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Mr. Kevin Chmielewski

Dear Mr. Chmielewski:

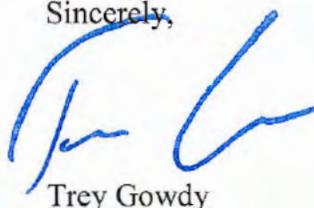
On February 20, 2018, the Committee opened an investigation into spending and mismanagement at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Pursuant to our ongoing investigation, the Committee sent a letter to Administrator Pruitt on April 13 requesting documents—some of which touch on allegations you have raised. The Committee also requested EPA make several officials, including you, available for transcribed interviews.

To date, the Committee has met with or conducted transcribed interviews of numerous EPA officials. During the course of this fact finding, the Committee has taken testimony relating to many of the allegations you related. There remain numerous questions of fact concerning these matters.

To examine these facts, and particularly to reconcile what has amounted to differing accounts, we must take your testimony. Accordingly, I request you make yourself available for a voluntary transcribed interview no later than June 22, 2018.

To schedule the transcribed interview, or if you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Steve Castor of the Committee staff at (202) 225-5074. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Trey Gowdy

cc: The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings