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**Subject:** Leadership Spartanburg Graduation  
**Location:** Spartanburg Country Club, 2500 Country Club Road, Spartanburg, S.C.  
**When:** 5/12/2016 12:15:00 PM - 1:00:00 PM

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**APPROVED BY:** NH on 2/23. Trey Gowdy request.

**EVENT:** Leadership Spartanburg Graduation

**DATE:** Thursday, May 12, 2016

**TIME:** 12:15-1:00 PM (11:30 AM-1:00 PM)

**LOCATION:** Spartanburg Country Club, 2500 Country Club Road, Spartanburg, S.C.

**LOCATION SET-UP:** Round Tables, Mic and Podium

**HEAD TABLE:**

1. Governor Haley
2. Ashton Lee
3. Ralph Settle, Program Chair
4. Chad Lawson, Board of Regents Chair
5. Allen Smith, Chamber President
6. Todd Horne, Board Chair

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**PURPOSE:** Governor Haley will provide the keynote address at the Leadership Spartanburg Graduation.

**PRESS:** Yes.

**PUBLIC:** Yes.

**INVITED BY:** Congressman Trey Gowdy

**ATTENDEES:** 65 attendees expected

**INTRODUCED BY:** Ralph Settle, Program chair

**LENGTH OF SPEAKING:** 10-12 minutes and Q&A if the Governor would like.

**SPEAKING ORDER/LINE-BY-LINE:**

11:30-11:45 AM Welcome and mingle  
11:45 AM -12:15 PM Lunch  
12:15 PM Gov. Haley Arrives  
12:15 PM Keynote Address Gov. Haley  
12:30 PM Graduation Presentation  
1:00 PM Gov. Haley Departs

**BACKGROUND:**

Leadership Spartanburg, founded in 1979 by the Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce, is a nine-month course designed to better prepare leaders and volunteers for community service through exploration of issues, challenges and opportunities facing Spartanburg County now and in the future. The purpose of Leadership Spartanburg is to prepare participants to work within their own community and the region as effective leaders capable of making decisions.

**TALKING POINTS:**

**CLASS ROSTER:**

Claudia Albergotti- Johnson Development  
Laura Allen- SCANPO  
Debbie Apoldo- Episcopal Church of the Advent  
Bob Atkins- Founders Federal Credit Union  
Karen Bjelland- TD Bank  
Ben Boland- Morgan Corp.  
Kathryn Boucher- Music Foundation of Spartanburg  
Rachel Brough- Cate Law Firm  
Kevin Brown- Spartanburg Water  
Eduardo Chen- SCC  
Brooke Coleman- Spartanburg Housing Authority  
Cheryl Cox- SCC  
Shea Dent- Spartanburg Chamber of Commerce  
Stacey Dulin- Spartanburg Regional Foundation  
Donna Evans- White Oak Estates  
Jennifer Faner  
Kara Ferguson- USC Upstate  
Amy Goulding Goodwin- Junior League of Spartanburg  
Lindsey Graham- Converse College  
Quincy Halliday- McAbee, Schwartz, Halliday & Co.  
Rosalyn Henderson- Cheeks & Henderson, LLC  
Missy House- U.S. Congressman Trey Gowdy's office  
Martin Huff- Johnson Development Associates, Inc.  
Kelly Kozlowski- Pure Barre Spartanburg  
Elizabeth Martin- Westgate Family Therapy Institute  
Derrick Norris- Comfort Suites @Westgate Mall  
Tamika Oden- Boys & Girls Club of the Upstate  
Jason Paddock- Spartanburg School District 2  
Adam Padgett- Lyons Industrial Properties  
Lesa Phillips- The Arbor Co, Eden Terrace Assisted Living  
Joe Pinilla- The Forrester Center for Behavioral Health  
Angie Price- Spartanburg Water  
Jill Rodgers- McMillan Pazdan Smith Architecture  
Lianna Saad- Mid South Management Co., Inc.  
Kyle Settle- Fluor Enterprises  
Kristyn Smith Hawkins- Spartanburg CVB

Justin "Hootie" Solesbee- Harper Corporation  
Jennifer Stanger- United Way of the Piedmont  
Angie Stroupe- AFL  
David Sundermann- Spartanburg Marriott