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**From:** Rob Sand  
**Subject:** Session Wrap Up  
**Date:** June 13, 2020 at 9:19:25 PM CDT  
**To:** Mohr, Gary [LEGIS] <Gary.Mohr@legis.iowa.gov>

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Representative Mohr,

I hope you are well. I just tried calling you. I heard from the Senate that they have prepared the language, and they shared it with me. It does the job to save the state all that money for 2017 and potentially other years. They've shared that the House is saying no to it.

It can't merely be a timing issue, as we are seeing numerous new bills being offered.

I realize everyone is tired and wants to go home. This is an easy chance to do the right thing for taxpayers. The bill is already prepared. We just need your end to say yes.

I'm in my office in Room 111 if you have questions or need me for anything. I am happy to be helpful however that may be.

Thanks,  
Rob

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**From:** Mohr, Gary [LEGIS] <Gary.Mohr@legis.iowa.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 5, 2020 3:30 PM  
**To:** Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@AOS.IOWA.GOV>  
**Subject:** Re: [PROBABLY SPAM] RE: Following Up

May 19th was three weeks ago when we were not in session.

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> On Jun 5, 2020, at 3:02 PM, Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@aos.iowa.gov> wrote:

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> Gary,

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> Attached are the 3 emails I send on May 19 to the entire committee (including House and Senate), including you. They are forwards of my February emails to the subcommittee, so be sure you are checking the correct block of names. I realize you may have missed your name- it is a big list. I simply want us on the same page.

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> Thanks,

> Rob

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Mohr, Gary [LEGIS] <Gary.Mohr@legis.iowa.gov>

> Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 2:01 PM

> To: Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@AOS.IOWA.GOV>

> Subject: Re: Following Up

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> Rob,

> My point is as Chairman of Appropriations, I just learned about this on June 2. You sent me copies of emails that were sent to numerous legislators both House and Senate, but I was not one of them. I didn't see my name listed on the previous emails you sent. If you want the House Appropriations committee to deal with an issue, you must include and inform me directly, not assume I'll hear about it indirectly. Furthermore, I don't see that my Senate counterpart was included either. You may have discussed this with many people, but I was not one of them. Rob, it is unfair to tell me on June 2 about your issue and expect my Appropriations committee and the full House to deal with it within one week as we're attempting to adjourn. This type of issue needs fully vetted and discussed before changes are made. If you talked to a different committee, a different Chairman etc. feel free to ask them to move the proposal. I simply can't on such short notice.

> Gary

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Jun 5, 2020, at 1:19 PM, Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@aos.iowa.gov> wrote:

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>> Gary,

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>> Thanks for getting back to me. I'm sorry, but I have to correct you on timing because I have been sharing this with the legislature all session. I brought the issue to the subcommittee and to leadership back in February, and to the whole committee in mid-May. I presented, at those times, appropriation changes to-the-dollar for every agency involved, the language necessary itself, and the communications from the federal auditor that a failure to act will cost Iowa taxpayers. I've offered to sit down with anyone who had questions.

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>> That offer still stands. This is just a basic, good government, money saving proposal that could pass unanimously.

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>> Thanks,

>> Rob

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Mohr, Gary [LEGIS] <Gary.Mohr@legis.iowa.gov>

>> Sent: Friday, June 5, 2020 11:54 AM

>> To: Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@AOS.IOWA.GOV>

>> Subject: Re: Following Up

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>> Rob,

>> I've talked to several Appropriations committee members as well as leadership. Committee members are not informed on this issue and do not want to change the process on such short notice without a full vetting of the issues. With our hope to adjourn next week, there just isn't time. Having just heard about this from you on June 2, I have to agree with my committee members. Also, leadership is determining what bills to eliminate in order to adjourn next week, not what bills to add. With those factors in mind, we will not be able to take up your issue this session. Thanks, though, for giving me a heads up on the background of this topic.

>> Gary Mohr

>> State Representative

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>> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Jun 5, 2020, at 11:40 AM, Rob Sand <Rob.Sand@aos.iowa.gov> wrote:

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>> Gary- just gave you a call to follow up on that funding reform proposal to save some money. I'm pretty free, please call when you can.

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>> Thanks,

>> Rob

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