

**From:** [Gwynne Shotwell](#)  
**To:** [Lueders, Amy L](#)  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Are we good with the funding?  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 26, 2023 3:11:23 PM

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Hahaha! I self caused them :). Thank you.

On Sep 26, 2023, at 5:04 PM, Lueders, Amy L <[amy\\_lueders@fws.gov](mailto:amy_lueders@fws.gov)> wrote:

sorry if I caused any unnecessary heart palpitations!

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**From:** Gwynne Shotwell <[Gwynne.Shotwell@spacex.com](mailto:Gwynne.Shotwell@spacex.com)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 26, 2023 4:03 PM  
**To:** Lueders, Amy L <[amy\\_lueders@fws.gov](mailto:amy_lueders@fws.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Are we good with the funding?

Phew ok thank you!

On Sep 26, 2023, at 5:03 PM, Lueders, Amy L  
<[amy\\_lueders@fws.gov](mailto:amy_lueders@fws.gov)> wrote:

yes, that is correct.

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Oooh a clarification point — permits can continue — evaluating the Starship BA and writing the BO can as well, right ?

On Sep 26, 2023, at 4:45 PM, Gwynne Shotwell  
<[Gwynne.Shotwell@spacex.com](mailto:Gwynne.Shotwell@spacex.com)> wrote:

Fantastic! Thank you.

On Sep 26, 2023, at 4:44 PM, Lueders, Amy  
L <[amy\\_lueders@fws.gov](mailto:amy_lueders@fws.gov)> wrote:

Sorry Gwynne- this got lost so delayed in responding. We were successful in processing the check so work on permitting can continue during any potential government shut down  
Good to see your and your team last week

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**From:** Gwynne Shotwell  
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**Sent:** Monday, September 25, 2023 5:16 PM  
**To:** Lueders, Amy L <amy\_lueders@fws.gov>  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Are we good with the funding?

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Hi Amy! I hope you got home smoothly after our meeting.

I am also checking on the status of the funding that we worked last week. I just want to verify that the Starship environmental activity will continue full force if there is (hopefully not, but...) a government shutdown. Can you confirm?

Thank you again and it was good to chat last week!

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