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**To:** 'Dickinson, Gerry' <gdickinson@aging.sc.gov>  
**CC:** Lily Cogdill <LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov>  
Danny Varat <DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>  
Broome, Darryl <dbroome@aging.sc.gov>  
**Date:** 12/8/2017 9:39:34 AM  
**Subject:** FW: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance  
**Attachments:** SAFE (2).pdf

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Good Morning, This is the most recent information I have on the Knox Box visit.

*Best Regards,*  
*Catherine McNicoll*  
*Director of Legal & Legislative Affairs*  
*Lieutenant Governor's Office*  
*CatherineMcNicoll@SCStatehouse.gov*  
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**From:** Ritchie, Carl [mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 06, 2017 12:44 PM  
**To:** Danny Varat  
**Cc:** dbroome@aging.sc.gov; Catherine McNicoll  
**Subject:** RE: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

1:30 it is. I don't anticipate either visit taking more than 30 minutes. The Lt. Governor should be able to depart in plenty of time. Also as an FYI our newly elected Mayor, Will Haynie will be joining us.

Attached is the brochure with the general information on the program. What is not stated is the Knox Box program we are providing to qualified senior residents. This secure box with a single key system is maintained by the PD and FD and used to gain entrance into a seniors home during emergency situations or on welfare checks when the resident can not come to the door. In the past PD and FD would have to make forcible entry into a seniors home during such circumstances. The system is very secure and only allows first responders emergency access.

See y'all at 1:30.

Carl Ritchie  
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**From:** Danny Varat [mailto: DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 06, 2017 10:33 AM  
**To:** Ritchie, Carl <CRitchie@tompsc.com>  
**Cc:** dbroome@aging.sc.gov; Catherine McNicoll <CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Please also send me just a few bullets on the program to refresh his memory. Thanks

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**From:** Ritchie, Carl [mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 06, 2017 8:59 AM  
**To:** Danny Varat <DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>

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Cc: [dbroome@aging.sc.gov](mailto:dbroome@aging.sc.gov); Lily Cogdill <[LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov)>; Catherine McNicoll <[CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov)>

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Danny,

My apology. I was looking back through this email thread and noticed I suggested 12:30 when 1:30 is the actual time needed to be here. We are meeting with the recipients at 2 and 3 so 12:30 would have been a bit too early. I hope this doesn't cause any scheduling problems. Please let me know and if needed I can reach back out the recipients and adjust their times.

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From: Danny Varat [<mailto: DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>]  
Sent: Tuesday, December 05, 2017 7:37 AM  
To: Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto: CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
Subject: RE: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Sounds good. Thanks

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From: Ritchie, Carl [<mailto: CRitchie@tompsc.com>]  
Sent: Monday, December 04, 2017 6:42 PM  
To: Danny Varat <[DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov](mailto: DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov)>  
Cc: Catherine McNicoll <[CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov](mailto: CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov)>; Broome, Darryl <[dbroome@aging.sc.gov](mailto: dbroome@aging.sc.gov)>  
Subject: Re: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

I think 1230 would be fine.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2017, at 5:07 PM, Danny Varat <[DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov](mailto: DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov)> wrote:

Thanks. What time do we need to be at your office?

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From: Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto: CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
Sent: Monday, December 4, 2017 4:55 PM  
To: Danny Varat  
Cc: Catherine McNicoll; Broome, Darryl  
Subject: Re: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Great. Yes, come by the office first. See you then.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 4, 2017, at 4:32 PM, Danny Varat <[DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov](mailto: DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov)> wrote:

Those times work well. Thanks! Shall he come to your office first?

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From: Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto: CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
Sent: Monday, December 4, 2017 2:43 PM

To: Danny Varat  
Cc: Catherine McNicoll; Lily Cogdill  
Subject: RE: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

We have confirmed two recipients willing to do a photo op. The first is at 2 p.m. and the other is 3 p.m. on the 12<sup>th</sup>.

I hope these times work for ya'll.

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**From:** Danny Varat [<mailto:DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 30, 2017 9:31 PM  
**To:** Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
**Cc:** Catherine McNicoll <[CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov)>; Lily Cogdill <[LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Thank you.

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**From:** Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 30, 2017 12:13 PM  
**To:** Danny Varat  
**Cc:** Catherine McNicoll; Lily Cogdill  
**Subject:** RE: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

It looks like the 12<sup>th</sup> will work best for us. We are confirming the recipients and will advise soon.

Thanks,

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**From:** Danny Varat [<mailto:DannyVarat@scstatehouse.gov>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 29, 2017 9:48 PM  
**To:** Ritchie, Carl <[CRitchie@tompsc.com](mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com)>  
**Cc:** Catherine McNicoll <[CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:CatherineMcNicoll@scstatehouse.gov)>; Lily Cogdill <[LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov](mailto:LilyCogdill@scstatehouse.gov)>  
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Chief Ritchie, LG Bryant would like to participate, and I wonder if December 6th before Noon or December 12th between 1:30 and 3:30 would work for you. Please let me know if neither is convenient, and we'll find other options. We appreciate your help.

Danny

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**From:** Cogdill, Lily <[lcogdill@aging.sc.gov](mailto:lcogdill@aging.sc.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 29, 2017 4:09 PM  
**To:** Danny Varat  
**Cc:** Broome, Darryl; Catherine McNicoll  
**Subject:** FW: SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Please advise. Also, please keep us in the loop as to what day you guys decide on so that I can put it on Darryl's calendar.

Thank you,  
'Lily

Lily Cogdill

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**From:** Ritchie, Carl [<mailto:CRitchie@tompsc.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 29, 2017 2:35 PM  
**To:** Cogdill, Lily <[lcogdill@aging.sc.gov](mailto:lcogdill@aging.sc.gov)>  
**Subject:** SAFE Program and Knox Box Issuance

Is it possible to provide me with a few dates that representatives from the Office on Aging would be available to go the homes of a select few recipients of the knox boxes?

I was hoping to provide you dates but we are very flexible and can easily work with ya'lls schedule if you have some dates in mind.

Thanks,

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