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**From:** Ossi, Joseph (FTA)  
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I asked Susan if we shouldn't reiterate the content of the paragraph to which you refer, in the letter that we are working on now, along with a statement that their early commitment of local funds to contracts for the western segment would severely constrain their options for developing a financial plan suitable for entry into final design. She essentially rejected the idea and said that we should deal with the financial issue later, when the FD approval is being considered.

I tried.

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