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Rachel,

I plan to zoom into the remote meeting on Monday.

There are encrypted radio frequencies in use. I do not know how many or by how many agencies. I am unaware of any policies – but am still double checking with DPS to see what might exist.

Have a great weekend.

Paul

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Good afternoon, Mr. Cavanaugh,

I wanted to follow up with you about the request for information related to the use of radio encryption by Department of Safety agencies, as well as on current views related to this issue among members, including if any policies (model or in use) exist for such practices. In your previous email you had mentioned forwarding my email to those who might know more about encrypted radio communications. I was wondering if you had heard back from those individuals or if there was any information you would be able to provide to me in response to the subcommittee's inquiry? The first meeting of the subcommittee will be on Monday.

Thank you for your time. Please let me know if you have further questions.

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