
From: Muchmore, Dennis (GOV)
Sent: Friday, October 02, 2015 9:39 AM
To: Andrew Leavitt
Subject: Re: Progress Michigan

Dan and Nick are calling Jim to lay out the strategy for him. I assume that's already happened. They would like to include Jim, but you may want to maintain a little distance until you're confident its moving the way you want.

On Oct 1, 2015, at 5:26 PM, Andrew Leavitt <ALEavitt@senate.michigan.gov> wrote:

You moving back into our good graces. :)

A little concerned a press event is planned and scheduled without Jim having any idea what is going to take place other than what you indicated as a filter voucher program. Maggie from DEQ just emailed so I will call her and see if she has any details.

From: "Muchmore, Dennis (GOV)" <muchmored@michigan.gov>
Date: Thursday, October 1, 2015 at 5:10 PM
To: Andy Leavitt <aleavitt@senate.michigan.gov>
Subject: RE: Progress Michigan

Are you happier with me now?

From: Andrew Leavitt [<mailto:ALEavitt@senate.michigan.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, September 30, 2015 9:25 AM
To: Muchmore, Dennis (GOV) <muchmored@michigan.gov>
Subject: Re: Progress Michigan

I don't know what they said so I can't speak to denouncing them. But everyday of inaction compounds the politics of this issue. We have secured around 30 thousand dollars for a filter program from several UAW VPs as well as 50k from GM. We are still waiting on a state emergency professional to help our community react professionally and promptly. The only person I have heard from since Monday's call is Director Wyatt and he has been asking good questions and seems like he recognizes a problem and wants solutions.

I say all that to say, we are happy to quiet critics and we think the best way to do that is progress. I feel like we offered several easy steps last week that would have shown prompt action and none of that has been realized. Further, we have seen DHHS working to discredit the pediatricians in our community rather than work to help the most vulnerable.

I would prefer you and I talk about this daily so we are working together but I have called you and Beth each twice with no return. I know we are all busy but I hope you will agree that more communication during, what we view as a crisis, is the best way to keep us moving forward together.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 30, 2015, at 9:09 AM, Muchmore, Dennis (GOV) <muchmored@michigan.gov> wrote:

I assume these jerks don't represent the Minority Leader but it would be nice to see a public denunciation of them from him. I'm sure they didn't volunteer any help to the Flint people or put any effort into alleviating the difficulties the city finds itself in since they never do anything positive.