



## State of South Carolina Office of the Governor

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GOVERNOR

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Dear Friends,

On behalf of the people of South Carolina, I am pleased to join the Town of Donalds in celebrating Casey Ashley, winner of the 2015 Bassmaster Classic!

It's a great day in South Carolina when we can recognize a sportsman who has not only proven to be among the best in the world at what he does but someone who also brings positive attention to his community and the Palmetto State. The 2015 Classic was certainly one for the history books with more than 10,000 bass fishing fans watching as Casey became the first angler to win on his "home water." To host the "Super Bowl of Bass Fishing" on Lake Hartwell and have an opportunity to showcase our beautiful state on a national stage was a tremendous privilege, and we could not be more proud of Casey and his achievement.

Michael and I want to thank the Town of Donalds for coming together to support your hometown hero. We hope you have a wonderful day and wish Casey our best for continued success. God bless.

My very best,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Nikki", is written over the printed name.

Nikki R. Haley

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