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Date: 7/14/2015 1:45:08 PM

Subject: RE: Draft Governors invitation letter

Attachments: [Darlington Invite.docx](#)

Attached is draft copy for the press event and reception. We need name(s) for the press event and reception?

Are we still meeting on Thursday 11:30pm at the Mansion?

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From: Zemp, DeWitt [mailto:zemp@sostrategy.com]

Sent: Tuesday, July 14, 2015 11:11 AM

To: Veldran, Katherine

Cc: Smith, Lena; Dermody, Brandon; Griffith, Jeff; Smith, Heather

Subject: Draft Governors invitation letter

Dear CEO x

Michael and I invite you to join me, along with Secretary of Commerce Bobby Hitt and Director of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Duane Parrish, for a economic development and tourism press conference followed by a reception I'm hosting at the Governors Mansion on August 4th, 2015 from 4 pm until 6 pm.

Since 1950, the Darlington Raceway has drawn visitors from around the globe to experience the thrill of fast-paced competition uniquely infused with our renowned Southern hospitality. By garnering national and international attention to our state, this legacy sporting event also fuels South Carolina's economy and quality of life by providing unparalleled opportunities to showcase South Carolina at its finest.

During our meeting at the Darlington Raceway, we will be holding press conference to highlight the economic successes of this Labor Day Race followed by a reception and discussions related to exploring potential corporate opportunities that may benefit your company and your employees.

We look forward to spending an informative and engaging afternoon with you as we discuss the importance of this event to our state. Please contact Katherine Veldran if you are able to attend: katherineveldran@gov.sc.gov or 803.767.7583.

My very best,

Governor Nikki Haley

Cc: Mr. Chip Wile

President, Darlington Raceway

Sent from my iPhone