

**From:** [Travis Kester](#)  
**To:** [Arntz, John \(REG\)](#)  
**Subject:** RE: [EXTERNAL] Ballot programmer  
**Date:** Tuesday, June 16, 2020 2:26:41 PM

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Hi John,

Unfortunately tomorrow and Thursday are no-gos (sorry!). I just got a call and they are slammed in Louisiana right now, at this point it is not feasible to have a meeting when they have so much to do. I know it is not as ideal due to Anmarie's departure, but we have identified Friday afternoon as a potential time to have a meeting – it sounds like that will fit their schedule.

Does this work for you?

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Hi, Travis,

We're all set for a call tomorrow, just need the time. Did you get a response from David and Michael?

Thanks,  
-John.

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Great, I will see what I can do. I likely won't know until EOD.

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Thanks, Travis. Yes, let's have a call tomorrow. Morning is better for me.

-John.

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Hi John, unfortunately today is unlikely due to their schedule in Louisiana. However, I'm hopeful that we may be able to get something together for tomorrow pending their schedules.

If feasible with David and Michael's schedule, would tomorrow work for you?

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Good morning, Travis,

Will we be able to organize a call today with David and/or Michael?

Thanks,  
-John.

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That makes sense, John. I'll do my best but David and Michael are both in Louisiana conducting election support so their schedule over the next few days is very limited. I'll keep you posted when I have more concrete information, I'm hoping we can get something set before Thursday afternoon.

I know that's Anmarie's last day but I'm hopeful we can make some time before she leaves if everything works out.

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Thanks, Travis.

I think we have someone in place who also will be quite adept at this ballot stuff. Still, the reason I'm asking for a call sooner is I'd like for Tisa to have a call with David and Michael while Anmarie is still here.

-John.

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Hi John,

I will keep you up-to-date on if we can have a call tomorrow. The hope is if we can't get one together tomorrow we would be able to have one sometime this week. There are a couple of things on our end (process-wise) that are still being configured - election set up documentation, etc.

I will see if I can pull one together within the next couple of days.

And congrats on the new programmer!

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Hi, Travis,

Great news!! I appreciate your following up on this!

Since Anmarie's last day here is Thursday, and we identified her replacement today, is it possible to have a call tomorrow? Anmarie and Cat will be onsite. The new person, Tisa, can call in if she can't come to the office.

Thanks,  
-John.

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Hi John,

Perfect timing – I just got off a call a few minutes ago discussing this very topic. It is with (great) relief I can report that your programmers for November will be David Moreno (primary) and Michael Tallant (secondary/support). I'll be meeting with them in the coming days, and the next step will be to set up a time for all of us to get together and chat about needs/expectations for November programming.

More information to come soon! Please let me know if you have any questions.

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Hi, Travis,

Have you received info on who DVS will assign as our ballot programmer? I was told this assignment would occur this week.

Thanks,  
-John.

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