

order to get the proposals submitted. OSPA generally never changes any aspect of a proposal prior to submission. The proposals were sent to Karen Geren at 1:43 PM yesterday the same day they were due. There is a requirement that all proposals are submitted five business days prior to submission to avoid issues I have described above. We took extraordinary measures to insure that the proposals were submitted on time. However, in the future, it cannot be expected that we will be able to continue to operate in the same way.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Justice, George

Sent: Monday, January 30, 2012 3:55 PM

To: Duncan, Jennifer E. (Sponsored Programs)

Cc: David, Craig; Porting, Liz

Subject: Re: Due Today -- NNSA Proposals

Jennifer, I understand if you can't process these at the last minute. We need to work on ways to make this process more effective. George

On Jan 30, 2012, at 3:51 PM, "Duncan, Jennifer E. (Sponsored Programs)" <DuncanJenn@missouri.edu> wrote:

> George,

> please see below. Really unrealistic expectations that James doesn't know how we handle proposals by now. Heads up – this puts them in a critical position and there is no PSRS.

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> Jennifer

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> From: Geren, Karen M.

> Sent: Monday, January 30, 2012 3:37 PM

> To: Hillstrom, Victoria J.

> Cc: Duncan, Jennifer E. (Sponsored Programs)

> Subject: Due Today -- NNSA Proposals

> Importance: High

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> Hi Victoria – I am so sorry you are receiving this at the last minute, I just now saw this in my work email.

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> Thanks,

> Karen M. Geren

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> From: Bennett, James C.
> Sent: Monday, January 30, 2012 1:43 PM
> To: Geren, Karen M.
> Cc: Prelas, Mark A.
> Subject: NNSA Proposals
> Importance: High
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> Karen,
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> Here are two NNSA's that are due today. Sorry did not know who to route to on pre-award side.
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