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**To:** McNulty, Paul; Winokur, Matt; Borelli, Thomas; Berlind, Mark; Asante, Dominic  
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**Subject:** Meeting with Annapolis Center/Regulatory Monitoring and Conference Program

I discussed the work of the Annapolis Center at lunch today with Paul McNulty, Matt Winokur, and Mark Berlind. Tom Borelli in Issues Management has been supporting some of their initiatives on a limited basis in 1998 and suggested that I meet with them to determine any possible value to WRA on some of our issues. I met with them briefly in Washington in late October, believe that some of their work may be of interest to WRA, and am hoping to pull together a small group in WRA to listen to a full presentation on their activities.

Would you be available for a presentation on 12/3 from 11:00 am - 12:30 pm to allow representatives of the Center to present on two of their initiatives: 1) their regulatory monitoring/ analysis system and 2) their conference program activities for 1999 which have been agreed by the board. If 12/3 does not work, pls advise availability on 12/7, 12/8, 12/10. Since their representatives will be here in NY on 12/3, this would be our preference. Please advise me with a copy to Maureen Walker, so she can try to coordinate a convenient time.

Their regulatory monitoring program focuses heavily on environmental policy issues -- with a view towards tracking cost/benefit of proposed rulemakings.

Their conference program focuses on several environmental as well as more general science policy issues. Among the agreed projects in 1999 will be activities focusing on children's health issues, endocrine disruptors, clean air, climate change, obesity and public policy, standards for the use of toxicology, and standards for epidemiology.

Sponsors of the Center include: the Chemical Manufacturers Association, Natl Manufacturers Association, American Petroleum Institute, Pfizer, P&G, Exxon and Westvaco among others. RJR, Cargill and ConAgra are small contributors.

I have passed some background materials to Paul McNulty. Paul -- May I ask you to return to me after your review them so I can circulate to others who will be attending.

Also, if there are others in the dept who you think should be included, please let me know.

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