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Message:

Dear Governor Haley: It seems that your Governor's Budget missed the important and real issues in SC everyday life. For example, giving more money to a grossly underperforming education system is not only a crime, but a continuation of generations of dumbing down students for a future slave workforce to satisfy the needs of elitism and socialism. If the SCDoE were a corporation, and students their product, they would have declared bankruptcy many decades ago; yet, we continue to throw taxpayers' money down the black hole... sheer insanity. In your recommendations on roads, maybe cutting funds in underperforming agencies (of which there are many, as well as trimming pensions due to a down economy) would be the sensible thing to do. Also, raising gasoline taxes while the price of oil is down is a stupid recommendation I heard from legislators, because these taxes will never go down when the price of oil goes up. It's not a good idea to finance new debt in order to fund expansion projects in politically important counties; there are roads and bridges that are ignored by the SCDOT because of diverting monies to more politically advantageous counties, and to satisfy the doling out of plenty local favours. If we are to continue towards a prosperous South Carolina, let's put a stop to all legislative fraud, corruption and cronyism; I realize that this is a hard thing to do because SC Congress has been addicted to spending the peoples' money like there is no tomorrow. Remember our parents' advice that "money doesn't grow on trees"? So far, I've been thoroughly satisfied with your performance as Governor, and the fact that you made many doubters look silly.