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Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2021 2:33 PM
To: Stroyke, Brooke
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] RE: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Thanks for the update!

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On Mar 11, 2021, at 4:14 PM, Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov> wrote:

Hey Vandana – as an update, we’re checking on a couple of personal appts that the Gov has on Saturday. Will be back in touch as soon as possible.

From: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2021 10:57 AM
To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] RE: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Thanks for checking Brooke! We’ll be doing a number of reporting from the border and it’ll be our key topic of focus for Saturday.

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On Mar 11, 2021, at 11:21 AM, Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov> wrote:

Hi Vandana,

Thank you for circling back! I missed this. I will confirm his schedule for Saturday now.

Best,
Brooke

From: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Sent: Thursday, March 11, 2021 9:10 AM

To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Hi- circling back to see if we could slate a time for an interview this Saturday? We'll be covering the border crisis and would appreciate Governor Gianforte's insight on the issue.

Vandana

From: Kilaru, Vandana
Sent: Wednesday, March 10, 2021 10:59 AM
To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: Re: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Hi Brooke,

Would it be possible to slate a time this weekend with the Governor? We'd like to talk COVID relief, vaccinations and border. Either Saturday 12-2p ET or Sunday 1-2p ET works for us.

Best,

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On Mar 5, 2021, at 4:47 PM, Kilaru, Vandana
<Vandana.Kilaru@foxnews.com> wrote:

Unfortunately, our system doesn't work with Zoom. We can only do Skype. Would that work?

Griff is looking forward to speaking with the Governor!

Vandana

From: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 4:42 PM
To: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Hi Vandana,

Is Zoom a possibility, or is Skype the preference? Thank you!

Best,

Brooke

From: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 11:02 AM
To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Thank you!

From: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 1:00 PM
To: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Great! Thanks Vandana. I'm on the road again with the governor but will have these details to you as soon as possible.

It shouldn't be a problem to test the Skype in advance either.

My number is [REDACTED].

Best,
Brooke

From: Kilaru, Vandana <Vandana.Kilaru@FOXNEWS.COM>
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 10:39 AM
To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Hi Brooke,

We'd also like to talk about President Biden's immigration agenda and border safety. I saw that the Governor spoke about the issue on this morning on Fox and Friends as well.

Thanks,
Vandana

From: Kilaru, Vandana
Sent: Friday, March 5, 2021 10:41 AM
To: Stroyke, Brooke <Brooke.Stroyke@mt.gov>
Subject: Fox News Appearance Saturday

Hi Brooke,

We are all set for Governor Gianforte's appearance on Fox News Live tomorrow! Interview is slated for 11:20 AM MT ((1:20 PM Eastern)) with our host Griff Jenkins. We'll start with the Biden Administration's energy agenda and its impact to

Montana. Plus, a look at the state's economic recovery plans and lifting COVID restrictions. We'd appreciate the Governor's response and insight.

We'll have to take the discussion via Skype since the other studios in the area do not offer uplink capabilities. Unfortunately, the PBS studio is not available on Saturday. Would it be possible to test the connection at least one hour prior to the discussion to make sure we are broadcast ready? We'll need the following details to connect:

SKYPE HANDLE OR EMAIL:
LOCATION (CITY):
TYPE OF DEVICE (iPad, etc.):
DIRECT PHONE # (for our control room):

Please expect a phone call from our control room staff about 15 minutes prior to the hit time to establish connection. It would be helpful to have the Skype open then as well. Note: Our system doesn't work with Skype for Business accounts.

I'll be your POC and will check in tomorrow morning but available any time beforehand if I can provide further guidance. What would be the best phone number to reach you in case there are any updates.

We're looking forward to having the Governor with us Saturday!

Vandana

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