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Hi Tori.

I just met with the Deputy Commander, Colonel Mark Shade. He is wondering if the Lt. Gov. and the rest of the group could stay a bit longer and join the commanding general for lunch, getting them out of here by 1230ish.

I told him I didn't know if you all have follow on engagements or not, but would ask.

Please let me know.

Thanks!

V/r,  
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Wonderful! Thank you so much!

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Thanks Tori Beth.

We will be excited to have the group join us!

We don't need anything else from you now, but if we do, I'll let you know.

I'll be in touch with more info about meet up details, etc. soon.

Thanks!

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Jen,

We can definitely make 8:30 work that morning - the Lieutenant Governor would be honored to attend! Can you tell me a little more about the Graduation. What does it entail and how many men and women will be graduating? This absolutely sounds like a wonderful opportunity for the LG to experience and learn from. Do you need any additional information from us?

Thank you so much!  
Tori Beth

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Thanks Tori Beth.

I've spoken to the Deputy Commander, COL Mark Shade, who wants to know if it is at all possible to have the group arrive here at 8:30 vice 9:00?

Our Graduation that day begins promptly at 9:00. Our Commanding General, Maj. Gen. John 'Pete' Johnson will be there and would very much like Lt. Gov. Kevin Bryant to attend as his guest. MG Johnson's bio is attached.

It is a really great event and it speaks volumes about our mission here and how we differ from other SC military installations/facilities.

Please let me know.

Thanks!

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Hi Jen,

Thank you so much for getting back to me! The Lt. Gov. is thrilled to visit.

His availability for the 20th would be from 9:00am - 11:30am. Would that work for you all?

I don't believe we had anything specific in mind, but he would love to see firsthand the factors that separate Ft. Jackson from the other bases in South Carolina. We recognize each base has a completely different function, and he just wants a better understanding of what that is for the men and women at Ft. Jackson. Does that make sense? He would also love the opportunity to meet some of the service men and women to show his appreciation and thank them for everything they do if that would be possible.

The following link is his comprehensive bio: Caution-Caution-Caution-<http://ltgov.sc.gov/Biography/Pages/default.aspx> . Let me know if you need any additional information.

And there would probably be 6 or 7 people total - the Lt. Gov., his wife Ann, his Chief of Staff Danny Varat, myself, possibly one

more staffer and 2 SLED agents. I will be able to confirm who exactly would be there by next week.

Do you need any other additional information? Again, thank you so much for working with me to make this happen!

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Importance: High

Good afternoon Tori Beth,

I'm Jen Stride, the Command Outreach Chief for Fort Jackson. We welcome a visit by Lt. Gov. Kevin Bryant. I believe JUL 20 works well for us too and am in the process of getting verification of that.

I think we can easily come up with a fairly comprehensive and enjoyable tour for him - I just have a few questions.

What does his tour timeline look like for the 20th?  
Is there anything specific he wants to see?  
Will you send me his bio?  
How many folks total (and who) will accompany him on the tour?

Once I have that, it will be easy to plan and I should be able to get you a draft itinerary soonest.

Thanks!

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Hi,

Lt. Gov. Kevin Bryant has planned to dedicate the entire month of July to our military and first responders, with the goal of visiting as many Police and Fire Departments as possible as well as all of our active military bases in the state.

Thus, I wanted to reach out on behalf of him to ask if we could schedule a tour of the base.

At each base, he hopes to tour the facilities and speak with some of our service men and women to thank them and show his appreciation. That being said, I have asked each contact at each different base what the best setup regarding a tour would be. I know each base's function is extremely different, but I am unfamiliar with all you have to offer. The Lt. Gov. is open to anything and everything. Thus, if we are able to tour, what do you think would be best for him to see?

If a tour would be possible, is there any availability on July 3rd, 6th, 20th, 25th or 26th? The 20th would work best but he is available any of those days.

Thank you so much for your help, and please let me know if you need any additional information.

Thanks!

Tori Beth

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