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Good afternoon...my advice would be to discuss this with Steve LaValley from the DNR Superior office. He is very acquainted with this file and I think can provide some good insight and background on his dealings with the Paine's.

Thanks.

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**Cc:** Peterson, Heather; Lemke, James W - DNR; Wolter, Peter B - DNR; Cunningham, Paul - DNR  
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I really don't know how to answer that. I think Jason is much more acquainted with the Paines (and their quirks) than I am.

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Thanks – let's put the 17<sup>th</sup> at 2 on the calendar. I'll still try to come, and I believe other folks (Real estate, fisheries) may participate by phone. If I will need to get back to Madison so that I can't be up there into the afternoon, I'll appear by phone, too.

We were thinking of sending someone to take a look at the property to see how it looks in terms of remaining conservation values (after reaching out to the Paines). Do you think this is something they may take issue with?

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Good morning....17th would work for me after 2:00 pm.

Thanks.

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Hi Diane,

Let's use this as a new thread – your initial email came to my general account managed by my assistant.

I have not yet reached out to the Paines as those who know them have told me that it would be a waste of time – which might also explain why you are not hearing back from them.

An in-person meeting on June 17 works for me! Jason?

Thanks,

Frog

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**From:** Milligan, Diane L - DNR [<mailto:Diane.Milligan@wisconsin.gov>]

**Sent:** Thursday, May 30, 2019 1:49 PM

**To:** Attorney

**Cc:** Lemke, James W - DNR; Wolter, Peter B - DNR

**Subject:** Paine property - Conservation Easement

Good afternoon Attorney Prell –

Thank you for responding to my May 9 letter, and I apologize for my delay in getting back to you.

At this point, the 17<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> after 10 am each day work for me, and I could actually be up there on the 17<sup>th</sup>, if that may be helpful.

I have not shared these dates with my colleagues (cc'd here), and their availability may narrow down those possible dates.

I have not heard back from the Paines, though I see that you copied the Mayor, who is also named Paine.

Have you had the occasion to talk to the Paines about this issue?

Thanks,

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