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David came to see me [REDACTED]

He shared that he genuinely thought the meeting would be more productive w/o him and that he really has good transparency [REDACTED]. I pushed him and he said he honestly appreciated the support but thought this was not necessary or prudent from negotiations standpoint - esp since [REDACTED] are so tightly in sync on info-sharing and strategy.

[REDACTED] I shared your desires and David's thoughts and that given David's counsel, I would connect back w/ you re not having him participate.

So for our list when we connect. On calls from 7am - 930am