

**From:** [Ralph Riccio](#)  
**To:** [BrownScott, Jennifer](#)  
**Subject:** RE: April 5th Meeting  
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Hello Jennifer,

We are excited to move forward in cooperation with the Refuge. A meeting with your Biologist present sounds like a great idea to help move us forward.

I know we already discussed your schedule being full at the end of March, but if there were any chance you were available on the 25<sup>th</sup>, we are having a meeting with the Army Corps at the Tribe. If you could just sit in on that meeting to hear the Army Corps position, that it would be helpful to begin getting us all on the same page. Jamestown would appreciate your presence at that meeting.

If you can make that meeting I will get the methods to you before the 25<sup>th</sup> and answer any questions you may have. Again you would not be expected to participate in the meeting, unless you wanted to. It is just so you can hear what is discussed between the Army Corps and the Tribe to increase transparency and mutual understanding.

Thanks again for your time and effort.

Ralph

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**Sent:** Thursday, March 10, 2016 9:31 AM

**To:** Ralph Riccio

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Ralph, It's great to feel like we are moving forward.

Since the Army Corps will not be present at the April 5th meeting, it might be a good time for you to talk through each of the aquaculture methods with me and my biologist. That way we can get a better idea of what you are looking at before meeting with the Corps. We know that you and the Corps have a lot more knowledge about these activities than we do. This could help us gain knowledge and be ready to discuss the process with the Corps.

-jennifer

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