

**Lee, Lori**

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**From:** Powers, David  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 28, 2008 10:50 AM  
**To:** Vail-Smith, Karen  
**Cc:** Lee, Lori  
**Subject:** FW: Proposal for a Childcare Center at ECU

Karen,

The University Sponsored Child Care Task Force didn't actually generate any formal committee report. I do have a copy of the original committee (the committee whose work preceded appointment of my task force) report that examined the feasibility of a university sponsored child care center.

Our charge was to move the initiative forward to generate an RFP and a proposal.

I'd be delighted to share with you our Request for Proposals (a somewhat technical set of specifications to which vendors were required to respond if they chose to submit proposals), as well as the proposal from Bright Horizons. The Bright Horizons proposal is a rather large document contained in a set of ring binder notebooks. I'd also be glad to send you a copy of the original committee's work.

I'd be glad to make these materials available to you and/or meet with you to discuss the work of the task force, and the final proposal from Bright Horizons.

I was, of course, disappointed that the current budgetary crisis precluded funding the project this year, but remain optimistic that better budgetary circumstances will allow us to do so in the future. I am hopeful that faculty will continue to support the center.

David

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**From:** Lee, Lori  
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Hi Karen. Thanks for your email. I do not know, but guess it is may be linked somewhere, but I could not find it. Therefore, I am copying Professor David Powers in this email and maybe he can assist us both. Best wishes, Lori

*Thanks, David.*

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