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Subject: FW: Captain Sams Spit Threatened Again

Governor Haley - Just to refresh your memory on this impending disaster, the proposed development on Capt. Sam's Spit (Kiawah Island) is one of the more ludicrous projects to be suggested in quite some time. If you look at the two maps below, the first from Google Earth and the second from Delorme Mapping, there is no possible way that 50 houses should be built on this small peninsula only a few feet above sea level. The first big storm that comes along will deposit all of the structures back in the marsh causing substantial loss of life and property, and SC will wind up paying for the remediation costs. This ill-conceived venture needs to be derailed at the earliest possible chance.

Thank you for your attention to this urgent matter.

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Doug —

This week the Kiawah developers who want to build 50 houses on Captain Sams Spit gained approval from a lower court to move forward with the first phase of development.

Despite previous rulings in our favor by the South Carolina Supreme Court, an administrative law judge gave the go-ahead to build a half mile long wall necessary for the development of this fragile, unstable dune field.

We're moving fast to stop them, and we need your help now.

Our talented legal team at the South Carolina Environmental Law Project is working around the clock to obtain an injunction and appeal the ruling.

The Supreme Court has ruled in our favor on Captain Sams Spit before, so we have reason to be hopeful, but these fights require resources.

**[Please donate today to support our legal action and our work to save this unique place -- so important for wildlife and so inappropriate for development.](http://action.coastalconservationleague.org/page/m/54a0cd3/158d741d/10dc24d5/5edcbee7/1176670973/VEsE/)**

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It's going to take a lot of work from folks all across South Carolina to protect this special place, home to threatened seabirds, diamondback terrapins, and strand-feeding dolphins -- just to name a few.

**So please join us in the fight. Donate to help protect Captain Sams Spit today:**

<http://coastalconservationleague.org/save-captain-sams/>

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