

December 21, 2017

Hi Wendall,

I am responding to your December 20 letter emailed from Brenda at LONM.

In briefly discussing with Alan the other day, he mentioned that a meeting at a Central location might be a good idea. We believe that a preliminary meeting with rational individuals would be the way to start. We do not feel that the Executive Directors, Lawyers, Video Taping or Recordings would be necessary as no decisions could be reached without full Board approval.

We believe the eight of us together could get this process started. We believe that a meeting with you, Dwight, Paul & Alan sitting down with our representatives who are Lane, Andrew, David & myself would be beneficial.

We could exchange proposals, take notes on any questions and submit them to the respective offices for clarification, etc. Just concerned representatives opening a dialogue on where we go from here. I believe we all can agree that the current situation cannot continue and needs to be resolved ASAP.

We could agree on the next meeting which, if we agreed on concepts from our first meeting, could be in Lincoln, with full Boards, Attorneys, and the Executive Directors. They are the ones that will have to implement any agreement that would be mutually agreed upon. That can be a topic for discussion at our first meeting.

I will propose two central locations, which both have meeting rooms and there would be no cost.

- 1. At the new Civic Center in St Paul. I would love to show off our new building with the Pershing auditorium flooring purchased from UNL.
- 2. At Penner Mfg in Aurora. Lee is a longtime friend and has agreed we could use his facility.

Since we have representative from all parts of the State, a central location seems to make sense.

If you are in agreement to meet, I will instruct Robin in the LARM office to send out a list of dates for the representatives to determine when they would be available. I assume that we should have this meeting as soon as possible in 2018.

We also would appreciate that any negative communications from LONM & LARM cease and give the Boards time to resolve the issues.

Sincerely,

Gerald Solko, Board Chair