Belfo (Tue, 9 Jan at 2:47 PM)

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Mr. Blackhorn,

The allegations are without merit. I did <u>not</u> use any public facilities to promote the ballot measure at issue. I have no personal knowledge of any Sheriff's Office employees having used any public facilities to promote a ballot measure and both I and the County Executive advised employees not to do so. I will fully cooperate with any PDC inquiry, should you find these allegations merit investigation. Previous similar allegations were dismissed by the PDC as unfounded, and I expect the same here.

Sincerely,