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President Trump EPA Transition Team

The Honorable Scott Pruitt
Nominee - Environmental Protection Agency Administrator
Office of the Administrator 1101A
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20460

Dear EPA Transition Team and Administrator-Nominee Pruitt:

On behalf of the American Coalition for Ethanol (ACE), I want to congratulate you on your nomination as Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. I am writing to ask that you save the date for our organization's 2017 fly-in in hopes that you will accept our invitation to speak with our members.

Founded in 1987, ACE is the grassroots voice of the U.S. ethanol industry, uniting ethanol producers, farmers, small businesses in rural America, and individuals in support of our mission to make American ethanol the consumer fuel of choice. We organize a large annual Washington, DC, fly-in to give our grassroots members an opportunity to discuss critical and timely issues with Congress and to meet with leaders of the Administration.

ACE is holding our fly-in on March 23, 2017, and we would be honored if you would join us to address our members during a morning strategic planning session. The morning session will occur at the Liaison Hotel from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The majority of our membership represents rural America, from the very states that helped elect President Trump in 2016.

A formal letter of invitation will be transmitted once the U.S. Senate confirms your appointment.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. Your staff can contact Shannon Gustafson at 605-334-3381 ext. 16 or sgustafson@ethanol.org to confirm your availability, or to answer any questions you have about the event.

Sincerely,

Brian Jennings, Executive Vice President
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