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Subject: Re: Thank You Team HQ NOVA

Please forward this along to anyone I might have missed. Clearly need some more sleep...typo fixed :)

Team:

I woke up this morning with a smile on my face. We did it, made it through. And it was awesome.

The Governor's Office + Secretary of Commerce and Trade + Arlington + Alexandria + JBG SMITH + Via Novo + Subject Matter + Conway + Rubenstein = Dream Team

Thank you for your partnership over the past several weeks (and months). From the media prep and pitching, to the press release and social media, to the two announcement events yesterday, we put Virginia's best foot forward and the results will have a positive impact for the region and the state for a long time.

Thank you for the countless hours you collectively put into this project, for the work you did behind the scenes, for your relentless commitment to excellence, for your enthusiasm, for your teamwork, and for your creativity. While our work to welcome Amazon to the community and the Commonwealth continues, we should all pause to acknowledge a job well done.

Job well done! Cheers!

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