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Subject: You MIGHT hear from a trade pub reporter on DTW infrastructure

Hi Julie and Jennie – just a heads-up that you *might* hear from a writer, Matt O’Brien, for an online trades publication that focuses on infrastructure. He’s curious about what’s being proposed on Google’s Downtown West Project. Tim Rood spoke with him today and answered his questions; he gave Matt Julie’s contact info if he has further questions.

Thanks,

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Subject: Re: Trade publication reporter wants to discuss DTW infrastructure

I spoke to the reporter. He didn't have any specific questions but just wanted an overview of the DTW project and then asked about DISC. I will give him Julie Benabente's contact info for follow up on utilities in DTW and asked him to get back to me next week with any specific questions on transportation infrastructure so I can refer to the right DOT staff.

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Hello Elisabeth and Cheryl, I trust this finds you well. I am a journalist with Inframation News, a global news outlet that covers the privately financed infrastructure market and related M&A and capital markets transactions. Elisabeth, I left you a voicemail moments ago.

I came across a headline in one of our competitor's news feed that covers the San Jose downtown project. Since our coverage sticks to infrastructure and not real estate, I would like to know what infrastructure elements are part of Google's plan.

I did review some of the sections in

<https://www.sanjoseca.gov/Home/Components/News/News/1943/4699> but its a rather lengthy document and now I'm looking for someone to boil it down for me.

Any chance one of you included in this email can hop on the phone with me today or Monday to discuss?

Thanks,

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