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Mr. Andrius Kubilius
Member of the European Parliament
European Parliament
60, rue Wiertz
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Dear Andrius,

I am reaching out to invite you to Washington, D.C. the week of **October 30 to November 3**, where we would like to host you for a private Russia strategy roundtable event at the National Endowment for Democracy (NED) and to also arrange meetings and consultations for you with relevant experts.

We were so impressed by the success of "The Day After" conference in Brussels earlier this year, and would love to continue coordinating with you in your efforts to strengthen collaboration between the European Parliament and Russian civil society.

Our aim for the roundtable event is to better coordinate our approach to Russia with important stakeholders from the U.S. government, think tanks, academia, and the non-profit sector. We have tremendous respect for your work convening Russian civil society and would be very pleased to collaborate with you in this sphere. We consider it to be a matter of utmost importance to foster transatlantic unity in pursuit of Russia's democratic future.

We would be delighted for you to accept our invitation and hope that your schedule will permit you to join us. If you need additional information or have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Lily Posner on NED's Eurasia Team.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

Damon Wilson
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