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Hi all,

I fielded a call yesterday from <http://www.earthisland.org/journal/index.php/oeuvre/Paul-Koberstein%20/> who is working on a piece for the [Earth Island Journal](#).

I suspect that his coverage will be sympathetic to some detractors' points of view, so I really emphasized our cautious, judicious, and deliberately step-wise approach to the investigation. He did not seem inclined to speak to others about this at this time, but true to our communications guidelines, I'm letting you all know in case the partner leads or their PIOs would like to engage Paul.

Let me know if I can be of further assistance with making this connection.

Best,

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