


Fw: location of public meetings in Great Lakes Basin EIS
Vicki Rutson to: David Navecky, Phillis Johnson-Ball

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Would it be a killer to schedule a morning meeting? I think it might be, but it would mean alot to these folks in Boone County...

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From: Joe Sosnowski <sosnowski@ilhousegop.org>
 To: Vicki.Rutson@stb.dot.gov
 Date: 03/21/2016 03:02 PM
 Subject: Re: location of public meetings in Great Lakes Basin EIS

Vicki,

Thank you very much for your phone call. Representative Sosnowski and I greatly appreciate you opening the lines of communication. I will advise the representative of our discussions; however, he will more than likely be reaching out to discuss this issue further with Mr. Navecky. A morning meeting is not an inconvenience. At this point it is better to offer an option to residents in Boone County than nothing at all. I know that many would make the time to attend the meeting knowing in advance of the additional venue location. Also, we will help explain to residents that if they cannot attend the day time meeting there are the alternative meeting locations Again, I can help with a location and whatever accommodations your office will need. Again, thank you for reaching out and adding Representative Sosnowski to your contact list and thank you in advance for your consideration of the morning meeting.

Best regards,

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On Mon, Mar 21, 2016 at 1:29 PM, <Vicki.Rutson@stb.dot.gov> wrote:

Dear Representative Sosnowski and Ms. Erikson:

Dave Naveky and Phillis Johnson-Ball of my office are looking into whether it may be possible to add a meeting that would be closer to the citizens of Boone County than the Cherry Valley Fire Station in Rockford. Right now, though, we have meetings scheduled Monday through Friday on both weeks that Board environmental staff will be in Wisconsin, Illinois, and Indiana. We have tried to ensure that everyone could get to a meeting in roughly a half hour or less. Dave, Phillis, and I would be pleased to talk with you about this at your earliest convenience. We'll give you a call momentarily.

Regards,

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