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**Sent:** Wednesday, March 02, 2016 4:58 PM  
**To:** Arthur Berndt  
**Subject:** Re: Council on Energy & the Environment

Hi Arthur,

Tom Dunn's presentation does sound good to me. Leg update is good. And I think Gov will want to discuss divestment effort. House passed a resolution in support of his proposal and I will send you a copy of his remarks from his presentation to VPIC on the issue. If Deb or Alyssa are present they could provide a brief update on the drinking water issue in North Bennington as well.

Bernie is doing amazing things, as a former staffer it is exciting to watch his campaign. Certainly exceeding expectations at all turns.

See you next week!  
Thanks  
Darren

Sent from my iPhone

> On Mar 2, 2016, at 1:56 PM, Arthur Berndt <arthurberndt@gmail.com> wrote:  
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> Darren,  
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> I'm wondering what the Governor might like to see on the agenda for the meeting next Tuesday? Tom Dunn wants 15-20 minutes to introduce the project he is working on, Vermont Weather Analytics Center, which he said you are fine with. Other than that, certainly a legislative update would be useful and the Governor can update us on his support of a carbon tax:-)  
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> It's encouraging from my perspective to see Bernie doing so well—he certainly has formidable headwinds in the Clinton machine. Hillary makes Chicago's Mayor Daley of my youth look like a wimp organization.  
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> Best regards,  
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> Arthur