
From: Ellie Stinson <ekstinson@outlook.com>
Sent: Monday, July 20, 2015 12:44 PM
To: Haley, Nikki
Subject: RE: Coastal Exploration & Drilling

Dear Governor Haley,

I didn't receive a response from you to my email (see below) sent Friday, July 10th, although I did receive responses from Sen. Scott and Lindsey Graham. Therefore, I am sending again in hopes that I will hear back from you.

I am a volunteer for an organization called S.O.D.A. This organization is comprised of many concerned citizens along the Grand Strand. This group hosted a public forum in early July which was very informative and provided great insight into this issue.

Would you be interested hosting a presentation for you and our other representatives prior to making a decision on this important issue? We could make arrangements for a presentation at your convenience.

Thank you,
Ellie Stinson

From: ekstinson@outlook.com
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Subject: Coastal Exploration & Drilling
Date: Sun, 12 Jul 2015 12:46:22 -0400

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From: ekstinson@outlook.com
To: governor@govoepp.state.sc.us
Subject: Coastal Exploration and Drilling
Date: Fri, 10 Jul 2015 10:07:56 -0400

Dear Governor Haley:

South Carolina's coastal communities and residents have spoken out en masse against the federal proposal to allow oil and gas development off our our coast. I respectfully ask you to stand up for South Carolina's coastal resources, heritage, and quality of life and ask the Obama Administration to take South Carolina out of the five year plan for drilling that the U.S. Bureau of Ocean Energy Management has recently proposed.

Offshore drilling would require industrializing our coastline, it would threaten the billions of dollars and tens of thousands of jobs that tourism brings to our economy, and the public would not even know what's going on. Any data from seismic testing off our coast would not be public. The Federal Government and the testing companies would not share the data; it would be "proprietary." I respectfully urge you to tell the Obama Administration that you cannot support drilling if it happens behind closed doors.

If we are looking for alternative energy why not use wind and solar? Solar is finally getting the respect it deserves and the cost of installation is starting to come down.

Respectfully,

Ellie Stinson
Myrtle Beach resident