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Sent: Tuesday, December 27, 2011 9:38:33 PM
Subject: Call from **Carla**

Tuesday, December 20, 2011

Carla called at 2:45 PM today.

Carla called today. She asked if she could talk to me about things going on in the program. She wanted to know if I meant what I said in our initial meeting with her, early November in Springfield, referring to wanting to work together with OCB. I said yes that I meant everything that I said. She said that she believed that I did.

Carla wanted to know what has happened. She said Chairman Hauth filed two complaints in the first week after the Nov. 18th meeting, that he agreed to have a meeting with Linda Mock to prioritize the concerns from OCB and BECC, then tried to pass it off to Art Stevenson, when his request was denied, he then requested that Ken Gerlitz be allowed the opportunity to participate in the meeting with reasonable accommodations. Linda denied his request and said this meeting was not going to be that complicated and would not take long. She said Chairman Hauth then canceled the meeting and had a solo rally in front of OCB the same day.

Carla said there was also a rally last Friday, Randy Hauth, Jerry Bird, Art Stevenson and a couple of other people. I told Carla I wasn't there and couldn't speak for Randy. **Carla said these actions are not looking good on our program and the Commissioners are talking about voting to eliminate our program. I told Carla that I was scared for the future of our program. Carla said that I should be.** I told Carla that our program not only represents 17 managers, but 17 families. Carla asked me if I knew what the other managers felt about the things going on. I told her I didn't know. She asked if I had a good relationship with the managers. I told her I believed most of the managers trust and respect me. **I asked her if I could tell them that the Commissioners were considering voting to eliminate our program. Carla said please do.** I told her I would get back to her by the end of the week. After I got off the phone I decided not to call the other managers because of the holidays and I did not want to cause a panic.