill[dunbar.bill@epa.gov]; McLerran, Dennis[mclerran.dennis@epa.gov]; Tyler, Kendra[Tyler.Kendra@epa.gov]; Edmondson, Lucy[Edmondson.Lucy@epa.gov]
From: Smith, Marla J.
Sent: Thur 8/15/2013 9:04:11 PM
Subject: RE: Begich ideas...

Currently 7 – 14 seats available (Per SATO), won't be able to get a seat assignment until check in if we wait much longer.

Marla

From: Soderlund, Dianne
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 12:42 PM
To: Dunbar, Bill; McLerran, Dennis; Tyler, Kendra; Edmondson, Lucy
Cc: Smith, Marla J.
Subject: RE: Begich ideas...

Not sure about flight availability, but if available we could catch the 10:15 Alaska flight to Fairbanks. This would require heading to the airport at 8:30 at the latest, which means a 7:30 – 8:30 meeting here in AOO.

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From: Dunbar, Bill
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 12:32 PM
To: McLerran, Dennis; Herckis, Arian; Vaught, Laura; Tyler, Kendra; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: RE: Begich ideas...

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From: McLerran, Dennis
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 1:20 PM
To: Herckis, Arian; Vaught, Laura; Dunbar, Bill; Tyler, Kendra; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: Re: Begich ideas...

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From: Herckis, Arian
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 12:19:19 PM
To: Vaught, Laura; McLerran, Dennis; Dunbar, Bill; Tyler, Kendra; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: RE: Begich ideas...

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From: Vaught, Laura
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 2:59 PM
To: McLerran, Dennis; Dunbar, Bill; Herckis, Arian; Tyler, Kendra; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: RE: Begich ideas...

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From: McLerran, Dennis
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 2:55 PM
To: Dunbar, Bill; Vaught, Laura; Herckis, Arian; Tyler, Kendra; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: Re: Begich ideas...

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From: Dunbar, Bill
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2013 11:23:49 AM
To: Vaught, Laura; Herckis, Arian; Tyler, Kendra; McLerran, Dennis; Soderlund, Dianne; Edmondson, Lucy
Subject: Begich ideas...

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From: Johnson, Michael (Begich) [mailto:Michael_Johnson@begich.senate.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2013 6:49 PM
To: Dunbar, Bill
Cc: Boersma, Clare (Begich); Thoma, Schawna (Begich)
Subject: A couple options

Bill,

Good to talk with you earlier today. As always, I appreciate your understanding and willingness to work with us on this stuff.

As we discussed, our best option for putting the senator, the administrator and any Fairbanksans together does appear to be a Video Teleconference (VTC). It's not ideal, but it's what we have.

Cory Borgesen, GVEA CEO, can make himself available that morning (we double-checked without promising anything) and could come to our Fairbanks office. We/they might want a few others from their management team/board members to be there, but we can discuss later on.

Flights to Fairbanks leave Anchorage at the following times on Wednesday the 28th:

7:00 a.m. - AK Air

9:20 a.m. ERA

10:15 a.m. AK Air

2:30 p.m. AK Air

(There's a 6:00 a.m., but I didn't list that out of decency.)

What we'd prefer is if the administrator could delay her trip for a few hours and do the VTC together with the senator on the Anchorage end of things. That would give them a little bit of time in the same place to have a cup of coffee and talk more easily about Pebble, climate, and things Alaska.

Unfortunately, the flights don't work out perfectly for that. To help the times work better, we could offer to schedule/conduct another meeting or two that way. Luke, the FNSB Mayor, is a pretty easy-going and agreeable fellow. He might be willing to do his PM 2.5 meeting, or whatever topics you have scheduled, that way. We can make the ask if it's awkward for your side to ask him to do so.

If you're going to have deal with secret service escort stuff, our Anchorage office is in the Peterson Towers, 510 L Street (between 5th and 6th downtown). Sen. Murkowski, the Denali Commission, and some USDA offices are in the building but it doesn't have security. The Fairbanks office is in the Federal office building, behind security, along with the federal court offices, USF&WS and the like. It's on 101 12th Avenue, so downtownish.

Let me know how this works for EPA folks and we'll keep plugging away. BTW, I have copied our State Director, Schawna Thoma, and Clare Boersma, who among many talents, schedules the boss while he's in state.

-MJ