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Will you please go to media avails we have done previously, see if she has answered this question or something similar, and transcribe what she has said?

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From: Brundrett, Rick [mailto:rbrundrett@greenvillenews.com]
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Hey Rob,

Thanks for taking my call. Here are the questions that I'd appreciate the governor answering:

- My review of dam inspection reports posted online by DHEC in connection with the 75 emergency orders recently issued show that in a number of those cases, the most-recent prior inspections were done nearly five years or longer, while in a number of other cases, there were no posted inspection reports. Given that the dam-safety inspection division in recent years has had no more than 5 FTEs and the lack of regular inspections, does the governor believe that the program is understaffed? Why or why not?
- Does the governor plan to propose any funding increases to increase staffing in the inspection program in her upcoming executive budget for the 2016-17 fiscal year? If so, can you give me specifics on that amount? If not, why?

If you need to speak with me by phone, my cell is 864-478-5904. Thanks again for your help with this.