

INTERNAL STAFF UPDATE*

Wednesday, May 25, 2016

Legal – Election for Town of Williams:

Tomorrow, an Executive Ordering ordering an election for mayor and town council for the Town of Williams (Colleton County) will be prepared for the Governor's signature. Recall that the election was not held due to the leadership of the tiny town simply forgetting to hold the election (population: 117). At the request of the town, the Colleton County Election Commission will conduct the election.

Commerce – Toray contractors:

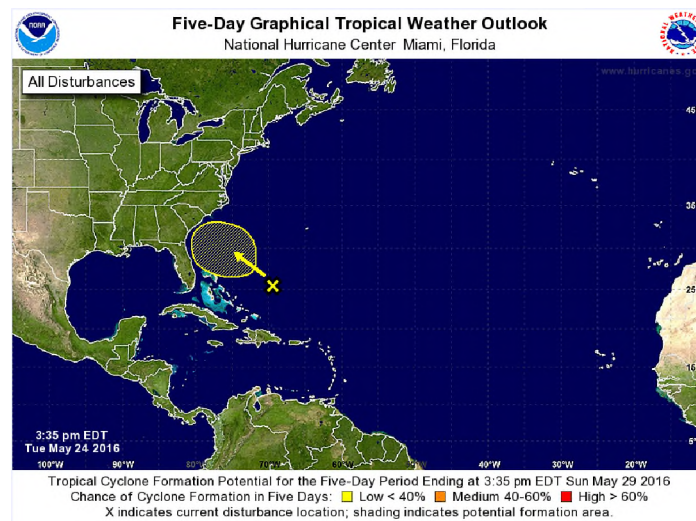
At the request of Jon Ozmint, our office set up a meeting with several local contractors in the Upstate and representatives from the Department of Commerce, as the contractors felt they were not getting enough work from bigger companies, like Toray, that had recently come into the state. That meeting took place in February, and Commerce followed-up on many of the action items discussed in the meeting. Jennifer Noel ran into a few of the local entities last night at a speaking engagement in Spartanburg, and she said they were extremely pleased with Toray's new engagement with local businesses. Two of the local contractors had received business already from Toray with the promise of more to come.

Commerce – Kent Bicycles:

Arnold Kamler will be speaking Thursday, June 2nd at the Central South Carolina Alliance 22nd Annual Meeting of Investors, and he is finalizing the purchase of a new state-of-the-art painting system for their Clarendon County facility, which should be in place by the end of this year.

Emergency Management – Tropical Outlook:

This weekend, a POSSIBLE tropical system might affect SC, mostly with rain and coastal rip currents and wind gusts. The system is NOT expected to turn into a hurricane but may develop into a weak tropical storm.



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