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March 4, 2014

The Honorable Tom Young  
506 Gressette Bldg  
Columbia, SC 29201

Dear Senator Young,

The **RBC Heritage Presented by Boeing** is much more than an internationally recognized sporting event; it's a charitable giver and an economic engine! This continues in no small part due to your commitment to the efforts of the **Heritage Classic Foundation**.

Since its inception, The **Heritage Classic Foundation** has given more than \$26 million to non-profit organizations, universities and technical colleges. In addition, The Heritage Scholar Program has provided over 230 scholarships to worthy young students. As an economic engine, it is the state's *only annual* PGA TOUR golf tournament and according to a Clemson University/USCB economic impact study, the tournament injects over \$80 million annually into the state's economy.

Regardless of whether you are a golf fan or not, come to the island and see for yourself what folks have been talking about since 1969 when Arnold Palmer won the inaugural Heritage. It is one of the PGA TOUR's finest tournaments and the **Heritage Classic Foundation** invites you and a guest to experience it. On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the **Heritage Classic Foundation** we offer you two (2) Clubhouse badges for the *46th RBC Heritage Presented by Boeing* to be held on Hilton Head Island April 14 - 20.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- **Badge Distribution:** The badges will be distributed differently this year. On Wednesday, March 26th packets will be placed on your desks on the Senate floor including the badges. You will not need to request the badges and have them mailed to you.
- **Declining the badges:** If you prefer to decline the badges please contact Angie Taylor at our offices no later than Friday, March 21st. Her contact information is included in this letter.
- **Clubhouse Badges:** A clubhouse badge includes access to the tournament grounds for all seven days of the event, admission to the Clubhouse featuring private restrooms and the Heritage Pavilion and two on-course hospitality venues at holes 15 and 7 boasting great views. All venues have food & beverages to purchase.
- **Additional Badges:** Additional badges may be purchased for the face value of the badge. A brochure has been included in this mailing with order information.
- **Event Parking:** Due to the limited parking in The Sea Pines Resort, special parking passes are not available. Complimentary shuttle buses transporting guests to and from the general parking areas directly to Harbour Town run continuously. Clubhouse badges will not grant access to reserved parking.
- **Schedule of Events:** Festivities begin on Monday, April 14th and continue through close of play on Sunday, April 20th. A schedule of events will be included with your badges. For more information please go to the RBC Heritage website. [www.rbcheritage.com](http://www.rbcheritage.com)

The efforts of the **Heritage Classic Foundation** rely upon the generosity of our sponsors. In order to continue to make

a difference in the lives of the individuals affected by the Foundation's charitable efforts, securing the support of South Carolina owned companies is essential. Boeing, BMW Manufacturing and Fluor are among those companies who employ thousands of South Carolinians and have stepped up and participated in our efforts. We continue to add to this elite list of sponsors and as we build upon this together we would appreciate any leads you are able to share with us. We value your support and all you do on behalf of the citizens of our great state.

Please direct all inquiries to Angie Taylor, Director of Outreach at [angie@heritageclassicfoundation.com](mailto:angie@heritageclassicfoundation.com) or call 843.671.2448 Ext. 243. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

J. Simon Fraser  
Chairman

Steve Wilmot  
Tournament Director

Angie Taylor  
Director of Outreach

*Note: The Heritage Classic Foundation is not a Lobbyist Principal, however, please be mindful that if you choose to accept these badges it is our understanding that you will need to report their face value (\$190 per badge) on your Statement of Economic Interest Form in the following calendar year.*

## Important Information

The Heritage Classic Foundation will be presenting each member of the South Carolina General Assembly with two (2) Clubhouse badges to the 2014 RBC Heritage Presented by Boeing on Wednesday, March 26th. These badges will be placed on the desks of each of the South Carolina General Assembly.

**If you prefer not to receive the badges, please return this form to our office by Friday, March 21st.**

- I prefer not to accept the Clubhouse badges from the Heritage Classic Foundation.  
Representative

You may send this form back to us in any of the following ways:

- Scan and email: [Angie@heritageclassicfoundation.com](mailto:Angie@heritageclassicfoundation.com)
- Fax: 843.671.6738
- Mail: Angie Taylor, 71 Lighthouse Road, Ste. 4200, Hilton Head Island, SC 29928

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### Other Tournament Related Information

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**Schedule of Events:**

- A list of tournament activities is attached for your planning. Festivities begin on Monday, April 14th and continue through close of play on Sunday, April 20th.

Angie Taylor, *Director of Outreach & Special Projects*

**Heritage Classic Foundation**

[RBC Heritage - A PGA TOUR Event](#)

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