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Terry Tamminen
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Dear Terry,

On behalf of the National Council for Science and the Environment (NCSE), thank you so much for your great presentation in the plenary roundtable “Healthy People, Healthy Planet: From Evidence to Action” at the 7th National Conference on Science, Policy and the Environment: *Integrating Environmental and Human Health*. The roundtable received very positive reviews on our conference evaluation forms. Of 51 responses, 21 regarded the panel as excellent, 22 as good. One participant wrote, “Terry Tamminen was excellent”. A streaming video of the plenary roundtable is posted at http://www.ncseonline.org/2007conference/cms_print.cfm?id=1564. I am attaching a copy of the summary of the roundtable that will be included in our conference report.

As you may recall, our 2008 national conference will have a theme of *Climate Change: Science and Solutions*. We would like to engage you in the planning and implementation of that conference to the extent possible given your busy schedule. A draft agenda is attached. Note that we have included Governor Schwarznegger on our “dream team” draft agenda. We would appreciate your help in bringing this opportunity to his attention.

We will be holding a conference call Friday March 30 from 2 - 4 p.m. EDT to discuss the agenda. You will be getting a separate email with more information. I hope that you will be able to join us.

Congratulations also on your success with the western governors as well as with the British Columbia minister – I could see your finger prints on that agreement. I understand that you are also helping our Maryland state legislators to put together what we hope will be extremely important climate change prevention legislation.

It was great to have you at our conference. I look forward to continue working with you in the future.

Please contact me by telephone at 202-207-0004 (direct) or e-mail (David@NCSEonline.org) to follow up on any of these ideas.

Best wishes personally and in your important work.

Sincerely,

David

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