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Date: 11/1/2016 2:30:07 PM  
Subject: Re: Media query

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Hi,  
I am out of the office right now but will be in first thing in the morning. If you could call me anytime tomorrow at 843-540-0534, that would be great.  
Thanks so much!

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On Tue, Nov 1, 2016 at 11:38 AM, Adams, Chaney <[ChaneyAdams@gov.sc.gov](mailto:ChaneyAdams@gov.sc.gov)> wrote:  
Sally what is the best number to reach you?

From: The Island News [mailto:[theislandnews@gmail.com](mailto:theislandnews@gmail.com)]  
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 12:03 PM  
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Subject: Media query

Good morning,

I am working on a story for The Island News in Beaufort, S.C., on SBA disaster loans. We've been hearing from readers that they are not eligible for these loans because they live on barrier islands. However, the U.S. federal map of barrier islands raises a lot of questions.

For instance, Hilton Head is not considered a barrier island while all the surrounding islands are.

Harbor Island is a 3-mile island and half is designated as a barrier island and the other half is not.

Meanwhile, St. Helena Island is designated as a barrier island even though it is protected by Fripp, Harbor and Hunting islands.

It's confusing to say the least. Can you direct me to someone who can answer these questions? We have some desperate people here.

Thanks,

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