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Microsoft - Bill Gates, Jeff Harbor + JK, RC

pot. needs - dialog file format
- C runtime - what is licensing of source code
- meeting w/ Network folks / LAN mngr
- μSoft SMB network specs
- Windows / PM driver issues - can we
  └ get driver dev. kit.   virtualize
                                them
       ┌- compiler env. - pcode
Q's   └ class hierarchy - interchange
hwx_capability   └ optimize static vs. dynamic binding.
              delivery vs. dev. environment

We talked through GO's hw & sw plans
        for Lombard
Mktng plans

Bill argued that GO apps should be able
     to run on PM on desktop machine.

     └ dialog editors } will exist on PM. & Bill
     uI tools   }
                          thinks could be shared.

BG: "I think your concept's a very good one"
└ this is a different machine — they understand it.

Poss Areas for Cooperation:
  ① systems + tools

  ② apps   } they agreed ∧ teams (small)
        email
        └ 2 areas: ┌ sister apps
                   └ new apps

  Bill can see non-computer users picking up
  on this — seeing it in meetings.

  Works = breadth
          ss
          db   } depth application
          presentation
          prog. lang.

  at 1 point Bill was thinking of keeping an
  app group on hand held computer.

  They need to think through which apps to do:
  the like doing apps for new machines
  (Mac was a huge success for them)

  email — they're doing a Notes-like
  presentations
  forms

Runtime —
if it's part of OS we must pay
if it's runtime we can only put it in
any product

Bill Gates — wants doc on Visual hierarchy

Greg Whitten = lang. group

Debug info — he'll try to get.