From:	Noreen Walsh
To:	Michael Thabault
Cc:	Matt Hogan
Subject:	RE: FWS SG capacity info
Date:	Wednesday, March 19, 2014 5:05:37 PM

Got it - thanks

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Most likely yes

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On Mar 19, 2014, at 4:42 PM, Noreen Walsh <noreen_walsh@fws.gov> wrote:

> Got it – you might hire two if we get additional money.
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> If we hire the second one, would they also be in Miles City?
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> **From:** Thabault, Michael [mailto:michael_thabault@fws.gov]
> **Sent:** Wednesday, March 19, 2014 4:34 PM
> **To:** Noreen Walsh
> **Cc:** Matt Kales; Nicole Alt; Pat Deibert

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I have a call in to Dave but we have not connected yet. No problem identifying potential. How it specifically plays out etc I think needs to be worked out.

Left you a v-mail on the other question.

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On Wed, Mar 19, 2014 at 4:24 PM, Noreen Walsh <noreen_walsh@fws.gov> wrote:
This is excellent, thank you all. Just what I need.

And, I will also mention that we are actively exploring with Dave Smith (IWJV SWAT) how to capitalize on the good work already underway with those partner biologists, their training, etc, as we hire our OTG biologists. Unless you tell me not to ;)

From: Matt Kales [mailto:matt_kales@fws.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 19, 2014 3:37 PM
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Cc: Michael Thabault; Nicole Alt; Pat Deibert
Subject: FWS SG capacity info

Noreen,

As requested, please see attached the subject info. Thanks to Nicole for pulling this together in rapid fashion. Mike and I have reviewed. Please let us know if you have questions/need more information in advance of the PFC Board call tomorrow. Thanks.

Matt

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