From:	Barnett, Sara
To:	Lavin, Jack; Cross, Ashley; Sherman, Laura; Anderson, Lindsay Hansen; Harris, Mark; Saddler, Michelle
Cc:	Bertuca, Louis
Subject:	RE: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium
Date:	Friday, November 05, 2010 1:26:37 PM

I can look at finding a Chicago capital announcement. On another note, the WIU people are eager to announce their $8M Macomb performing arts center.

Also, we have a Springfield capital project we can announce as well at the Hope Institute.

-----Original Message-----
From: Lavin, Jack
Sent: Friday, November 05, 2010 12:00 PM
To: Cross, Ashley; Sherman, Laura; Anderson, Lindsay Hansen; Harris, Mark; Saddler, Michelle
Cc: Bertuca, Louis; Barnett, Sara
Subject: RE: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium

On the jobs front, I was thinking that we would do the microloan announcement as part of the Neighborhood Recovery Initiative. I am also open to other capital announcements. One of these would be in the Chicago market.

Regarding the Peoria event, it looks like a good event, but it would take him out for a good portion of the day. There are a lot of State issues that need to be discussed prior to Veto Session including Veto Session strategy, budget and transition, among others. I think his time would be better spent on these issues.

-----Original Message-----
From: Cross, Ashley
Sent: Friday, November 05, 2010 11:43 AM
To: Sherman, Laura; Anderson, Lindsay Hansen; Harris, Mark; Lavin, Jack; Saddler, Michelle
Cc: Bertuca, Louis
Subject: RE: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium

I think this would be a good one for him to participate in.

Jack - I know you had mentioned you wanted to start off with a jobs event. Do you have any thoughts what that could be? Or is there anything we could announce in Peoria on Wed. if he goes down for this?

Thanks.

-----Original Message-----
From: Sherman, Laura
Sent: Friday, November 05, 2010 11:32 AM
To: Anderson, Lindsay Hansen; Cross, Ashley; Harris, Mark; Lavin, Jack; Saddler, Michelle
Cc: Bertuca, Louis
Subject: RE: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium

He is available. Let us know if we should ask him about this event.

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

From: Anderson, Lindsay Hansen
Sent: Friday, November 05, 2010 11:30 AM
To: Cross, Ashley; Harris, Mark; Lavin, Jack; Saddler, Michelle
Cc: Bertuca, Louis; Sherman, Laura
Subject: FW: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium
Importance: High

Senator Koehler reached out to the Governor this morning to invite him to participate in this symposium, or to speak to the participants at some point. Please let me know your thoughts on whether or not he should attend, if he is even available.

-----Original Message-----
From: McMillan, Bradley [mailto:bmcmillan@bumail.bradley.edu]
Sent: Friday, November 05, 2010 11:03 AM
To: Anderson, Lindsay Hansen
Subject: The Future of Midwest Transportation Symposium
Importance: High

Lindsay,

I just got done with my meeting with Senator Koehler. Attached you will find the detailed agenda and evite for the transportation symposium next Wednesday November 10th at the Peoria Civic Center. Secretary LaHood is the keynote luncheon speaker. And, we have a host of national, state and regional experts participating. The symposium lasts from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and I expect the lunch to draw the largest crowd. Importantly, many Bradley University College of Engineering students will be attending as well as community leaders and transportation industry leaders from throughout the State. Attached is the attendance list so far.

We would be thrilled to have Governor Quinn come and give remarks. We would fit him into the program wherever it would fit best with his schedule. We would have Governor Quinn sit with Secretary LaHood at the luncheon.

Warm Regards,

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