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From: Risley, David <Risley.David@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, September 8, 2022 4:25 PM
To: Safiya Omari
Subject: RE: Meeting Request (in person on Thur?)

I apologize, but I need to update the available times (central). AA Fox is now available:

- 9:00 on Monday
- 12:00 on Tuesday
- 11:00 on Wednesday

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From: Risley, David
Sent: Thursday, September 8, 2022 3:58 PM
To: Safiya Omari <somari@city.jackson.ms.us>
Subject: RE: Meeting Request (in person on Thur?)

Hello Dr. Omari,

With apologies, those times do not work on our end. Here are a few windows (in central time) that we could make work:

- After 3:00 on Monday
- 12:00 on Tuesday
- 11:00 on Wednesday

Best,
David

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From: Safiya Omari <somari@city.jackson.ms.us>
Sent: Thursday, September 8, 2022 12:03 PM
To: Risley, David <Risley.David@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Meeting Request (in person on Thur?)

Hi, David

Mayor Lumumba and I have availability tomorrow at 1 pm and 3 pm CST. We are also available on Monday at 2 and 3 pm CST. Let me know if any of these times work.

Best,

Safiya R. Omari, PhD (she/her)

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“Those who say it can’t be done are usually interrupted by others doing it.” - James Baldwin, Notes of a Native Son

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OK, understood. Please stay in touch with times that will work on your end.

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From: Safiya Omari <somari@city.jackson.ms.us>
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To: Risley, David <Risley.David@epa.gov>
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Good morning, David.

Sorry that AA Fox is unable to make our meeting this morning. Unfortunately, We don't have availability this afternoon. We will look to rearrange our schedule for tomorrow afternoon and get back to you, but it appears that early next week may be the best option. Thanks!


Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 8, 2022, at 6:58 AM, Risley, David <Risley.David@epa.gov> wrote:

Good morning Dr. Omari, just following up on this request. Please let us know your preference for a virtual meeting today, tomorrow, or early next week.

Sincerely,
David


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On Sep 7, 2022, at 8:03 PM, Risley, David <Risley.David@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Dr. Omari. I just tried to call you but it went to voicemail. I understand that the EPA travel team will be returning to DC first thing in the morning. That said, AA Fox really wants to prioritize a follow-up meeting with the Mayor. She suggested a virtual call either tomorrow afternoon or--if you want to give us a little more time to prepare responses to your excellent funding questions--maybe on Friday or early next week. Please let me know your preference.

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On Sep 5, 2022, at 3:03 PM, Safiya Omari <somari@city.jackson.ms.us> wrote:

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