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Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] INVITE to debrief NJ elected officials on climate lawsuit
Date: Thursday, October 20, 2022 8:47:55 PM

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Webinar Registration Approved
Topic
NJ climate lawsuit debrief
Description
Join Pay Up Climate Polluters NJ and Leaders for Climate Accountability with special guest NJDEP Deputy Commissioner Sean Moriarty for a 30-minute virtual briefing about the State of New Jersey's new lawsuit that seeks to hold major oil and gas corporations accountable for climate fraud and damages.
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Date: Thursday, October 20, 2022 8:47:55 PM

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From: [Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org](#)
To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Register for Thursday virtual panel or recording on 2022 Hurricanes
Date: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 8:31:00 AM

Register [HERE](#) to attend or receive the recording of this Thursday virtual panel with Rutgers University and local elected officials from Hudson down to Atlantic Counties learning from the past and looking ahead to this summer's hurricane predictions.



Environment New Jersey co-hosts with Leaders for Climate Accountability.

Moderator: Committeewoman **Nancy Adams**, Township of Maplewood

Panelists:

- **James Shope**, PhD, Research Associate, NJ Climate Change Resource Center,

Department of Environmental Sciences - Rutgers University

- Councilman **Brandon Bernier**, Borough of Roselle
- Councilor **Debbie Mans**, Borough of Glen Ridge
- Councilman **James Solomon**, Jersey City Ward E
- Councilman and Vice President **Kaleem Shabazz**, Atlantic City
- Corey Riday-White, Senior Staff Attorney, **Center for Climate Integrity**

Please share with your communities.

See you soon,

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From: [Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org](#)
To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] REGISTER for our NJ 2022 Hurricane costs panel: June 30th, 5pm
Date: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 1:26:34 PM

It's time to register for our June 30th panel [HERE!](#)



Moderator: Committeewoman Nancy Adams, Township of Maplewood

Panelists:

- James Shope, PhD, Research Associate, NJ Climate Change Resource Center, Department of Environmental Sciences - Rutgers University
- Councilman Brandon Bernier, Borough of Roselle
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Important to anyone living in New Jersey. You can also register to receive the recording link.

Have a good week,

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From: [Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org](#)
To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] SAVE JUNE 30TH @5pm for 2022 NJ Hurricane Season virtual panel
Date: Thursday, June 9, 2022 1:30:38 PM

Join us on June 30th at 5pm EST for a virtual panel from Rutgers University, New Jersey local elected officials and the Center for Climate Integrity to address our upcoming hurricane season.

For details and registration, **PLEASE CLICK ON THE IMAGE BELOW.**

Registration is required to attend or receive a link to the recording.



Hope to see you there.

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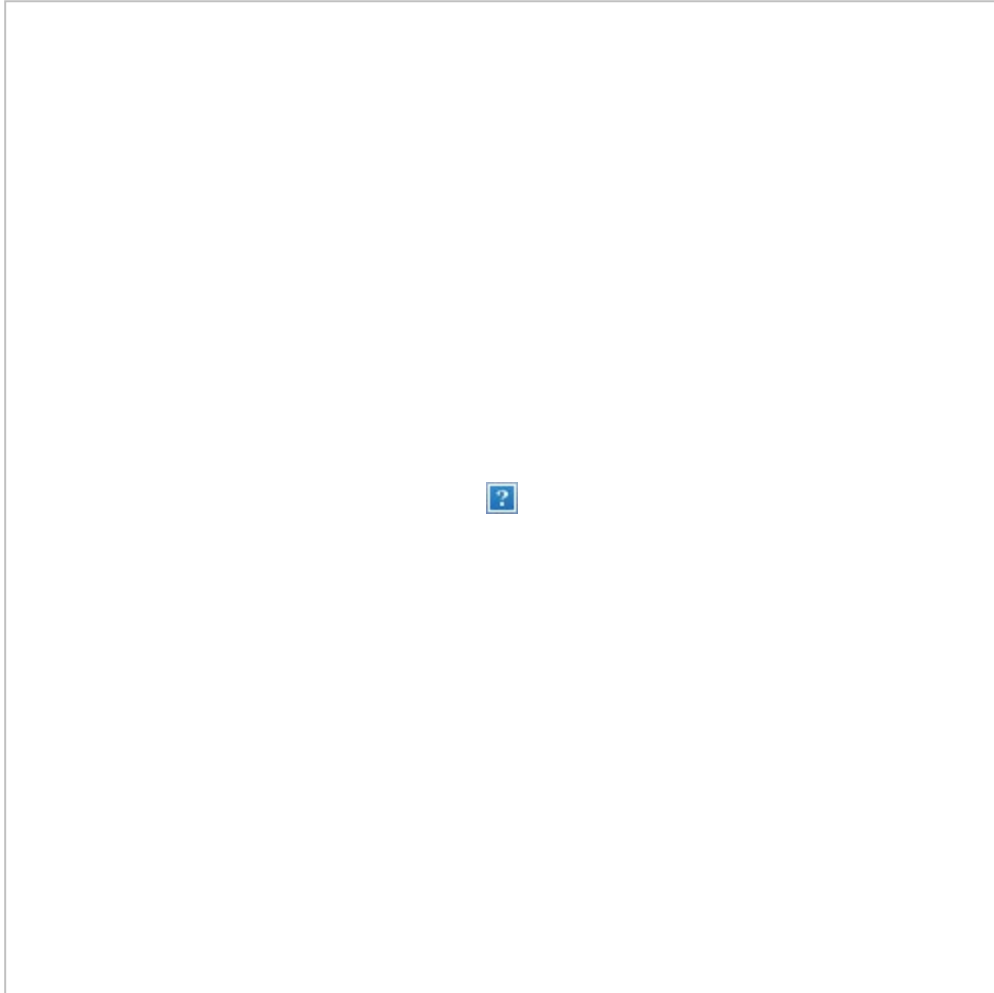


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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Let's try this again...
Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022 1:56:38 PM



via [GIPHY](#)

Looks like we're having one of those days: here's a correction to our correction (♀):

Our last email said that the Third Circuit affirmed the lower court's decision; it was actually the Fourth Circuit.

Thanks so much for your patience and continued support,

Pay Up Climate Polluters NJ and the Center for Climate Integrity

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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] CORRECTION: PBS and other good news
Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022 11:29:52 AM

Hi all,

Oops!

Our earlier email inaccurately stated that a judge ruled on the fossil fuel industry's motion to dismiss in Baltimore's lawsuit (Mayor and City Council of Baltimore v. BP P.L.C. et al). In actuality, a federal appeals court (Third Circuit) affirmed the lower court's decision to remand the case to state court. This case is clear to proceed in state court. You can read the decision in its entirety [here](#), and the Center for Climate Integrity's [press release](#) on the subject here.

-Lauren

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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] INVITE for Mar 10th, and recordings of virtual learning series
Date: Thursday, March 3, 2022 5:13:12 PM

The Center for Climate Integrity will host the fourth and final session of the virtual learning series next week. Please click on the the link below to register:

[Climate Accountability and the Courts — Legal Perspectives on Holding Climate Polluters Accountable](#)

Thursday, March 10th

3pm EST



As climate change imposes increasingly significant impacts on American communities, courts are beginning to look at what this means for civil liability. Climate litigation is a growing trend in the United States—it is a powerful tool that communities can use to hold polluters accountable for their contributions to the climate crisis. Since 2017, 20 municipalities, six states as well as the District of Columbia, and one industry trade association have filed lawsuits against the

world's largest fossil fuel companies for deceiving the public and policymakers about the dangerous climate impacts their products would cause. The plaintiffs in each of these cases have made the following demand: the fossil fuel industry knew, they lied, and they should be held accountable for the consequences. Join legal experts to learn about the historical precedent set by the tobacco and opioid lawsuits, the legal theories behind climate liability cases, and how this litigation is unfolding in courts across the country.

For more information on what to expect and who should attend, visit our [website](#).

Recordings of prior sessions:

- **Session 1:** [Fossil Fuel Industry Deception — Historical and Ongoing](#)
- **Session 2:** [Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies](#)
- **Session 3:** [How to Talk About Climate Accountability — A Messaging Deep Dive](#)

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions and hope to see you soon!

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From: [Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org](#)
To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] REMINDER: Thurs, 3pm "How to Talk About Climate Accountability"
Date: Wednesday, February 9, 2022 4:43:23 PM

Good afternoon!

This is a reminder that The Center for Climate Integrity's **virtual learning session on climate accountability messaging** is taking place **THURS, FEB 10TH at 3:00pm EST**.

Registration required to attend or receive the recording [HERE](#).



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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] YOU'RE INVITED: Feb 10th "How to Talk About Climate Accountability"
Date: Friday, February 4, 2022 12:30:50 PM

Hello, friends.

SAVE FEB. 10TH for The Center for Climate Integrity's third session of the virtual learning series happening **at 3:00pm EST**. We encourage you to register to receive the recording if you cannot attend the live event. [REGISTRATION LINK HERE](#).



Session Description: *The fossil fuel industry has spent decades lying to the public, policymakers and the media about the devastating impacts their products would cause in an effort to sow doubt and uncertainty and undermine support for climate action. Join the Center for Climate Integrity and leading climate communications experts for a deep dive into our messaging and public opinion research and learn how to incorporate these best practices into your own climate communications. Panelists will discuss how the media, and the fossil fuel industry*

talk about climate change and accountability, review the latest polling research, and present the “Dos and Don’ts” of climate accountability messaging.

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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] recordings of virtual learning sessions
Date: Wednesday, January 26, 2022 4:07:24 PM

Today, I am sharing recordings of the first two sessions of the **Leaders for Climate Accountability learning series** hosted by The Center for Climate Integrity. There are also follow-up materials available with these sessions upon email request to payupnjpolluters@gmail.com:

Session 1: [Fossil Fuel Industry Deception — Historical and Ongoing](#), presented December 10th with special guests Dr. Geoffrey Supran and journalist Dharna Noor.

Session 2: [Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies](#), presented January 20th with special guests Dr. Rachel Licker and Dr. Benjamin Franta.

Save February 10th for Session 3, [How to Talk About Climate Accountability — A Messaging Deep Dive](#) (click on that link to register or to get the recording emailed to you).

Feel free to share these public events with anyone in your network.

Thank you,

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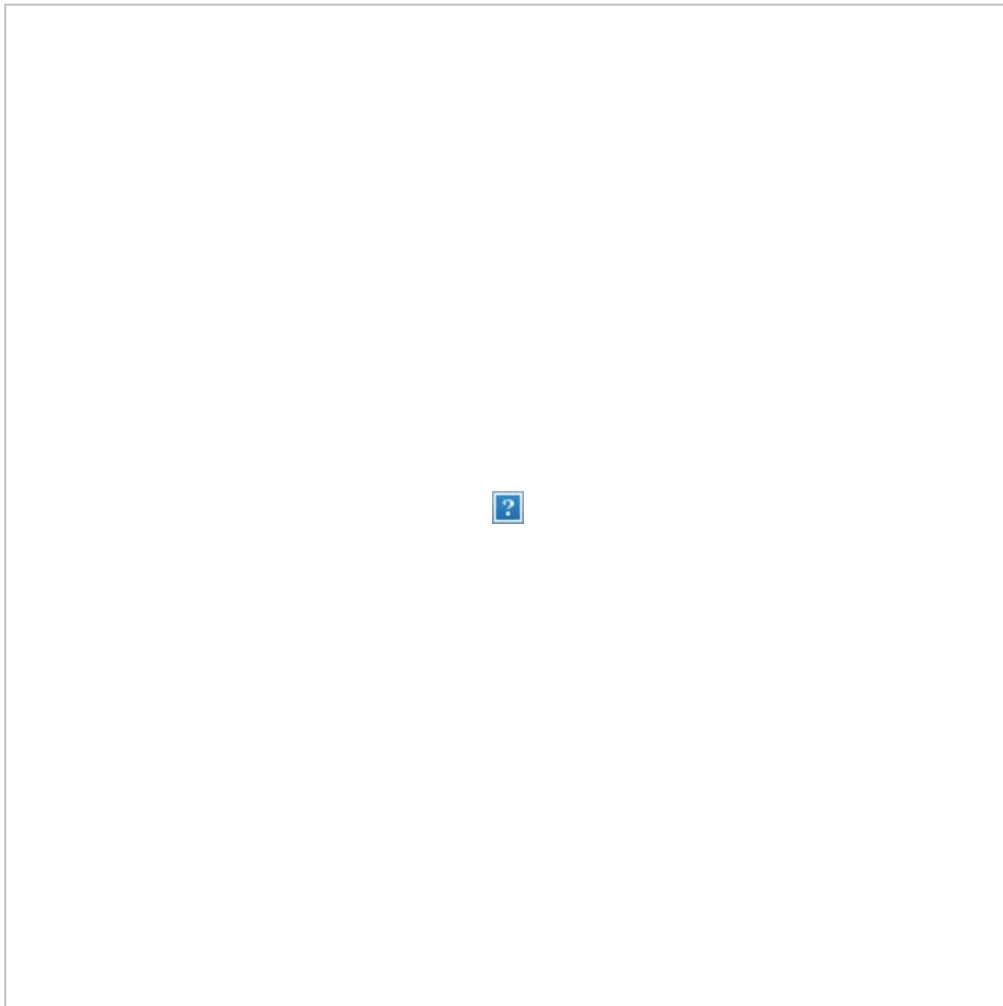
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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] THURS REMINDER: 3pm EST - Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies
Date: Wednesday, January 19, 2022 9:42:02 AM

Hello! This is a reminder about the 2nd session of our virtual learning series with The Center for Climate Integrity, [Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies](#)

Thursday, January 20th

3pm EST



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Subject: [EXTERNAL] YOU'RE INVITED: Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies
Date: Thursday, January 13, 2022 3:01:31 PM

Session 2: [Attributing Climate Change Impacts to Fossil Fuel Companies](#)

Thursday, January 20th

3pm EST



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Attribution science is a relatively new and rapidly developing field of research identifying the causal links between human activities and global climate change, extreme weather events, and the impacts on human and natural systems. Similarly, emissions attribution identifies the relative contribution of different entities to climate change, revealing that just 90 companies are responsible for nearly two-thirds of all carbon dioxide emitted since the 1750s. Within the context of climate accountability, attribution science has identified the responsible parties for communities to consider holding accountable for the harms created by the greenhouse gas emissions of their products. Join leading experts in the field of attribution science to learn about the different kinds of climate attribution (climate change attribution, climate impacts attribution, extreme weather attribution, and emissions attribution) and their implications and uses for holding the fossil fuel industry accountable.

Registration is required.

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- [*How to Talk About Climate Accountability — A Messaging Deep Dive*](#): **Thurs, Feb 10th**
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Past sessions:

- Fossil Fuel Industry Deception — Historical and Ongoing: [Watch the recording here](#)

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] TOMORROW 3pm ET: Built By Fossil Fuels: Exploring attribution science and climate disinformation's impact
Date: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 1:42:15 PM



Wednesday, January 5th

3pm Eastern Time (12 noon Pacific Time)

Happy new year. You are invited to join experts at the Center for Climate Integrity, Union of Concerned Scientists, League of Women Voters Washington, and Washington Physicians for Social Responsibility for a virtual national webinar on how attribution science and climate misinformation impacts public policy.

[Click here to register.](#)

If you can't make it, still register to receive a link to the recording.

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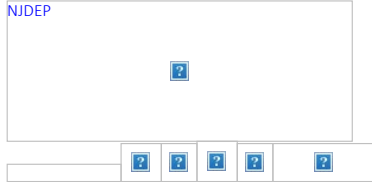
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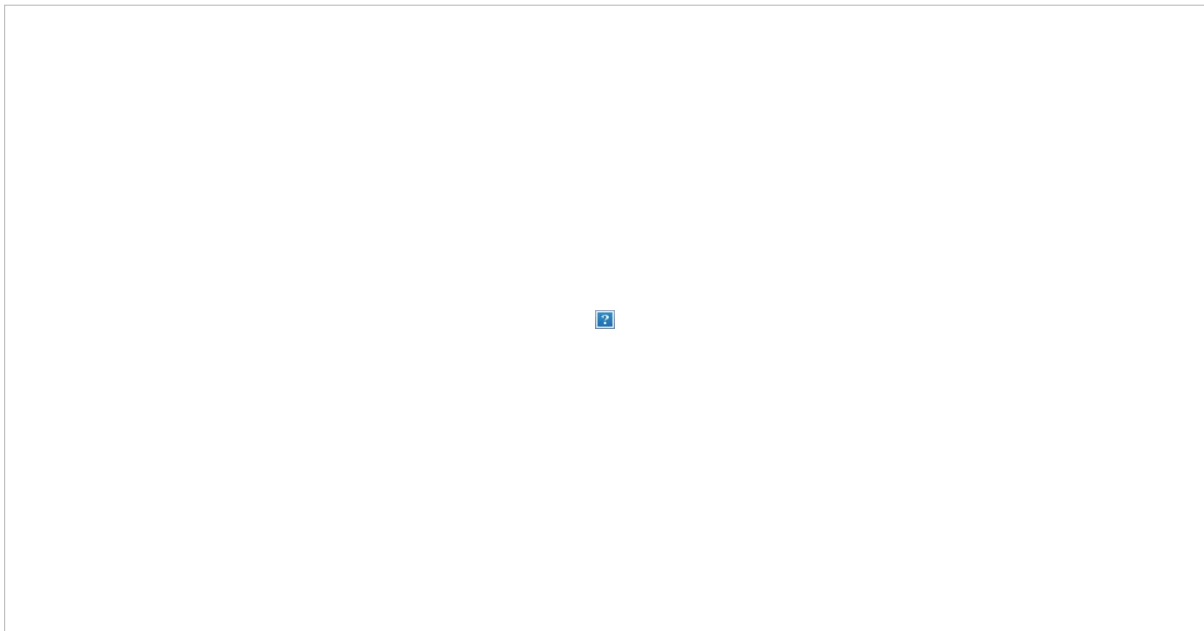
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Subject: [EXTERNAL] YOU'RE INVITED, Thurs 3pm: Fossil Fuel Industry Deception — A Virtual Learning Event



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Thursday, December 9th

3pm EST

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] YOU'RE INVITED, Thurs 3pm: Fossil Fuel Industry Deception — A Virtual Learning Event
Date: Tuesday, December 7, 2021 11:49:35 AM



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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] federal investigation and VT files suit
Date: Friday, September 17, 2021 9:06:41 AM

This has been an extraordinary week for holding Big Oil accountable for climate change!

Yesterday, the ***New York Times*** reported a federal investigation being initiated in the House. "We applaud Chairs Maloney and Khanna for demanding that these executives answer for their history of climate deception," says Center for Climate Integrity Executive Director Richard Wiles. **CCI's full response with the article link is [here](#).**

Also, the [State of Vermont](#) became the 6th state and 27 community to file suit!

I will be at the Secaucus Green Fair on Saturday tabling in case anyone from Hudson County wants to stop by.

Be well,

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From: [Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org](#)
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Subject: [EXTERNAL] APPLY TODAY: Accountability University
Date: Friday, September 10, 2021 11:38:21 AM

Dear Sean,

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To: [Moriarty, Sean \[DEP\]](#)
Cc: [Doug O'Malley](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] INVITE to debrief NJ elected officials on climate lawsuit
Date: Wednesday, October 19, 2022 5:53:28 PM

Dear Deputy Commissioner,

It was a pleasure to meet with you yesterday after the state climate lawsuit announcement at Liberty State Park. We met through other environmental leaders who support the advocacy and educational work we do at [Pay Up Climate Polluters NJ](#), including Doug O'Malley. When we spoke, I referred you briefly to the [Leaders for Climate Accountability](#) (L4CA) network organized by folks at the [Center for Climate Integrity](#) (CCI), and we discussed the NJ League [panel](#) on municipal climate costs, funding and litigation that you will be joining. (Panel organizer Mayor Mahr is an L4CA member.)

There are currently 19 New Jersey elected officials in the 200+ L4CA coalition and, in the wake of yesterday's big announcement, my colleagues at CCI would like to give these NJ leaders a personalized update regarding the state's climate case against the oil and gas corporations. We think you would be the perfect person to help us explain to these climate leaders what this case is (and isn't) about, and how they - and interested community leaders - can support it.

Are you available for a brief zoom meeting to discuss the possibility of you joining us for a virtual briefing? I would ask a couple of my Center for Climate Integrity colleagues to join us as well.

We would like to hold this virtual briefing in early or mid-November, preceding the League event, so ideally we could meet with you sometime next week to discuss.

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