

From: [Grimaldi, John J. \(BEGA\)](#)
To: [Intrieri, Alana \(EOM\)](#)
Cc: [Collier, Tameka \(BEGA\)](#); [Flowers, Brian \(BEGA\)](#); [Cavendish, Betsy \(EOM\)](#)
Subject: Re: possible to delay mtg a day or so?
Date: Monday, October 30, 2017 8:28:32 AM

Thanks, Alana. I'm glad we finally connected. Going forward, the best way to reach me is by email or by cell: [REDACTED]

More importantly, we fully appreciate the Mayor's support of efforts to achieve ethical government, as well as your willingness to work with us and the Committee toward that end, as the bill winds through the process.

Right now, our plan is to digest the comments made in the hearing testimony and then make final revisions to the bill and to the accompanying section-by-section analysis. Our preliminary understanding is that mark-up will be after after the new year, so there should be sufficient time to do all that. I'll keep you and Betsy posted.

Jack

From: Intrieri, Alana (EOM)
Sent: Friday, October 27, 2017 4:14 PM
To: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Cavendish, Betsy (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?
Mr. Grimaldi:

I am sorry that we have not been able to connect.

I received one voicemail message from you. I returned that call, but was not able to reach you. The same thing occurred just moments ago. I understand that you met with Betsy Cavendish to discuss this issue. I intended to be at that meeting, but it was rescheduled to a time that did not accommodate my schedule.

Certainly, the Mayor support efforts to achieve ethical government, but, typically, the Mayor does not take a position on measures prior to a hearing. As of now that is the case for this measure.

Nonetheless, I look forward to working with you and the Committee to refine the bill as necessary as it moves forward.

Thanks,
Alana

-----Original Message-----

From: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Sent: Friday, October 27, 2017 11:58 AM
To: Intrieri, Alana (EOM) <alana.intrieri@dc.gov>
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA) <tameka.collier@dc.gov>; Flowers, Brian (BEGA) <Brian.Flowers@dc.gov>; Cavendish, Betsy (EOM) <betsy.cavendish@dc.gov>
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Good morning, Alana.

We are now less than a week from the Committee hearing on Bill 22-136. The bill represents the first major overhaul of the Ethics Act since the Mayor (as then Chairperson of the Council Committee on Government Operations) lead the way to its passage in 2011. I understand that, while vetting our current Board Chairperson, Tameka Collier, the Mayor even referred to the Ethics Act as "her baby."

I am surprised, then, that you have not responded to my several efforts to arrange a meeting to discuss the bill, beginning with my October 2 email immediately below. I followed up on the email by leaving you voicemail messages on October 6 and 16.

That said, your silence leaves us to guess at what the Mayor's position is on the bill. We want to be clear, however, as we anticipate answering questions from Committee members and otherwise preparing for the hearing. Please, then, let us know where the Mayor stands. A meeting to have that discussion would still be welcome.

Thanks.

Jack Grimaldi

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From: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Sent: Monday, October 02, 2017 1:51 PM
To: Intrieri, Alana (EOM)
Cc: Cavendish, Betsy (EOM); Flowers, Brian (BEGA)
Subject: FW: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Alana, sorry we missed you at the meeting this morning to discuss Bill 22-136. Betsy suggested that Brian and I try to see you before the Committee hearing on November 2. Please, then, suggest a few dates/times that would work on your end.

Thanks.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 9:58 AM
To: Anthony, Lavita (EOM)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Cavendish, Betsy (EOM); Seshasai, Karuna (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Sure does. Thanks, LaVita. See you then.

-----Original Message-----

From: Anthony, Lavita (EOM)

Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 9:36 AM
To: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Cavendish, Betsy (EOM); Seshasai, Karuna (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

How does Monday, October 2nd @ 11 am work for you guys?

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From: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 8:38 AM
To: Anthony, Lavita (EOM)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Cavendish, Betsy (EOM); Seshasai, Karuna (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Thanks, LaVita, but neither today nor tomorrow work on our end. However, we're generally open next Monday (Oct. 2) and late in the afternoon on Tuesday.

Jack

-----Original Message-----

From: Anthony, Lavita (EOM)
Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 9:55 AM
To: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Cavendish, Betsy (EOM); Seshasai, Karuna (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Good morning Jack,

Below are possible windows to move the meeting:

Tuesday, September 26th 2-5; or
Wednesday, September 27th 3:30-5.

Please let me know your availability.

Thanks in advance.

LaVita

-----Original Message-----

From: Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)
Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 9:24 AM
To: Cavendish, Betsy (EOM)
Cc: Collier, Tameka (BEGA); Flowers, Brian (BEGA); Anthony, Lavita (EOM)
Subject: RE: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

Sorry, Betsy, get her well. Send us some suggested times to get together, though note that Thursday and Friday are out for Brian and me this week.

Jack

-----Original Message-----

From: Cavendish, Betsy (EOM)

Sent: Monday, September 25, 2017 8:54 AM

To: Anthony, Lavita (EOM); Grimaldi, John J. (BEGA)

Subject: possible to delay mtg a day or so?

home dealing with some [REDACTED] issues. pls let Alana know. thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

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