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Katherine:

I've been asked to invite the Governor to kick off the 30th Annual Pickens Azalea Festival on Saturday morning, April 19th. Festivities will commence at 10 a.m. Pat Mulkey, one of the organizers of the festival, called me late last week to request that I invite the Governor. The festival usually draws a large crowd of around 30,000 for the two day event.

I'm sure the Governor has lot's going on, but I'm pleased to forward this invitation. It would be huge for the 30th anniversary for the Governor to join us.

Many thanks!

Larry

Sent from my iPad