

FW: Debrief on PERL-DC Discussion for Agenda and Transition Planning

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Hi Martha,

The PERL Secretariat in MMA had asked us last week if we could provide them with a list of PERL ministry items tracking for Cabinet before the end of the year, so they could use it to cross reference their Priority Tracker and discuss such items at their PERL DMs meeting(s).

Attached is a table that I pulled together with all the PERL ministries Cabinet items from MYAP, for your review. Also attached are the MYAP swim lanes for each PERL ministry, which we thought the Secretariat may also find useful. These specific swim lanes were shared with the PERL ministries on July 31st.

Please let us know if you're okay with these being shared with the PERL Secretariat.

Thanks,
Mo

From: McArthur-Rodgers, Diane (MMA)
Sent: July 24, 2017 5:31 PM
To: Moore, Karen (CAB)
Cc: O'Brien, Kelly (MMA); Vita, Jonathon (MMA); Sylvain, Michelle (MMA)
Subject: RE: Debrief on PERL-DC Discussion for Agenda and Transition Planning

Hey Karen – not a problem – we'll set up some time this week so we can have an plan of attack. I'll ask my assistant Michelle to find us ½ hr to telecon.....Wed afternoon is better – we have AMO MOU on Thursday am.

Michelle – pls do your best for Wed afternoon. Include Kelly and JV.
Thx.

From: Moore, Karen (CAB)
Sent: July-24-17 4:53 PM
To: McArthur-Rodgers, Diane (MMA)
Cc: O'Brien, Kelly (MMA); Vita, Jonathon (MMA)

Subject: RE: Debrief on PERL-DC Discussion for Agenda and Transition Planning

Hi Diane,

Sorry for the delayed response. I have not had a chance to speak to Martha about the discussion at PERL DMs and she is now out of the office for a week. Nevertheless I'd be happy to discuss with you. Would Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning work for you?

Thanks,

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From: Mcarthur-Rodgers, Diane (MMA)
Sent: July 20, 2017 3:12 PM
To: Moore, Karen (CAB)
Cc: O'Brien, Kelly (MMA); Vita, Jonathon (MMA)
Subject: FW: Debrief on PERL-DC Discussion for Agenda and Transition Planning

Hi Karen – see the debrief Kelly provided from yesterday's PERL DMs. Have you got time to connect tomorrow on next steps so we understand what Martha's take away was and how we work together. I'm pretty flexible with only internal mtgs tomorrow that I could move around. Let me know.
Thx.

From: O'Brien, Kelly (MMA)
Sent: July-19-17 11:49 AM
To: Vita, Jonathon (MMA); Mcarthur-Rodgers, Diane (MMA)
Cc: MacDonald, Greg D. (MMA);
Subject: Debrief on PERL-DC Discussion for Agenda and Transition Planning

Jonathon and Diane:

I wanted to debrief you on a significant discussion that unfolded on the request for agenda and transition planning, which Deputies all stayed around for until 10:30 this morning. Greg can jump in with added details or clarification if needed.

Deputy LeBlanc raised the issue to clarify the focus as possibly agenda planning for the fall, and/or transition planning to begin afterwards. Deputy Evans was the first to respond and appears most interested in transition planning, while Deputy Thornton and others collectively agreed that both were needed.

The purpose of Transition Planning was characterized as:

- Establishing common perspectives, language and materials for ongoing initiatives, including CPR, Infrastructure planning, CCAP and Growth Plan specifically;
- Identifying new mandates and areas of intersection; and
- Transition materials.

The purpose of Agenda Planning was characterized as:

- Mandate review, where critical milestones will not reach fruition and may need to be delayed, with a focus on legislation;
- Review of rules during Writ Period on procurement (Deputy Evans mentioned section 28, which I think might be Members' Integrity Act, 1994, S.O. 1994, c. 38). This was equally raised as a concern by Deputies Thornton, Evans and Giannekos as it relates to very large, ongoing procurement activities such as Queen's Park revitalization, to agencies including Clean Water Agency as well as smaller ministry procurements; and
- Focused on the 2017 calendar year.

Martha noted that CO has developed a list of items that it is currently engaged with the PO on prioritizing for cabinet approvals before end of December. They are aiming to get the list out to ministries by Labour Day and may have been suggesting that they couldn't engage until then with PERL. (Need to clarify this.)

Martha also noted that the ministry MYAP contacts (Multi-Year Action Priorities) should have received through their ministry dashboards more specific requests to details how much (i.e. \$) yet to be approved, risk level, and what goals to be achieved. Deputy Thompson reinforced the use of MYAPs as a way of understanding progress, as the mandate letters are too broad. He encouraged a parallel process at PERL as a way of examining "what we are doing in a specific theme area, as distinguished from what we are doing now, as well as the political process". (We might consider asking ADMs to review their ministry MYAP dashboards in preparation for a preliminary discussion on transition planning in December to populate a more elaborate subsequent discussion.)

When everyone is back there is still likely a need to regroup and reconfirm next steps on the PERL front vs. Cabinet office. While many of the action items here read as direction to Martha, Deputy LeBlanc was significantly looking to me throughout much of this discussion. At the very least, this much is clear in terms of timelines and discussions:

- Early September discussion on agenda planning with PERL-DC (didn't address drawing on PERL ADMs, but didn't preclude it either);
- Discussion, possibly iterative on transition planning beginning in late fall/early winter.

Until tomorrow.

Kelly