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Subject: Rotary

- Introduction - bio, family, profession, length of service
- Here to talk to you as a small business owner
- History of the store, evolution of service/product offerings, illustration of current business
- Discuss competition, chains, Medicaid/Medicare, MCOs, insurance, etc.
- Experience/background in business and politics gives unique perspective on 3 things
- Health care - how we got here, what's the problem, what's the fix
 - Insurance
 - Catastrophic/emergency coverage
 - Opiod abuse
- Regulations - why they're good and bad, how they are created, how they alter the actual law
 - Adam Smith/Special Interests
 - Bureaucrats
 - What they drain from the economy (I'll get the figures)
- Taxes - who pays them and who doesn't, how they've grown over 30, 20, 10 years, debt
 - Exemptions
 - Credits (free college and gas are best examples)
 - What are we getting?
- Examples of success - DEW, Prior Authorization, Port Road
- I'll always be for life, school choice and the 2nd Amendment, but my experience over 12 years convinces me we can do better throughout government by making it smaller, leaner and less targeted (special interests). That's the message I want to spread around SC.
- Anyone had a positive experience with a State Agency?
- Anyone had a negative experience with a Government Agency?