From: (b) (6) Sent: Sat, 14 Mar 2020 19:23:16 -0400 To: Janice Strauss Subject: Re: Truthful science information Thank you for your note. A.S. Fauci. Sent from my iPhone > On Mar 14, 2020, at 4:04 PM, Janice Strauss < (b) (6) > wrote: > Dr. Fauci, > Thank you for your determination and stamina to inform the American public with science-based updates and information regarding the novel coronavirus. > Without the appropriate data the virus trajectory will leave the country in a state of greater uncertainty and fear. Among many of the public who watch the task force briefings you remain a bulwark against chaos and panic. > When politicians announce policy regarding the virus they may fear accusations of "flip flopping" when a fluid situation requires nimbleness through recalibration or reversal. That instinct is not party-based. However, an honest, neutral agent eschewing disinformation, misinformation, or omissions might better protect the public than a politician concerned with polls, contributions, and election results. > Thank you, Dr. Fauci, for being the honest, neutral agent despite direct or untoward pressure to ignore sciencebased evidence. > Sincerely,

> Janice Strauss

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