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To: Pitts, Ted <TedPitts@gov.sc.gov>  
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Date: 4/23/2013 3:47:41 PM  
Subject: RE: FROM JACK SHULER: Need your response - Sen. McGill Letter

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Each one of these items were either not initially requested in the Executive Budget process or was consciously left out as the overall budget came into balance. For the agencies listed, the Executive Budget focused on the core functions to include firefighting capacity, food safety and health, and state park sustainability. The governor's proposal further went to designate all future revenues to tax relief of infrastructure needs.

I don't think that we can support such a significant deviation from the Governor's Executive Budget proposal this year.

Thoughts?

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From: Pitts, Ted  
Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2013 3:29 PM  
To: Baker, Josh; Soura, Christian  
Subject: FW: FROM JACK SHULER: Need your response - Sen. McGill Letter

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From: Duane Parrish [<mailto:dparrish@scprt.com>]  
Sent: Wednesday, April 17, 2013 4:35 PM  
To: Pitts, Ted  
Subject: Fwd: FROM JACK SHULER: Need your response - Sen. McGill Letter

Wanted to make sure you're okay with this. Senator McGill asked me to be involved with this. Doesn't ask for any direct money for PRT. Thanks.

Duane

*Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID*

----- Original Message -----

Subject: FROM JACK SHULER: Need your response - Sen. McGill Letter  
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Penning a letter with verbiage that satisfies all signatories has been a daunting task. Consequently, we at PABC have chosen to shorten the letter focusing on immediate needs, recognizing that the budget process is well underway in the Senate.

Attached is a revised letter for your consideration. It is our plan to hand deliver the letter Thursday morning to Senator McGill and Clint Leach and also by email and mail delivery. Please let us know by close of business Wednesday if you would like to sign, and if so - please submit your electronic signature.

Thank you,

Jack

Jack Shuler

President

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