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Yes. A lot of calls and activity.

- as the power point noted we need \$8M. We are awaiting final verification but we got word yesterday that Mars will be in at [ ] AECOM probably at [ ] Alcoa [ ] Corning threw in [ ] more, and \$500k from two smaller companies. That gets us to approx [ ].

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- we have many other asks out there. We have talked to 3-4 current sponsors who are seriously considering supplements.

- Indra and Jeff are gung-ho and loved their mtg w you (we shld do more like that - helps us bond with them and get their organizations motivated). We sent them draft letters which they have agreed to send out. We spoke to their staffs and they will keep their bosses moving. Last night Immelt's staff assured me he would call Vikram and Citi (remember the theme at the Expo is "Better City Better Life"). Vikram told Ken Miller that they are definitely in at betwn [ ]

- spoke to Mark Penn twice and he has a list of five he is calling. Very helpful. He is calling Ford today (so I am delaying on your call sheet for a day until he gets a sense of what's going on there).

- Terry and Hormats are making calls. Gave Howard and Kim Molstre a list of targets and Bloomberg making calls too.

- I am lunching with my new best friends at the Chinese embassy today. They call you the "mother" of the USA Pavilion and me the "uncle".

Will keep you posted.

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

**From:** H <HDR22@clintonemail.com>  
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Have we made progress on the Expo?