

Stanton, Terry A. (Treasury)

From: Saxton, Thomas (Treasury)
Sent: Tuesday, September 15, 2015 10:59 AM
To: Stanton, Terry A. (Treasury)
Cc: Headen, Frederick (Treasury); Workman, Wayne (TREASURY)
Subject: RE: walling request for \$30 million
Attachments: Flint

I don't know how you respond. Attached is an email I just sent to Dennis et al. We/Treasury don't do the distressed cities \$s. Shouldn't that come from TED ?

If the state gives Flint money; all of the urban communities will be standing in line.

They all have problematic water systems.

From: Stanton, Terry A. (Treasury)
Sent: Tuesday, September 15, 2015 10:50 AM
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Subject: FW: walling request for \$30 million
Importance: High

Guys...

The Flint Journal is asking for a reaction from the Gov's Office...on Walling's "request." The letter is attached and does indicate that Walling understands "forgiveness" is not an option on the existing loans...but that he seems to be requesting a "new" loan that could be forgiven...which I doubt is feasible or legal, etc.

Please advise on what you feel is a most appropriate response...

Should we say we "encourage" the city to apply for a distressed cities grant (total grant is only \$5m) and suggest they work with their respective legislators to increase the grant limit, if they feel that is an appropriate avenue? If we do that, Dave will be asked if the G supports an increase...not sure we want to go there???

From: Murray, David (GOV)
Sent: Tuesday, September 15, 2015 10:14 AM
To: Stanton, Terry A. (Treasury) <StantonT@michigan.gov>
Subject: FW: walling request for \$30 million

Hi Terry,

The Journal is asking for a response to Mayor Walling's letter.

I just want to double check: I see he's again asking for loans to be forgiven, but didn't we say earlier that there's no legal path to do that?

His letter is attached.

Thanks!

Dave

From: Ronald Fonger [mailto:RFONGER1@mlive.com]
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To: Murray, David (GOV) <MurrayD1@michigan.gov>
Subject: walling request for \$30 million

Hey Dave:

Mayor Walling has penned another letter to the governor, requesting \$30 million for Flint's infrastructure.

I've attached the letter and a link to a story I posted last night.

I'd like to follow up with any comment your office can provide.

http://www.mlive.com/news/flint/index.ssf/2015/09/flint_mayor_asks_governor_for_1.html#incart_river

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