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**Sent:** Sunday, March 06, 2016 1:18 PM  
**To:** Arthur Berndt  
**Subject:** Re: Council on Energy & the Environment

Passing out Tuesday works fine. I'll ask our staff to bring printed copies. Thanks Arthur!

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> On Mar 6, 2016, at 12:59 PM, Arthur Berndt <arthurberndt@gmail.com> wrote:

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> I haven't yet sent out the agenda in advance of any meeting, but I'm happy to either send the Gov's remarks out separately or pass out with the agenda on Tuesday.

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>> On Mar 6, 2016, at 10:37 AM, Springer, Darren <Darren.Springer@vermont.gov> wrote:

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>> This looks good. Alyssa can give the water update and Gov can either do divestment in his opening or at the point indicated on agenda. If you can include his remarks as an attachment with the agenda that'd be great.

>> Thanks

>> Darren

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>>> On Mar 6, 2016, at 6:37 AM, Arthur Berndt <arthurberndt@gmail.com> wrote:

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>>> (for some reason this email got stuck in my "draft" folder and never went out)

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>>> Attaching draft agenda—I put divestment on the agenda but could take it off if the Governor wants to cover it more informally under his opening remarks. Do you want me to distribute his remarks re divestment in advance of the meeting? If Alyssa will be there we should get updated on the Bennington water issues.

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>>> <Agenda—CouncilMeeting03-08-2016.docx>

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>>>> On Mar 2, 2016, at 4:57 PM, Springer, Darren <Darren.Springer@vermont.gov> wrote:

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>>>> Hi Arthur,

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>>>> 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.

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

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>>>> See you next week!

>>>> Thanks

>>>> Darren

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>>>>> 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

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