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Hey, Joe,

Had lunch with a friend today who runs a non-profit camp for cancer survivors. I began discussing attempted coups within such organizations. She offered that a Parliamentarian should be present at the board meeting and had used such in the past at some of her meetings. She is tracking her down right now, and as soon as I know how to contact her, Matt and I will begin discussions with her. She can even write the agenda. Now when EB attempts to bog the meeting down with her legal mumbo-jumbo, the Parliamentarian can tell us how to proceed. We do not need to announce her attendance in advance, and I will not do so. So don't leak this.

Then I was struck by a brainstorm. Our bylaws allow for proxy voting, as specified in Article XIII, Section 1. "...Members may vote by proxy." How about giving me, Peterson, or Tracy your proxy before you skip town? Let me know the latest I can get that from you before you leave, and if I can get with the Parliamentarian before you go, we'll set it up so it can not be contested.

Curry called me last night. I'm the one (assuming you've read his e-mail to the board) who apparently called him the unpleasant names. Jeez, I can't reason with that guy. All he wants to do is find a compromise, which always seems to be one that will accommodate EB and John at the expense of the bylaws or the group. I finally lost my patience with him, but I didn't swear at him or call him names. I basically was just telling him he's a dupe and to wake the hell up to what's going on. And curiously, neither of us hung up on the other. Although tempted, I did not tell him about the \$18 K check. Don't want that leaking to EB or John before tomorrow's revelations arrive. Let's keep that under the rug, too.

The votes are in. By a minimum 7 to 6 vote (actual 8 to 2), the Elections Committee has been rejected. Thanks for your help. Don't know what will happen next, but I think the end result will ultimately be a nullification of the election.

Oh, and Matt was dismissed as Director of the Tampa Bay chapter so he could be culled off the board. No surprise there.

That is all.

~Golly