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## **Gov. Nikki Haley News**

BMW to add 100 jobs amid increased X3 demand (AP)

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BMW Adds 100 Jobs, Part-Time Work For Students (VIDEO)

<http://www.wyff4.com/news/28756883/detail.html#ixzz1U40orztr>

BMW hiring now for 100 professional jobs (VIDEO)

<http://www.greenvilleonline.com/article/20110803/NEWS/308020044/BMW-announces-plans-hire-100-professionals-creation-scholarship-program?odyssey=nav|head>

BMW to create 100 jobs, scholarship program

<http://www.goupstate.com/article/20110803/ARTICLES/110809892/1088/sports?Title=BMW-to-create-100-jobs-scholarship-program>

BMW announces 100 new jobs

<http://taylors.patch.com/articles/bmw-announces-100-new-jobs>

BMW to increase workforce in South Carolina, Haley announces

<http://www.examiner.com/nikki-haley-in-national/bmw-to-increase-workforce-south-carolina-haley-announces-spartanburg>

BMW adding jobs, scholar & health programs

<http://www.southcarolinaradionetwork.com/2011/08/03/bmw-adding-jobs-scholar-health-programs/>

BMW Makes 3 Announcements; Including New Jobs (Pictures)

<http://www.wyff4.com/slideshow/news/28752080/detail.html>

Governor Haley signs new law at Tri-County's Easley campus

[http://www.pickenssentinel.com/view/full\\_story/14937754/article-Governor-Haley-signs-new-law-at-Tri-County-s-Easley-campus-?instance=home\\_news\\_lead](http://www.pickenssentinel.com/view/full_story/14937754/article-Governor-Haley-signs-new-law-at-Tri-County-s-Easley-campus-?instance=home_news_lead)

Governor says new bill is first step in effort to improve the state's higher-education system

<http://mauldin.patch.com/articles/governor-signs-bill-to-create-fiscal-transparency-in-higher-education-system>

Governor signs first of several planned Higher Ed reforms

<http://www.independentmail.com/news/2011/aug/03/governor-signs-first-several-planned-higher-ed-ref/>

Nikki Haley announces Schaeffler Group USA expansion in Chesterfield County

<http://www.examiner.com/nikki-haley-in-national/nikki-haley-announces-schaeffler-group-usa-expansion-chesterfield-county>

\$10 million investment to create 100 new jobs

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Schaeffler to add 100 jobs in Chesterfield Co.

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Auto Parts Maker Expanding  
<http://www.wyff4.com/news/28757490/detail.html>

Between the Lines: Redistricting Halftime Show  
[http://www.rollcall.com/issues/57\\_20/between-the-lines-Redistricting-Halftime-Show-208008-1.html?pos=opolh](http://www.rollcall.com/issues/57_20/between-the-lines-Redistricting-Halftime-Show-208008-1.html?pos=opolh)

SC Rep. Thad Viers to announce candidacy for U.S. House  
<http://www.carolinalive.com/news/story.aspx?id=647725#.TjqSaWHP6eY>

South Carolina ETV cuts 17 jobs (AP)  
<http://www.midlandsconnect.com/news/story.aspx?id=647418#.TjqR9WHP6eY>

Berkeley issuing permits under new copper theft law  
<http://www.abcnews4.com/story/15204047/berkeley-issuing>

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SC tourism slumps sharply due to Great Recession  
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Beaufort chamber wins tourism grant  
<http://www.blufftontoday.com/bluffton-news/2011-08-04/beaufort-chamber-wins-tourism-grant#.TjqW6WHP6eY>

Group ACTS for families in need (VIDEO)  
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SC-Audit: Program to reach disabled babies faulted (AP)  
<http://www.lakewyलिएpilot.com/2011/08/03/1213283/sc-audit-program-to-reach-disabled.html>

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Chance Of Being In Fatal Accident Greatest In 5 SC Counties  
<http://www2.wsav.com/news/2011/aug/02/chance-being-fatal-accident-greatest-5-sc-counties-ar-2220599/>

Animal shelter staff fired, six months after allegations of dogs shot (VIDEO)  
<http://lancaster-chester.wbtv.com/news/crime/animal-shelter-staff-fired-six-months-after-allegations-dogs-shot/65483>

Filing begins for Cameron Town Council  
[http://www.thetandd.com/news/article\\_47e35126-be35-11e0-a647-001cc4c002e0.html](http://www.thetandd.com/news/article_47e35126-be35-11e0-a647-001cc4c002e0.html)

Tax holiday weekend is upon us  
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S.C. prepares for sales tax holiday weekend  
<http://www.islandpacket.com/2011/08/03/1747215/sc-prepares-for-sales-tax-holiday.html>

VCB again wins tourism grant  
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DOT Criticized For Fixing Road (Video)  
<http://www2.wspa.com/news/community-watchdog/2011/aug/03/1/dot-criticized-fixing-road-ar-2227003/>

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Nearly Half of Senate Now Sponsors Bill to Further Guard Empowerment

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DeMint's leadership PAC battles leaders' in fight for future of Senate GOP caucus

<http://thehill.com/homenews/senate/175397-demints-leadership-pac-battles-leaders-in-fight-for-future-of-senate>

SCGOP loses battle over deficit

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Military leaders testify on Reserves' future

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House GOP Freshmen Speak Loudly, Carry Big Sticks

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Bill approves redistricting

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Rural Democrats Who Backed the Debt Bill

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Clyburn plans I-95 Health Fair

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## **Constitutional Officers**

Investigators Seek Reporter's Audio Recording in Ken Ard Case

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SC, Chesterfield County Settle Dog Shootings Case (AP)

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Chesterfield fires animal shelter workers

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Sheriff fires four animal control officers

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Chesterfield Animal Control Officers Won't Face Charges (VIDEO)

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Decisions to be made in Chesterfield animal shelter case (VIDEO)

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Local farmers get the facts on flax in Kingstree

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SC Students Earn \$966 Million in Scholarships (AP)

<http://www.wltx.com/news/national/article/146082/2/SC-Students-Earn-966-Million-in-Scholarships>

Community must support children for back to school (Editorial)

<http://www.indexjournal.com/main.asp?SectionID=8&SubSectionID=154&ArticleID=6012&TM=32020.69>

Fewer Darlington schools meet federal NCLB standards

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Eckstrom urges protection of South Carolina's credit rating

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More students meet standards in PASS testing

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Eckstrom: S.C. National Guard program aims to refocus lives of at-risk youth

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Denny Woodall Neilson Receives Coker College Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award

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Thad Viers to run for 7th Congressional seat

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Viers announces for SC's new 7th District

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*None*

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NFL commissioner visits Wofford, talks to fans

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Audit Shows Money Wasn't Tracked Through SC Children's Program

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Merged elections office taking shape

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Big surf likely to be only effect on S.C

<http://www.thestate.com/2011/08/04/1921226/sc-coast-on-edge-of-emilys-5-day.html>

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Free Health Care Checkups for Adults Friday, Saturday

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Funeral for SC civil rights pioneer (AP)

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Duke Energy Wants Rate Hike (AP)

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Unemployment Rate Could Plummet With Proper Training

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Hilton Head Beach Project Moves Ahead (AP)

<http://www2.wspa.com/news/2011/aug/03/hilton-head-beach-project-moves-ahead-ar-2224740/>

Squirrel knocks WIS off the air (Video)

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Study says Lee, Clarendon have deadliest roads

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AAA: Lakelands dangerous for drivers

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Florence 1 adds \$1.7 million to 2011-12 budget

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Unemployment aid applications tick down to 400K

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Friends of cruises: Carnival, government leaders trade gestures of support

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Tax holiday highlights need for reform

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Government on autopilot

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Judge Matthew Perry a man for all seasons

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Heat-related death calls for caution, not judgment

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Debt crisis is over — now get to work

<http://www2.scnw.com/news/2011/aug/02/editorial-debt-crisis-over-now-get-work-ar-2220751/>

Dreams of an improved downtown for Florence

<http://www2.scnw.com/news/pee-dee/2011/jul/31/column-dreams-improved-downtown-florence-ar-2205735/>

Officials should tape any illegal executive sessions

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Should you put retirement on hold?

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Judge Perry will be remembered

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Obama looking to the middle ground

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The Stroller: Not forgotten

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