
From: Ryan, James <FTA>
To: Day, Elizabeth <FTA>
Sent: 5/21/2009 1:00:01 AM
Subject: RE: briefings for Senate Approps

I'm OK for any day next week. Later would be better because there are several things not on the "roadmap" that I need to understand better than I do now. These include the implications of the landslide of comments on the DEIS, the city's procurement steps for the goofy 1st segment, and a waiver request related to that procurement. All of these items are in the region, so Tuesday would be useful to pry some clear answers out of those folks in prep for this briefing.

From: Borinsky, Susan <FTA>
Sent: Wed 5/20/2009 7:13 PM
To: Day, Elizabeth <FTA>; Ryan, James <FTA>
Subject: FW: briefings for Senate Approps

Beth and Jim—please suggest times for the Honolulu meeting to Kate.

Beth, I think for the PPP discussion, it's you and Jayme.

I am happy to attend either or both meetings. Susan

From: Webb, Kate <FTA>
Sent: Wednesday, May 20, 2009 3:22 PM
To: Day, Elizabeth <FTA>; Borinsky, Susan <FTA>
Subject: FW: briefings for Senate Approps

Hi Susan and Beth,

Rachel Milberg w/ Senate Approps would like a briefing on the Honolulu project and she will likely include Sen. Inouye's office as well (Inouye is Chair of the Full Senate Approps Committee). Who would be the best person(s) in TPE to do that? Rachel is asking for some suggested dates and times for the briefing. As you'll note from the e-mail below, she also wants to know who FTA rates considers and rates PPPP projects. I would think that would be TPE and then maybe Jayme Blakesley for that briefing? Please let me know your thoughts. Thanks!

Kate.

From: Milberg, Rachel (Appropriations) [mailto:Rachel_Milberg@appro.senate.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, May 19, 2009 2:16 PM
To: Webb, Kate <FTA>
Subject: briefings

Kate,

As I mentioned earlier, I'd like to set up a briefing on the Honolulu transit project and its status in the New Starts program.

I'm also interested in learning more about how the FTA considers and rates public-private partnership projects that go through the New Starts program. And whether or not this differs from how this kind of project is rated in the TIFIA program.

Could you let me know what days and times work for you?

Thank you,
Rachel