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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]>
Date: 7/9/2015 6:41:23 AM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Taking down a piece of history

Title:
First Name: Albert
Middle Initial:E
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: SAn Antonio
State: tx
Zip: 78207
Phone: 210-[REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@aol.com

Affiliation: Veteran

Message:

Governor I think that you should immediately resign from your role as Governor it is appalling that you would give into racism and be afraid to stand up for The men who served during the confederate time to make this country a free nation. as a veteran I think that you should resign and also resign as a member of the Republican party. the way you have handle this situation with a proud piece of American history is disgusting and shows that you have no respect for this country and should not be able to hold any office until you get a grip on what the flag means to this country. the confederate flag has nothing to do with Racism as you say and think it does. The flag represents our soldiers who died to defend this nation but you do not care about veterans who have died in the confederacy to again make this a free country that we have today so please do us all a favor and resign as governor. Since you do not care for the American way and what that flag stands for and quit being a racist about it the best thing again for you to do is resign and let the citizens of SC elect a governor who will not destroy or try to destroy the history of the south and this great nation as you have done by taking down the confederate flag

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 9:55:24 AM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: The Flag

Title: Mr
First Name: Alan
Middle Initial: J
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: Tucker
State: Ga
Zip: 30084
Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com

Affiliation: Senior Citizen

Message:

I was born and raised in South Carolina, even though I no longer live in the State I have always claimed my birth state with great pride, I now find myself ashamed of every politician that makes up the governing body including you as governor because you have just shown the rest of the country that you could care less about the history of the state and those that fought for states rights just don't matter.

The young man that shot and killed all of those Christians in Charleston did not at anytime represent pride in our Southern Heritage, he was a runagade under three flags two of which no politicians in the state have recognized, why didn't the forces that attacked the Confederate Flag not recognize those flags from the African continent, why have those forces failed to recognize the fact that the blacks in South Carolina, many of whom are descendants of slaves, were sold into slavery by their own, this is never talked about and so blame is never pinned on them.

You and your fellow politicians that voted to remove my proud heritage have created a real problem by doing so, you have alienated true South Carolinians and driven a further wedge between the black and white races, congratulations on your stupid and submissive behavior.

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Date: 7/9/2015 12:16:04 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: confederate flag and racism

Title: mrs

First Name: annie

Middle Initial:

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: silver grove

State: ky

Zip: 41085

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@aol.com

Affiliation: Other

Message:

Governor Haley you are a disgrace. You are a racist and your ignorance is disgusting. How dare you blame a material object for being racist. You are racist since you are the one that sees and thinks hateful things when you see a material object. Your actions and behavior increase the racism in our country.

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From: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 3:07:31 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: SAVE HERITAGE OUR HISTORY

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KEEP IT FLYING !!HERITAGE NOT HATE // THIS IS NOT RIGHT TO TAKE IT DOWN /IT HAD
 NOTHING TO DO WITH THE KKK/ THERE WRONG TO USE THIS FLAG/ THEY STOLE IT/ THEY
 NEED TO GET THERE OWN FLAG/THEY NEED TO GO AWAY/ALL SHARPTON TO/UNDER STAND,
 LEARN THE TRUTH/NOT WHAT YANKEE HAS TOLD/ STOP PUTTING HARD WORKING PEOPLE
 & THE SOUTH/ THE SOUTHERNER'S & BLACK PEOPLE BUILT THE SOUTH, FED THE
 NORTH/ FROM WHAT YANKEE ASHES THE YANKEE LEFT, A BETTER NATION WAS BUILT/ STOP
 CENSORSHIP /GIVE THE FLAG AREPREVE /WHERE WOULD THE SO CALLED SLAVE'S BE IF THEY
 WERN'T HERE???THERE OWN BROUGHT & SOLD THEM/ MORE WERE KILLED IN NEW YORK
 &CHICAGO/ MOST TOOK CARE OF THEM DOWN HERE/ THEY SHOULD BE THANK FULL FOR
 BEING HERE/ EVERY ONE HAS HAD A BAD, ROUGH PAST/ WE WERE ALL SLAVED AT ONE TIME
 TO/ EGYPT AND OTHER COUNTRY'S STRIPT AWAY THERE HERITAGE FROM HISTORY/ AZTEC'S
 TO/ NOW WE NO VERY LITTLE OF THERE PAST/ SAVE OUR'S //REMEMBER OR REPEAT/WE
 LEARN FROM GOOD & BAD TIME'S/SAVE DON'T DESTROY/TAKEN IT DOWN WILL NOT
 SOLVE ANY THING OR CHANGE/STOP THE MAD NESS/FOCUS ON REAL PROBLEM'S/NAACP ARE
 RACEIST/KKK ARE RACEIST/BLACKS FOUGHT FOR BOTH SIDES/SOME TOOK CARE OF HOMES,
 CROP'S/SHERMAN HAD SLAVE'S/ OTHER NORTHERNER'S DID TO, FACTORY WORKER'S
 BUTTLER'S, MAID'S/ MOST SLAVE'S STAYED HERE,FREED OR NOT.LAW'S WERE MADE/OWNER'S
 HAD TO PROVE, GIVE SHELTER,CLOTHING, FOOD & MEDICAL/READ THE LAW'S AT THE
 TIME/ LOOK AT THE AUCTION'S/GUIDE LINES/MY BLACK FRIEND'S HAVE CONFEDERATE
 ITEM'S/WISH I HAD SOME OF THE COLLECTION'S /LIKE THERE'S/PLEASE DON'T LET A FEW
 DESTROY AND MAKE IT WORSE/ BLAME THE MISGUIDED FOOL'S/STOP THE

RIOTING/BURNING/ENFORCE THE LAW'S ON THOSE THAT DESTROY/MAKE THING'S FARE
EQUAL/LIKE IT SHOULD B/WHERE IS OUR HISTORY MONTH ??SAVE THE HISTORY !!GOD
BLESS !!we are praying for you & other's / thank you disabled navy vet.. AMERICAN
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 Date: 7/9/2015 3:07:31 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: The KKK protest planned for July 18

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 <SUBJECT>The KKK protest planned for July 18</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

Hello Governor Haley,

I understand that the hate group the KKK has scheduled a protest in response to your stand against the confederate flag and I would like to say that it is very disappointing but I understand that they have a right to assemble just like anyone else in America. My question to you is... Do you think it would be productive to try and take the attention off the Klan by organizing peaceful protests and marches across the country in protest of hate groups like them at the same time they are in Columbia? I really want to organize something that will lessen the media attention on this hateful group. My ministry members are willing to participate as well. I just wanted to reassure you that u have plenty of support and to ask for your opinion on some possible counter measures that can be taken to peacefully show the KKK that they are truly the unwanted majority in America. Thank you for your time!

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Date: 7/9/2015 5:10:33 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Religious freedom and protection

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Dear Governor Haley,

After the recent decision from the Supreme Court on gay marriage, the Texas Governor has begun taking steps to protect Christians and religious organizations from this decision. I'd like to know what steps if any have you begun taking to do the same for us here in SC? Things have seemed to already gotten out of hand just with the whole confederate flag issue. I'm very concerned not only about our religious rights but with our rights as Americans in general.

Thank you,

Sandy [REDACTED]

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 Date: 7/9/2015 6:10:31 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: KKK is a documented terrorist group and should be defined as such under the patriots act

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 <SUBJECT>KKK is a documented terrorist group and should be defined as such under the patriots act</SUBJECT>
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Dear Governor Haley,

How can a known "terrorist" group such as the KKK be allowed to march (with masks) on the capitol or anywhere else. There are documented cases of killings sanctioned by their organization. Perhaps some lives matter more than others...

Would you allow Isis to march on the capitol. Would you allow the Nazi party to march on the capitol? Why are you allowing the KKK to march on the capitol wth confederate flags. They are calling the Roof killer a "warrior"???? This is utterly insane and unacceptable. Enough is is enough. Please stop allowing this type of hate in the disguise of heritage. Do the Germans allow Nazis to parade around the country with flags and spewing their hate. No, they do not--then why do we allow this year after year. Especially against people who helped build (as slaves) the very foundation of the country and fought in wars to protect a country that refused to give them equal liberties. Haven't you punished them enough??? The fact that no real apology or acknowledgement (economic or otherwise--including 40 acres) has ever "Really" been extended is disrespectful enough. If the KKK and other groups aren't happy about losing the war in support of slavery then they should have left the state and country period--anyone else would. The continual tolerance of this disgusting behavior generation after generation-- flags and beyond shows a deeper implication of complicity by the so called leadership including you governor Haley and all others across the country. This is un American!!!

Regards,

Former S. Carolinian
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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/8/2015 6:31:26 PM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Leave My Heritage Along, Please

Title: Commander

First Name: Jesse

Middle Initial: J

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: Hampton

State: Va

Zip: 23669-3523

Phone: &57-[REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Senior Citizen

Message:

Governor Haley - I have only visited your fair state once, during the somber and solemn ceremony for the funeral procession and interment of the remains of the last crewmen of the C.S.S. Hunley, in April of the year 2004 . I was overwhelmed by the gentility and hospitality shown to me and my compatriots from the Magruder-Ewell Camp #99 of The Sons Of Confederate Veterans, from Newport News, Virginia, by the People of Charleston, South Carolina. Relying on the memories of that gentility shown to strangers, and in full sympathy and outrage at the heinous act of a madman, I ask you not to allow this terrorist act of the murders of the members of the Ebenezer Church be used to justify the removal of the Confederate Battle Flag which flies over the Monument to the Confederate Soldiers from the State of South Carolina ! Please honour the agreement made in the South Carolina State Legislature in the year 2000, to continue to fly the Confederate Battle Flag adjacent to the Confederate Soldier's Monument ! Thank you for taking your time to read this letter.

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From: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Date: 7/8/2015 3:12:42 AM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Flag Removal - St. Sumter / Gettysburg

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Ms. Haley, I am a democrat for the most part. President Obama has my full support. I lost my home and career during the recession. I cast my vote based on what I feel is right. I have no issue with color and sexual preference. I do have issue with right to bear arms. I have no problem with the flag being removed from the capitol. I have been informed that it is now going to be removed from Fort Sumter. You have never had my vote but I have been so proud of you as a woman with the strides you have taken to bring women to the front in SC. I spent a lot of the last 10 years researching my families history with my Dad. (He passed away 2 years ago) we discovered two grandfathers on both sides of the family that served in the confederacy. I do not know all the answers. I have friends from all walks of life. I do think it is wrong to deny us our history. My grandfathers I feel certain went off to war to protect our states rights. At that time in history we were not cowards when we were called to bear arms. (Gun Control is a must) How much more is our state expected to give up . With this action you put our confederate dead in the same category as Nazi Germany and we both know that is not true. When will we be allowed to put to rest the past ? This young man acted independently and for most accounts without his families support. (preach gun control ! I guess in closing if you must make the decision to remove the flag from Fort Sumter than by all means make sure it is removed from Gettysburg. respectively yours.

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To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Flag

<APP>CUSTOM
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Hope you are proud of your political decision to ban the Confederate flag. I am originally from NY and have never had an issue with the flag. It's southern heritage and have never associated it with race. You made a quick stupid decision that has made you look weak and for one I am no longer a supporter of you or anything you do or stand for. What have you started.

Jim [REDACTED]
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To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: 10 more people signed "South Carolina State House, South Carolina State Senate, South Carolina Governor: The immediate Resignation of all South Carolina Elected Officials Listed below For Their Part in Southern Heritage, History and the Culture Purging"

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New signatures

Nikki Haley – This petition addressed to you on Change.org has new activity. See progress and respond to the campaign's supporters.

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Dana [REDACTED]
Fayetteville, NC · Jul 07, 2015

I believe in history... Its not racial. Get over it..

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Colton [REDACTED]
Iva, SC · Jul 07, 2015

This is my heritage.

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dan [REDACTED]
simpsonville, SC · Jul 07, 2015

They are taking away my rights as a southern American

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Kenny [REDACTED]
Florence, SC · Jul 07, 2015

I'm signing because we the people have the RIGHT to have a say in rather the Flag should of been taken down or stay raise as it should be.I'm not racists but I am a proud SOUTHERNER!

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Frank [REDACTED]
Indiana, PA · Jul 07, 2015

The removal of the flag is wrong. Historical preservation is mandatory in this case.

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Date: 7/8/2015 1:36:11 PM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Confederate Flag

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<ISSUE>JUDI</ISSUE>

<SUBJECT>Confederate Flag</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

Quit playing politics with the confederate flag. It doesn't bother you or you would of had it removed years ago. The acts of one individual does not require any actions. The removal of the flag will not serve any purpose or change the existing turmoil between blacks and whites.

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I am a transplanted Northerner. I was born in Cincinnati, worked for Westinghouse in Pittsburgh, and transferred to its Columbia plant in 1986. I am a Southerner by choice and I respect the Confederate flag.

Removing the flag is an insult to this country; not just to the South or South Carolina. Most of the great founding fathers were Southerners. The American Aristocracy lived in the South (add envy to the causes of the Civil War). But after the war (as in the French Civil War) these great thinkers and leaders were all killed and the respective countries slowly disappeared from History. Slower in our case because we were younger, but the decay of our society is still painfully evident.

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Removal of heritage

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What happened last week was a tragedy. It is still no reason to abandon your people of SC and there heritage.

Best regards,

Perry m [REDACTED]
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 Date: 7/5/2015 8:02:41 AM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Courageous move to remove the Confederate flag

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I applaud Governor Haley's courage to show appropriate leadership regarding the removal of the Confederate flag. This not only is the right thing to do for our state. The stance will have a positive ripple effect across the nation and the world. Thank you!!

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Nikki
 Since you have participated with our other wonderful politicians and thrown people like me, a South Carolinian with a southern heritage that I am proud to call my own, I have to say that surely you are a bright young lady and should be able to see that this is a political ploy to divide the races in the South. Let's see, you have the Capitol cops, the lazy USC cops. SCHP. Columbia cops, and probably some of Leon's boys around the Capitol. An out-of-state woman can climb the flagpole, someone can deface the monument, some anti-flag demonstrator grabs a man's flag as he is riding by, and when he gets out of his car to claim his property, he is sucker punched. And, guess what, the damn cops arrested the wrong person. Now, isn't that wonderful.
 Thanks, you have shown several times which side you are on.
 Charles [REDACTED]

Also, your website for sending you comments still sucks.
 </MSG>

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Confederate flag

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Now don't go getting all presumptive. This is not another observer who wants to talk about racial issues, (although that is important).

During the Civil War my great-grandfather was a member of the famous Minnesota First Regiment. He was severely wounded at Bull Run and Antietam. He was given a medical discharge and sent home. When he enlisted it was not to free the slaves; it was to preserve his country. Subsequent generations had it taught to them that the Confederate Flag was a symbol of treason.

Now everyone who can read knows what a patriotic state South Carolina is. A smart politician could re-frame the issue along those lines...That flag is a symbol of treason. It should be exhibited in your state history museum. I don't see a better way for SC to go without engendering howl from both sides.

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Subject: flag

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you don't know a damn thing about southern people. many of us had relatives that died in the war. where should a flag be other than at the monument. how about the shit on the east side of the stae house? you going to move that. keep making the blacks happy.

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Date: 7/8/2015 6:56:11 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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Subject: Black relations

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<ISSUE>ETHI</ISSUE>
<SUBJECT>Black relations</SUBJECT>
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I have contacted you many times because I think you have a responsibility greater than most because your State is a racist haven. I have asked you to take down the confederate flag many times, support gun control, go against those crazy NRA men, support women. I was worried about violence. I am a white, 67 year old women, married to the same guy for 47 years, one son. Worked all my life. I expect women to step up. I expect you to step up. Black churches are burning in your racist State. KKK members are raising their ugly heads. Now is the time to make a difference. I understand it is difficult. You live in a place of hate. I was worried about our beautiful Obama even visiting your State for fear of his life. What kind of world do you govern that a citizen would worry about their President visiting your State for fear of his life. America can not be the country that it should be with South Carolina being so worried about keeping their racist flag. Stand up and fight this for all of America.

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Subject: USA

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My wife and I had been planning to visit your city of Charleston this fall. With the recent events in your State and I do me refusing to remove the confederate flag from your State Capital we have changed our plans. We would like to visit your State someday but not until the flag is taken down for good, South Carolina belongs in the USA and that should be the only flag you fly.

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 Subject: Government Affair, "Other" not in list to select

<APP>CUSTOM
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I am not from South Carolina, but have of course been following the Confederate flag issue. I only wanted to express to the Governor, her staff and the residents of South Carolina that I applaud how all of you are handling this situation.

I want to express the following: The KKK is supposedly coming to your town. When I heard this I began to ask myself, those people who say that the Confederate flag is about heritage and not hatred, why don't they protest or speak out to the KKK since THEY ARE the ones that have been using the flag to promote hatred since their "organization" began? KKK, skinheads, and other hate groups is why everyone believes the Confederate flag promotes hate. Why not debate the issue, get the hate groups to stop using their Heritage as a hate icon, and teach them (the hate group) exactly what it means to be a descendant of a white Confederate soldier and a black Confederate soldier? Granted, I'm not a fan of any war for any reason. I am a fan of facts, proof, and education as to what things are and/or have been.

I do agree that for whatever reason one believes in what the Confederate flag represents to them (everything is based on interpretation), I think putting it in the museum with a voice recorded true history of it would help begin in teaching all people how it came into being. I'm sure the history professors at USC could orchestrate the correct history of the Confederate flag. Obviously somewhere in any and all school systems throughout U.S. and elsewhere, there was a failure in teaching the history of this flag.

I am a 51 year-old black female who believes in God and loves people of all races and backgrounds. I only wish we all could love as God loves no matter the color, creed, or background of a person.

Thank you for reading.

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Date: 7/8/2015 6:31:26 PM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Leave My Heritage Along, Please

Title: Commander

First Name: Jesse

Middle Initial: J

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: Hampton

State: Va

Zip: 23669-3523

Phone: &57-[REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Senior Citizen

Message:

Governor Haley - I have only visited your fair state once, during the somber and solemn ceremony for the funeral procession and interment of the remains of the last crewmen of the C.S.S. Hunley, in April of the year 2004 . I was overwhelmed by the gentility and hospitality shown to me and my compatriots from the Magruder-Ewell Camp #99 of The Sons Of Confederate Veterans, from Newport News, Virginia, by the People of Charleston, South Carolina. Relying on the memories of that gentility shown to strangers, and in full sympathy and outrage at the heinous act of a madman, I ask you not to allow this terrorist act of the murders of the members of the Ebenezer Church be used to justify the removal of the Confederate Battle Flag which flies over the Monument to the Confederate Soldiers from the State of South Carolina ! Please honour the agreement made in the South Carolina State Legislature in the year 2000, to continue to fly the Confederate Battle Flag adjacent to the Confederate Soldier's Monument ! Thank you for taking your time to read this letter.

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Subject: flag

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Please remove the flag from the State House...permanently. It might be framed in glass and placed in a museum. If you really wanted to do something positive for the country, this is the time also to make a statement about gun control. The only persons who need guns are the military and our police. Thank you.

</MSG>

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Subject: Confederate battle flag

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You just slapped the face of all southerns. Have you forgotten about the 620,000 men who died for that flag? I will never again vote for a republican. You caved in to the extreme left wing liberals. Thank you.

</MSG>

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 Subject: Removal of heritage

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Best regards,

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To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: Flag

Title: Mr.

First Name: Gene

Middle Initial: R

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: Cibolo

State: Tx

Zip: 78108

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@att.net

Affiliation: Veteran

Message:

Governor

I know you are basking in the lime light of your life time accomplishment. As you know I cannot vote for or against you. But being a born and raised southerner I am not pleased with your signing the bill to remove the flag. Once again the minority rules. Dylann Roof was seen in a photo wearing a Gold's Gym shirt, when are you going to push to remove Gold's Gyms from South Carolina? Gold's Gym had as much to do with the shootings as the Confederate Flag.

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 Subject: Confederate Flag

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Due to the revision of history and the lack of proper education in public schools; individuals, statues and flags are being unjustly singled out.

Slavery started in America in 1619 in Jamestown Virginia and existed and thrived for over 150 years until the US established a flag in 1777.

Boston, Newport, Salem, Providence, Middletown and New London were slave ports. Have you noticed the commonality? They were all northern ports.

After the US flag was established, and for another 84 years, slavery thrived under the US Flag in northern ports and northern states. So as you can see, the US Flag is the "Real" slave flag and flag of oppression.

Stanley K. Lott, a Black American from the south, has a book "The American Flag Is the Real Slave Flag". It is printed by RoseDog Books. He presents the real facts about why the US Flag is the "Real" slave flag. He even concludes that the Civil War was not a war to abolish slavery, but a conflict over high taxes and states' rights.

Even after Abraham Lincoln signed the Emancipation Proclamation, slavery continued in the states that remained loyal to the Union. The Emancipation Proclamation only freed slaves in states that seceded from the Union. What a perpetuated lie the Emancipation Proclamation!

Even so, the Confederate Flag was never an official flag. As for the use by the KKK, you can Google images of

the KKK and you will find those images contain the US Flag more often than the Confederate Flag. The KKK images also contain crosses, are you going to demand that crosses be removed from churches?

My progenitor came to the US as an Indentured Servant, a polite way to say he was a slave. He and his son fought in the Revolutionary War. I have ancestors who fought in the Civil War that didn't own slaves. They like most southerners they were just poor dirt farmers. Did you ever wonder why farmers in the south had large families, to help with chores.

Just because an individual decided to go into a church and commitment mass murder doesn't mean you categorize others as radicals. If he would have gotten into a Dodge dually and ran those same individuals down on Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, would there be talk of getting rid of Dodge trucks and renaming Martin Luther King Drive Jr.? If someone drew a picture of a noose on a piece of paper, would there be a call to get rid of all paper or all rope?

Changing a state flag or removing the confederate flag will only create more racial divide. Mississippians voted for our state flag and Mississippians voiced their opinion by their votes.

As for statues of individuals in or on government facilities, if you get rid of one, get rid of them all. No more statues of people. Everyone has something in their past that would prevent them some type of honor.

Abraham Lincoln was a racist if you read everything he said about blacks that history books intentionally left out. In Lincoln's debate with Douglas on September 18, 1858 he stated "I will say then that I am not, nor ever have been in favor of bringing about in anyway the social and political equality of the white and black races - that I am not nor ever have been in favor of making voters or jurors of negroes, nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor to intermarry with white people."

When South Carolina seceded from the Union, the first state to secede, there was no Confederate Flag! In fact when the rest of the states seceded there was no Confederate Flag.

Figures show that about 28 percent of free blacks owned slaves, as opposed to less than 4.8 percent of southern whites owned slaves. Even if 15-20 percent of whites owned slaves, why did the other 80-85 percent go to war? It sure wasn't for a flag that didn't exist at the time the Civil War started! It sure wasn't about slaves they didn't own!

The Confederate Flag had nothing to do with the war or slavery. It has become a scapegoat. It wasn't until December 6 1865, that slavery was officially abolished. So slavery existed under the US Flag for another seven months after the Civil War.

So which flag is the real slave flag or flag of oppression?

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Dear Gov. Don [REDACTED] here in Florida. I would have written but the time was at hand so I am E Mailing you. I am a totally disabled Vietnam Veteran. My Aunt and Uncle lived in South Carolina for many years, until their deaths. My Aunt worked for Gov. Riley, my Uncle worked as an Architect for the State until his retirement. They lived in Columbia. I am aware of this now major controversy about the Confederate flag. Yes, it does rival people up, as does the American Flag in your state. The most recent being that a young man in your state allegedly killed 8 people in a church. Suddenly once its found out that he posed with the Confederate Flag, its suddenly "Not Right" to fly this flag of "Evil" anywhere in your state. It has been as much a part of South Carolina history as now the Stars and Stripes. I believe you do not recognize Abraham Lincoln, but yet you folks honor Andrew Jackson. My question are this: 1. Would You Folks Have Felt The Same Way if the young man had been waving the American Flag? 2. If it had been an American Flag, would you have ordered it removed? And in closing, The SWATSTIKA has been banned from public use and hanging, but did you know that it was the AMERICAN INDIANS (I believe the Navajo) that use it as a symbol of GOOD LUCK. Whatever your decisions are, they will be controversial. BUT ! Before you folks remove the flag, remember, IT WAS NOT THE CONFEDERATE FLAG THAT KILLED THE FOLKS THERE IN THE CHURCH. It was the young man whom had hatred in his heart. Best Wishes, Don [REDACTED]

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Dear Governor Haley:

I have sent you two recent emails concerning the Confederate Flag.

Something that pertains to this issue has appeared on social media. The liberal media has made it go away. You have to go to conservative media to find it. It is on The DC Morning, The Daily Caller. It is a video of a black girl attacking a white girl who has a toddler on her lap. During the attack the toddler is thrown to the ground. I would encourage you to watch this video.

If we are all equal there should be ONE standard. Unfortunately there is a DOUBLE standard in this Country. One for blacks and one for whites. In the liberal media blacks are automatically victims and whites are descendants of former slave holders.

The incident in the video happened in Rowlett, Texas and it is on Fox 4 News. If a white girl attacked a black girl who had a toddler on her lap it would be on the front page of every newspaper in the Country. Because this was a black girl attacking a white girl with a toddler on her lap it does not fit into the Leftist agenda and the liberal media will try to make it go away.

Please do not become like Nazi Germany, where they had book burnings to eliminate anything that did not go along with the Nazi doctrine. Please do not try to eliminate the Confederate Flag which does not go along with the Leftist doctrine.

As I said before why not build a monument to those nine black people to honor their memory. I would be willing to contribute some money to that end. If you go nationwide and the Country is as Politically Correct as I think it is there should be no problem raiseing the money.

Please do not go down the slippery slope of trying to eliminate the Confederate Flag. You will be infringing on the right to freedom of speech and freedom expression. A right that everyone in the Armed Forces either fought for or died for.

I realize that you probably get 100's maybe 1000's of emails per day. I can only hope that this one gets to you. I would welcome any comments that you may have.

From a Buckeye in Ohio.

Sincerely,

Gary [REDACTED]

Findlay, Ohio 45840

419 [REDACTED]

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Let me begin by saying to either the black staffer or the black sympathizer screening this email right now that you can trash it never allowing the governor to see it just as you did the last one, but it won't change a thing! And you have my name and address if you get my point!

Governor Haley, I said before that you are just a pawn in the black race's hands but now you have gone far beyond that. You are now a purebred black sympathizer with one goal and one goal only.....to wipe out anything and everything you can that pertains to the old South and it's way of life. Now you have managed to have all the Confederate Flags removed from the Confederate Graves. What's next?....exhume all the Confederate Dead and cremate them....caskets and all!? Your actions are a major travesty! You talk about stamping out "Hate" while you and your cohorts act out of pure "HATE" yourself toward the Confederate Flag which has never harmed a single individual! That flag had no influence on Dillon Roof's motives whatsoever! It's all too obvious that the war is not over by far! You said the private citizen can fly the flag on his property if he wants, but what help and support is he going to get from the law and you when some flag hater decides to destroy "IT" or his "PROPERTY" or "HARASS" him....I can tell you what help.....none! The offender will get nothing but a slap on the wrist and then a good "atta-boy" pat on the back! The Confederate Flag is simply nothing more than a symbol of our Southern Heritage and commemorates those who gave their lives for it! Your actions are nothing more than and all-out attack on our Southern Heritage deeply rooted in "HATE" in it's purest form sanctioned by government and those with money and power! If this were the Civil War Era, I would have you executed! I am proud to be from the South and would die for it. You are a disgrace!! Looooooooong Live The Confederacy!!!!

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While I am not a resident of the state of South Carolina I am appalled at the remark made that removing the flag is being respectful and honoring the past. While what happened at the church is a tragedy I see this move to take the flag down as letting the shooter win. I do not share the same beliefs as him and respect how the members handled themselves after the tragedy. However the jump to remove a symbol is not right. I feel like not everyone is being considered. Instead of worrying about a flag and using it to educate instead of locking it away, focus on other more important issues and let the past and tradition remain. Obviously the governor can say she honors tradition but yet follows her own agenda and allows cowards like the shooter to win. I hope she realizes one day that she does not respect history and tradition. I had planned a vacation to the beach this summer and I have cancelled it. I cannot financially give my money to your state with a clear conscience.

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Date: 7/10/2015 1:10:10 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: The Flag

Congratulations governor. With the removal of the confederate battle flag you and everyone that approved its removal have just confirmed in the minds of the country that you believe that it is a symbol of racism, and it is in someway at fault for the deaths of those nine people in Charleston. The flag is not in itself evil or racist. To myself and the majority of people who have family that fought and died under that flag it is a reminder of our heritage. A reminder that our family was not willing to let the Federal government push them around like we so easily do in todays world. It is now fine to sell an ISIS flag on the Internet. It is ok to sell a Nazi flag. But it is all of a sudden not ok to sell a Confederate flag. Why is my heritage so offensive, but these two groups that I just mentioned (who were and are trying to commit genocide) are not? Wether you intended it or not there has been a chain reaction surrounding the flag. When I was younger, the battle flag was a thing of pride. We were proud to be different and a native of the state that was the first to put its foot down against the Federal government. Now the rest of the country has gone crazy trying to eliminate southern culture, and they're following your lead. I am extremely proud of my country and my state for all that we have done in our short history. But I am ashamed of my government right now. If you are a white, Christian, gun carrying, heterosexual from the south the whole country is against you right now. And you're helping them out. Please stop this blitzkrieg on our rights and our heritage.

Chas

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Greetings from the other coast and Washington State, the Great Inland Northwest, USA. Just wanted to take moment and pass on my thoughts on your decision to remove the Confederate Flag from the statehouse flagpole. I truly believe you have made the right decision for South Carolina and the Nation! This has been contentious issue for many years. The action is now a very good, 1st step to improve civic relationships. I too follow history and know the importance of heritage. Placing the flag in the Confederate Relics Museum is appropriate. Matter of fact, I've been there at the Statehouse and in the Museum close by. I saw the small artillery piece that was buried when General Sherman was in the area, and then recovered and preserved. Taking the removal step will lead to other continued improvements and will affect other states in considering the same actions. As a fighting force during those years, the Confederate Army has much to be proud of and the heritage will continue. This nation has so many more important issues to work on and you've helped to start the resolution on this topic. Thanks again for your leadership for this historic day in SC. Note: I was also assigned to MCRD Parris Island, visited Fort Sumter and my relatives in Summerville, up the road from "The Battery".

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Gov Haley, you have just participated in the Left's ongoing efforts to rewrite our history. The Confederate Flag was, and still is, a symbol of an important part of our history. You signature on that bill removing the flag from Govt property will aid the left, not only in erasing a symbol they say they hate, but they will use your action to continue to erase other symbols that are important markers of the history of this once great nation. This nation's textbooks are being rewritten now. Presenting all the past predominate people that shaped this nation. Unless you are a Progressive in disguise, I deplore you to try to reverse the course of destroying the history.

I am not a resident of your state so feel no obligation to even read this email.

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WHAT KIND OF PEOPLE?

What Kind of people are these? They protect and cherish their own heritage while obliterating that of another. Honored emblems of valor no longer have their place in the wind. Monuments that have stood for more than a century are in peril and now they've gone to digging up dead bodies and moving them around. Are these the people, owners of the same voices that have long called so loudly for civil rights, equality and tolerance? Indeed, they are the same liberal vermin that have slithered from beneath rocks of socialism for years.

Apparently the watchmen who have kept these vile designs at bay for generations have been replaced by legions of complacent Southerners who are not worthy of that title, nor a precious heritage - who will go along with most anything.

That may be - for now. If there is a certainly in this world, things change and they change back again. You will never eradicate the birthright from my heart without removing the heart itself. Rejoice while you can you smug vandals of America and the equally misguided world. The same "noble" creatures who now seek to deny an entire people the rights they, themselves, so champion will not stop with removing the Cross of St. Andrew from public view. They seek to "cleanse" your museums and historical sites. Mark my words, these same people will one day be back to banish your pastors, burn your Bibles close your churches, and yes - dare we say it - haul down "Old Glory." Will you then think it is no big deal and just a Southern thing?

- John W [REDACTED]
 Macon, GA

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you are acting just like a dumbocrat governing by crisis the flag isn't racist any more than guns kill people people kill people if the republicans would quit pushing obamas adgenda and govern the way they are supposed to this wouldn't be an issue but it seems like more polititicans want to do what opinion polls are saying whatever political agenda is pushing . If you don't watch out you will look just like john Boehner a big squish and climbing up obamas backside to please him thank you for your time
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Please reconsider your stand on the confederate flag it is our heritage. Alot of young men died horribly in honor of this flag. Thank you for your time, Lola [REDACTED]
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<SUBJECT>Confederate Battle Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

I am a former resident of South Carolina. I have ancestors who served in the SC 14th Company A, regiments in NC, and Florida. Confederate memorials and monuments deserved to be honorably marked. Please consider marking our history with the First National Flag of the Confederacy, and not the U.S. Flag. These soldiers deserved to be honorably remembered. We cannot let hate filled idiots take away our heritage. I have a Confederate Battle Flag. My flag was produced to mark the 100th anniversary of the war. It is a family heirloom.
</MSG>

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From: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Date: 7/10/2015 6:15:45 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Removal of the Confederate Flag

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<FIRST>Ron</FIRST>
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<SUBJECT>Removal of the Confederate Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

As a conservative watching from afar, I find it strange that 4 weeks ago the Confederate flag was acceptable but now it is not. Most people who want it removed say it is because it is a symbol of slavery.

Here is my question. Will you now ban all tours of Ante Bellum homes (maybe even have them torn down using eminent domain) in South Carolina and ask other governors to do so. After all, nothing says slavery more than a Planation Home with the outbuildings that housed the slaves. If you are going to do something, why are you only doing it half way?

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Date: 7/10/2015 6:15:49 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Confederate Flag

<APP>CUSTOM
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<ISSUE>GOVE</ISSUE>
<SUBJECT>Confederate Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

I just bought 6-Confederate flags because of you.
</MSG>

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Date: 7/10/2015 7:15:32 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: The Flag

<APP>CUSTOM
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<FIRST>Jason</FIRST>
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<MSG>

I just wanted to let you know that me and my family and along with other multiple families have taken South Carolina off the vacation list for places to visit. We feel that after your decision to remove a part of history was made, we feel that that was a bad judgment call. hope all is well best of luck to South Carolina.

</MSG>

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 Cc:
 Subject: Won't be coming to South Carolina

<APP>CUSTOM
 <PREFIX>Mr.</PREFIX>
 <FIRST>Jeffrey</FIRST>
 <MIDDLE>A</MIDDLE>
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 <STATE>TX</STATE>
 <ZIP>77535</ZIP>
 <EMAIL>[REDACTED]@aol.com</EMAIL>
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 <ISSUE>GOVE</ISSUE>
 <SUBJECT>Won't be coming to South Carolina</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

In your mailing list is says the honorable governor. I disagree. Your unfortunate ignorance of the Confederate States has made my mind up for me and I and my family will not be spending our hard earned tax dollars in your state. Your decision to stomp on the rights of my ancestors shows your disregard for the people of the South. Instead of me and my family taking our vacation in your state we will go somewhere that the government does not slap us in the face. You want to talk about racism I say you and your government are the biggest racist I've seen, study the facts and not the myths about the Confederacy and you will see what a stupid mistake you have made. Hope South Carolina can survive the reprocusions. Staying away.
 </MSG>

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>

Date: 7/9/2015 7:45:50 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: flag

Title: mr.

First Name: jesse

Middle Initial:E

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: Rushville

State: In

Zip: 46173

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Veteran

Message:

It is sad to see a flag lowered forever .One that has flown for hundreds of years. From the actions of one idiot.What is next.Do we change the last two lines of our NATIONAL ANTHEM ? To the land of the illegal aliens and the home of the cowards to scared to do anything about it.Lets not forget the lives lost to proudly fly BOTH flags. Thank you for taking time to read this.

Sincerely,

Jesse E. [REDACTED]

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Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:30 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: That darn flag

<APP>CUSTOM
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<FIRST>Sharon</FIRST>
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<SUBJECT>That darn flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

thank you very much for taking down the confederate flag. As a nice white lady from Michignsn, I have ALWAYS associated that flag with slavery and discrimination. As such, I have never ever considered spending time in the southern states that have that flag as part of their identity.

As an American I am extremely grateful to you and the legislators that were willing to make this change. Thank you.

Sharon [REDACTED]
</MSG>

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Cc:

Subject: Flag

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<FIRST>Larry</FIRST>

<MIDDLE>B.</MIDDLE>

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<STATE>TX</STATE>

<ZIP>75672</ZIP>

<EMAIL>[REDACTED]@[REDACTED].com</EMAIL>

<PHONE_H>903-[REDACTED]</PHONE_H>

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<ISSUE>GOVE</ISSUE>

<SUBJECT>Flag</SUBJECT>

<MSG>

Governor, You did Wrong taking the Flag down. Everyday something else is taken away from America. People will not forget, what you did.

</MSG>

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Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:31 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Flag- Raising money for the state.

<APP>CUSTOM
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<SUBJECT>Flag- Raising money for the state.</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

Thank you Governor, for removing the flag. Please take advantage of the moment to extract television revenues from the event. Build a program around the retirement ceremony, and raise funds for your state.

Thank you again.

</MSG>

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Cc:

Subject: Flag

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<SUBJECT>Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

Thank you for having the courage to remove the confederate flag! Please thank you staff!
From the State of Minnesota!! Yay! You all did the right thing.

</MSG>

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Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:32 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: The battle Flag

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<ISSUE>ETHI</ISSUE>
<SUBJECT>The battle Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

Shame on you

You sacrificed the American heritage of your SOUTHERN state for your 15 minutes of fame

Disgraceful

Claudette [REDACTED]

</MSG>

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 Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:33 AM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Flags Flying at Capitol

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 <FIRST>Rick</FIRST>
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I was just curious since you have now removed the Confederate flag from the capitol, I find myself wondering about other flags that might be flown. Recently a US embassy flew the Gay Pride flag which for many symbolizes sin. Is it safe to assume that this flag will not be flown on capitol grounds or other SC government due to emotions that this flag causes for many? Thanks...Peace, Rick
 </MSG>

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Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:33 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Flag issue

<APP>CUSTOM
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<ISSUE>GUNS</ISSUE>
<SUBJECT>Flag issue</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

I want to talk about the Confederate Flag issue. Okay, you all got what you wanted. Flags dont kill people; people kill people. I'm sick and tired of politicians pandering and creating issues where issues dont exist. STOP ALL CONGRATULATING YOURSELVES! You did nothing as usual. I dont care a whit for your Confederate Flag, never did. I'm from New Jersey but have traveled a lot in the South. Personally I always thought you southerners a bit annoying concerning the confederate flag and the civil war. A lot of northern men, esp from Pa and W Va were killed in the Civil War and the Civil War was not fought solely for slavery. I am a avid lifelong student of the Civil War. Most people in this US get along just fine. Between you pandering pols, the President Barry O and the press, you have this US tied in knots. Thank you
</MSG>

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Date: 7/10/2015 9:15:35 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: CSA Battle Flag

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<FIRST>Tom</FIRST>
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<ISSUE>GOVE</ISSUE>
<SUBJECT>CSA Battle Flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

Governor I can accept the removal of the CSA flag from Gov. property but only if it will be accompanied by the removal of rap ; hip hop and baggy pants as these symbols " offend " me the same as the CSA flag offends you !
</MSG>

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@gmail.com>

Date: 7/10/2015 10:33:11 AM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: our wonderfull flag

Title: mr

First Name: ray

Middle Initial:

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: troy

State: al

Zip: 36079

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@gmail.com

Affiliation: Visitor to South Carolina

Message:

i am writing you today as a frequent visitor to your state who has spent thousands in S.C. to ask you and your statehouse cronies that if you are so interested in the so called power of flags then why arent you as interested in getting islamic flags from mosques and the flag of isis or the civil war flags of the north removed. It seems you and many, many others were not bothered by the confederate flag until you were told be worried about it and what it stands for. In case you did not know, it stands for states rights and not hatred towards anyone. Both my grandfathers fought in that war and I am damn proud they did. Because of you and your liberal communist cronies you are only guaranteeing it will happen again. Its what the moron muslim in chief in D.C. was counting on you doing and you have played right into his hand. congratulations! You should be ashamed of yourself and your actions. You are a disgrace to your country, state, and more important, your race. I do guarantee you one thing, you are going to have to fight much harder for your reelection as governor next election and i will be praying hard and long, as im sure many others will too ,that they kick you out of office permanently and wipe your very existance as governor from the pages of history as you did our gloious confederate flag. Oh and one more question: Did Ovomit the muslim give you a ride on air force one also like he did bonehead boehner for stabbing the american people in the back.....as you just did! Ill be flying my flag high and proud and dare you or one of your communist cronies to come and take it down, you disgracfull sellout!

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>

Date: 7/10/2015 10:31:52 AM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: flag

Title: mr

First Name: william

Middle Initial:j

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix: [REDACTED]

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: n fort myers

State: fl

Zip: 33903

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Other

Message:

while I was a citizen of s.c. once after you took down our flag I will never visit s.c. again

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Date: 7/10/2015 10:31:00 AM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Confederate Flag

Title:
First Name: Ralene
Middle Initial:
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: Fort Payne
State: AL
Zip: 35967-4095
Phone: 256-[REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@gmail.com

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

Governor Haley,

I just watched the removal of history from your state capital. As I watched it I wondered how someone whose family has such a short history as American's can in good conscience rewrite its history, is this the way history is handed down through generations from your family's homeland?

My family and I will no longer vacation in your wonderful state as long as you remain Governor. As a woman, I am saddened by your actions...to make a rednecked mentally ill man's action about race is absolutely unbelievable.

May God bless your future decisions, your children's love of REAL AMERICAN history, and the historic State of South Carolina.

Sincerely,

Raylene [REDACTED]

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Date: 7/10/2015 11:15:34 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: The flag

<APP>CUSTOM
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<FIRST>Sharon</FIRST>
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<SUBJECT>The flag</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

I am sending my thanks and deep appreciation for your courage in choosing to advocate for and then sign the bill authorizing the removal of the Confederate Flag. Of course, I am hoping that this is indeed a step toward healing and the necessary inclusiveness that needs to happen....in our entire country, actually.

I have great respect for your decision and your actions.

Sharon
</MSG>

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: July 10, 2015

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 <FIRST>joie</FIRST>
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Honorable Gov. Haley,

As a 70 year old progressive Californian, one who has a life long cautious bias for anyone displaying the confederate flag, I am so proud of your leadership, your legislature and all of South Carolina. You have 'resurrected the Invention of Wings' and hopefully will continue to be the beacon that illuminates loving kindness, human respect, compassion and American Grace.

With a smiling heart, warmest regards
 Be well, be proud, be kind

joie [REDACTED]

</MSG>

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 Cc:
 Subject: I am done with South Carolina

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 <SUBJECT>I am done with South Carolina</SUBJECT>
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I am not sure if you are going through menopause or what. I am thinking hormones have something to do with this insane decision. The only other logical conclusion is that you are racist against white Americans. As long as the Confederate Battle Flag stays down, I will no longer do business with anyone from the state of South Carolina. I will by no means enter the state of South Carolina. If I have to get to a destination that requires travel through South Carolina I will plan my trip to go totally around the state of South Carolina as to not spend any money in that racist state. Why isn't the Gold's Gym shirt banned? Why isn't the American Flag banned? That fucking idiot that shot those people had his picture taken with those items also. The American Flag has flown at more KKK rallies than the Confederate Battle Flag. Google it or look at any history book. Hormones or ignorance has messed with your decision making. Please do not respond to this email or contact me in any way. If you want to send me a message all you have to do is the right thing. Put the Confederate Battle Flag back up where it belongs. Until I have heard of this happening then your replies, comments and thoughts mean nothing to me. I don't care what your hormones think or your shitty advisors. DO THE RIGHT THING.

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Date: 7/10/2015 12:15:32 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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Subject: REPUBLICAN FUTURE

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DEAR GOVERNOR: IT NOT ONLY WILL BE THE END OF THE CONFEDERATE FLAG ON THE
STATE GROUNDS BUT IT COULD BE THE END OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY. WE WILL FIND OUT.

SINCERELY, ROGER

P.S. I WISH REPUBLICANS WERE AS CONCERNED ABOUT PUTTING UP SODOMY FLAGS AS THEY
WERE TAKING DOWN CONFEDERATE FLAGS!

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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 Subject: Flag Removal

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I am currently watching the removal of the flag. My parents were born and raised in SC as were my grandparents and great grandparents. I still own family property in SC and had planned on moving both my home and business to the state.

Just to let you know, I hope your VP hopes come true, as I will not move to SC as long as this administration is in power. You caved and disappointed many. I really don't think it will help you in future political campaigns unless you change parties.

Dean M. [REDACTED] and I know this will mean nothing to anyone but me and all I can talk to.

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Subject: Government affairs

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<SUBJECT>Government affairs</SUBJECT>
<MSG>

YOU SHOULD BE ashamed of your actions as a governor and as a historian! I am certain that your forefathers and your grandparents are turning over in their grave! May God have mercy on your soul! I hope you sleep well at night!

This flag had nothing to do with slavery ! Obviously you are running for office again! This sickens me to my core!

</MSG>

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To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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Being born and reared in South Carolina, I am proud of what the state did the past 2 days. Most of my family still live in the Upper part of South Carolina. I think it took courage for the potical leaders did to take down the flag. As a Christian, I do not see people of race just as children of God. God Bless South Carolina and God Bless the United States.

Thanks

Ray [REDACTED]
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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@aol.com>

Date: 7/10/2015 1:53:46 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: conferate flag

Title: conferate flag

First Name: ismael

Middle Initial:l

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: salt

State: ut

Zip: 84119

Phone: 801 [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@aol.com

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

haley I think you did a very wrong move when you signed the flag bill you don't thke in the history of the flag and when the war broke out youdont think of everyone standing together we are united in both way so don't ruine history don't forget where you come from.

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 Date: 7/10/2015 4:15:31 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Removal of Comnfederate Flag From State Capitol

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 <SUBJECT>Removal of Comnfederate Flag From State Capitol</SUBJECT>
 <MSG>

Dear Governor Nikki Haley:

I am so ashamed of you, even though I too am a Republican Southern Gentleman. I am so sorry that you bowed under pressure to remove and discard our southern heritage, with no more emotion or feeling than crushing a nasty roach under your foot.

Please, I beg you, fold that confederate flag and ship to my home address, where it will fly high above my roof top on a flag pole just under the American Flag. Please allow me to have this discarded flag so I can proudly display and fly it! I am not ashamed of my flags.

What the hell will you do next, if Al Sharpton or other extreme trouble makers demand that you bow down to their demands, and there will be plenty to follow now that they see you are a weakling! I will be patiently waiting for you to send me the old confederate flag.

Thank you.

John [REDACTED]
 The American
 </MSG>

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To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: After the Flag

Title: Mr
First Name: Alan
Middle Initial:
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: Tucker
State: Ga
Zip: 30084
Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com

Affiliation: Senior Citizen

Message:

It really hasn't taken long for John Lewis to follow your lead and start attacking other Confederate symbols, it really is ashame that your political direction is one of going after the black vote and not one that would protect the Staes place in History, States Rights and SC heritage.

I was born and raise as a native of SC, proud of my state, you have destroyed that feeling and don't deserve to be it's governor.

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Banning Confederate Artifacts

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Madam Stalin,

You have successfully yanked down the Confederate flag. Congratulations! What do you plan to ban next? Also, please do not forget that you stupidly equate a madman bent on destruction with a distant piece of American history. Since this is your answer to random, senseless violence against innocents, I hope the people of SC are not dumb enough to re-elect you. I hope they also hold you accountable the next time this type of carnage occurs. It would probably be better if you just removed yourself from this country and returned to your native soil in India. We do not need any more anti-American leaders and it is preferable that elected officials know and understand the history of this country. Hopefully you will remove yourself soon before you get around to banning 'Gone with the Wind,' the theme from Tara, and other such remnants of the Civil War days. Perhaps you can also get all references to the Civil War from school textbooks. Enjoy your Stalinist ways; with luck you will limit them.

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To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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Subject: following the removal of the Confederate flag

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<SUBJECT>following the removal of the Confederate flag</SUBJECT>
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I am watching this on TV and am moved by the way this has been handled. I grew up in the 60's and chose to go to an almost all black high school to experience as closely as I could what it was like to be in a minority. It was worth not getting the best education to better understand in a small way what was going on in the country at the time. I commend you for taking the lead in this and hope your constituents learn to put their history in its place - in the past. The commentator mentioned that the flag flew next to the largest statue commemorating those who fought for the confederacy. I have no doubt that some will now ask that the statue be removed as well and offer a suggestion. Why not commemorate those who lived and died in slavery. Perhaps a statue of a slave family would be appropriate. That, too, is the history of your state and the other members of the Confederacy.

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 Subject: New suggestion re statehouse flag

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Hi Governor Haley. I hope you don't mind if I offer one suggestion re the flag at the South Carolina Statehouse. I was very glad to see you remove the Confederate flag. my suggestion is that you replace it on the same flagpole with the 13-starred United States flag from the era of the Revolutionary War.

if you do this now, while the media's attention is still focused, then the positive and healing power of this gesture would be very large. and it would remind us that SC is one on the proud original Thirteen Colonies. it would be a message of unity, healing, and encouragement for Americans everywhere, of our common bond and our overall unity. I hope you will consider this idea. I greatly appreciate your attention to this and all your efforts. thanks.

Steve [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]
 New York, NY

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I am a Republican (all the way), however, I totally disagree with your politically correct decision to remove the Confederate flag. You caved to political correctness. That flag is not a symbol of racism. It was just a symbol that the states of the south did not agree with the policies of the north and wanted to be their own country. I am sorry for what that nutcase did, but I did not see any coverage that the flag got down off that pole and killed a single person.

Political correctness is running out of control in this country and you just put another nail in the coffin of the once great USA. Please don't run for office again - we don't need another coward (like the one in the White House- or is it now Rainbow House?) leading this country.

Enough with the political correctness already.

Sincerely

Michael [REDACTED]
Hillsboro, Oregon

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 Subject: The Flag vs no money

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This is TWICE the south surrendered, I bet those men and some women who gave their life for a cause for freedom as they saw it, are rolling around in their graves. Their symbol has been removed. I bet not one of these fine men went into battle thinking that the south will lose blacks working in the cotton fields, that was a worry for the rich. You know what that war was really about.

Anyway, as a result of removing the flag, I will never spend a dime in your state, I will go around if need be. My dime won't add up much but I am willing to bet more people feel this way. I am ashamed a Republican governor caved this way.

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 Subject: Ignorance is not bliss.

<APP>CUSTOM
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Mrs. Haley,

How can you call yourself a Republican much less an American? By removing the confederate flag from capitol grounds, you have only successfully managed to create a bigger divide in this country. The thousands of men and women who whole-heartedly gave their lives out of hope for a better future during the Civil War have now been so shamefully disgraced due to your actions. Did you not receive a mandatory U.S. history course during your schooling? Because if you had then you would have the common knowledge to understand the Civil War was not in efforts to preserve slavery but instead to preserve a way of life. The Confederate flag is a symbol of this great nation's history, whether you choose to accept that or not. Banning it will not erase history, it will not change what happened. You have fed into the ignorance of this society and you, yourself are now but a feeble voice representing those who stand against the greater good. Start banking on the love you get from the liberals because you shall receive none from any true patriot.

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 Cc:
 Subject: CONFEDERATE BATTLE FLAG

<APP>CUSTOM
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To: Governor Hayley,

I was born in South Carolina, and have several relatives who fought for the South during the Civil War. The Confederate Battle Flag has absolutely nothing to do with racism or hatred for most Southerners. Shrill, emotionally crippled politicians and leftist media types are the main problem why that you provoked the removal of our beloved flag today. It will NOT prevent problems, but will only fuel more problems in the future. Common sense, not emotionally driven policies.

Respectfully,

Charlie [REDACTED] (Ex-USN UDT/SEAL & SUBMARINER).

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<APP>CUSTOM
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 <FIRST>JAMES</FIRST>
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GREETING GOVERNOR: THIS MIGHT SEEM WEIRD GETTING A E/MAIL FROM ME SINCE I LIVE IN INDIANA, BUT I HAD TO SAY THAT REMOVING THE CONFEDRATE FLAG FROM THE STATE HOUSE WAS A BIG DISAPPOINTMENT, WHAT'S NEXT THE MONUMENT WITH THE CONFEDRATE SOLDIER STANDING NEXT TO WHERE THE FLAG FLEW TO BE DEMOLISHED BECAUSE SOMEONE DON'T LIKE IT. YOU DON'T HAVE TO TAKE THE FLAG POLE DOWN HELL HANG A GAY,MEXICAN,OR A SPORTS TEAM FLAG THERE. NO MATTER WHAT YOU HANG THERE SOMEONE WILL COMPLAIN. HERE IN INDIANA,I THINK WE SHOW MORE PRIDE IN THE CONFEDRATE FLAG THAN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. YOU HAD PEOPLE THERE SAYING IT WAS A SYMBOL OF RACISM,WRONG IT WAS A SYMBOL OF ALL THAT FOUGHT IN THE CIVIL WAR MY THEY REST IN PEACE BECAUSE THEY ARE MORE THAN LIKELY TURNING IN THEIR GRAVES BECAUSE OF THE WAY THIS COUNTRY IS GOING, BEFORE LONG THIS COUNTRY WILL BE A DICTATORSHIP WITH ALL OUR FREEDOMS BEING TAKEN AWAY.

I DON'T KNOW WHAT TAKING DOWN A FLAG WILL CHANGE,BUT YOU HAVE YOUR FEW THAT WILL BE HAPPY TILL THEY CAN FIND THE NEXT THING TO COMPLAIN ABOUT BECAUSE THEY DON'T LIKE IT.

GOVERNOR, YOU MORE THAN LIKELY WON'T GET TO SEE THIS BECAUSE IT WILL BE ROUTED TO THE TRASH,BUT I JUST HAD TO SAY SOMETHING. HAVE A WONDERFUL DAY FROM A CITIZEN OF INDIANA.

SINCERELY:

J.E. [REDACTED]

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Subject: flag

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Governor Haley,

Classy ceremony you planned there Governor to retire the flag. Especially the singing of Na Na Hey Hey Goodbye. Your supporters are shining examples of courteous discourse.

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Just want to say how proud I am of South Carolina. I was born in Charleston in 1943. Lived there for several years, then, moved to Florence, S.C., where I grew up. Graduated from University of S.C. then, married and lived in Charleston for 4 years. I am a social worker by trade and believe in equality. All of the citizens of South Carolina, and government officials have reacted with integrity, grace, love and forgiveness, in the murders of nine church members at their prayer meeting. South Carolina serves as an example to the nation and the world. I watched this morning as the flag was taken down from the capital in Columbia. South Carolina has done the right thing. I love South Carolina and enjoy visiting home when I can. Thank you for allowing me to express my feelings. These private thoughts are for the governor - and not for the public social media. Thank you.

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 Cc:
 Subject: What is a bigot?

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What or who is a bigot. Thinking that I may be one because I, having been born and raised in the South and having relatives who fought in the Civil War, endorse the flying of the Confederate flag at the South Carolina Capitol, looked up the word bigot.

Bigot is defined in Webster's College Dictionary as a person who is extremely intolerant of another's creed, belief or opinion. Based upon that definition, aren't those who oppose the flag, which is part of our Southern heritage, also bigots.

Prior to the Civil War, my Great, Great, Grandfather moved his family from Swainsboro, GA to Florida, so to me the flag represents the strongly independent, pioneering spirit of the Southern People. It may represent something different to others, and that's O.K. but by placing their belief about what the flag represents over mine, makes them just as much a bigot as they claim I am.

So how do we solve this dilemma? My suggestion is that we all recognize each others differences and accept them for what they are. The Confederate Flag is part of our American History and we cannot change that. What we can do is recognize that the Civil War was fought between two factions within our country who had differing creeds, beliefs and opinions, and regardless of where you stand, in the end it made us a more united and free country which has become the strongest and most blessed nation in the history of the world.

Unfortunately bigotry will not go away. We see it particularly in our Government when our leaders, instead of adhering to our Constitution, impose their ideology through executive or legislative actions in defiance of the

Constitution and the will of the American people.

So am I a bigot? According to the definition I suppose I am because my creed, belief and opinion differs from others. We are all bigots and have been since the beginning of time. That will never change until we learn to respect each other and live together in harmony, but I suspect that will never happen until Jesus returns.

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Subject: bringing the flag down

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<MSG>

thank you govonor thank you south carolina you have brigged a tremendous gap! well done!!!!

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Very disappointed that you caved in on this issue. Another over reaction by elected officials to get votes. How ridiculous this whole thing is...not about the flag, but a very sick individual. Placating the black community with do nothing to bring the dead back or "Pay" for the slavery they endured years ago. The war was fought for states rights...not slavery. I had planned on visiting your state and city on an upcoming cruise...in Oct. aboard Princess...will not spend a dime now and will remain aboard ship and read. Thank you.

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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Now that you have gotten more than your 5 minutes of glory on solving all the racial problems, how about moving on and doing something constructive for South Carolina and the country as a whole...you are truly an embarrassment to the office you hold and the constituents you serve...one thing you did for certain is create more hatred in this country...can only image how much kickback you get from Obama...but at least you did not make a complete total fool out of yourself as did Rep Horne and her fake weeping episode...whatever happened to this once great nation called America

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To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: Flag

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Middle Initial: R

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Street Address 2:

City: Cibolo

State: Tx

Zip: 78108

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@att.net

Affiliation: Veteran

Message:

Governor

I know you are basking in the lime light of your life time accomplishment. As you know I cannot vote for or against you. But being a born and raised southerner I am not pleased with your signing the bill to remove the flag. Once again the minority rules. Dylann Roof was seen in a photo wearing a Gold's Gym shirt, when are you going to push to remove Gold's Gyms from South Carolina? Gold's Gym had as much to do with the shootings as the Confederate Flag.

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If you set the precedent to remove the Confederate flag for cause, you can also set the precedent to remove the American flag for cause, then you can remove 2nd amendment rights for cause. After that, what's left of our country? Am I the only one that can see this danger?

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 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
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 Subject: History, heritage and the flag

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Years ago, I supported the moving of the confederate flag from the dome to its current location. The current location represents a place where the Battle Flag has the dignity it deserves as well as a place which represents its prominence in South Carolina's history. There are many points of our history which are distasteful. Slavery is certainly one of those points. However, as I am sure you realize, the Civil War was not about slavery. During your time in office, you have demonstrated your distaste for Federalism. I believe you understand that the Civil War was a courageous response to Federalism (I fear we may be nearing the point where Federalism is pushing its limits again), not a defense of slavery.

With regard to the flag, I understand there are some who misuse the flag as a symbol of racism. However, that is not the true meaning of the flag. We must work to educate the public as to the true meaning of the flag, as well as the other confederate monuments.

Perhaps there is another way to consider this. One day, when you're not too busy, take a walk around the State House. As you look at the building, the granite building is overwhelming. The copper dome is spectacular. What many people miss are the bronze stars around the building. They also represent a particularly unsavory time in South Carolina's history. Those stars represent the conquest of Sherman. If the Battle Flag and other confederate monuments are removed, those stars should also be removed. In fact, we should also blot out the references to the Civil War in our history books as well. How far shall we go?

In all of this, I am most disappointed in your reactive attitude. Certainly you, Gov. Haley, are more intelligent than to believe one person's misuse of the flag represents the entire state's opinion of the flag. Moreover, you

have demonstrated, on numerous occasions, your courage in standing against the liberal media and the Federalists in D.C. Either in your lack of understanding of our history or in your complete absence of courage, your response in this matter has been very disappointing. I would like to encourage you to review the history of our state to discover the importance of this symbol of our history. I would like to also encourage you to look deep within yourself and find the courage you have shown in so many other matters. Use that courage to do what is right and protect our history!

Regards,
Randy [REDACTED]
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i AM APPALLED THAT A PROTEST PERMIT WAS ISSUED FOR THE KKK TO COME TO COLUMBIA. IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THEY ARE GOING TO PROTEST AT THE CAPITOL. I WOULD HOPE THAT THEY WOULD BE BANNED FROM WEARING THEIR "COSTUME" ON THE STATE HOUSE GROUNDS WHICH SYMBOLIZES MORE HATE THAN THE CONFEDERATE FLAG EVER DID. NO DOUBT IN MY MIND THAT THERE WILL BE TROUBLE. I SUPPORTED THE REMOVAL OF THE FLAG ON STATE HOUSE GROUNDS.

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 Subject: Equal treatment to all

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Fair and just representation.

You being an elected official should be fair to all. I have no problem with the Confederate Flag where it is at nor will I have a problem with the flag being placed in a state museum. What I do have a problem with is that the fight that arose at the anti Confederate Flag protest. The young man who was pro Confederate Flag was the only person who had his face on national news. There is a report of another camera showing that one of the anti Confederate Flag protesters started the fight and threw the first punch. Why are you not making the law and the National news show this person's face and that person be arrested also. By the law, the young man who was shown on television is actually acting in self defense.

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I would like to know why you are intent upon erasing southern history from our state. If people don't like what southern history is about then they don't have to live here. The confederate flag has nothing to do with slavery or anything relating to acrican Americans, thr war wasn't even about them, that issue was tacked on later. The confedrate flag is a symbol of the.southern people who were not afraid to stand up for their rights.and their land. Take away our history take away our pride. Keep Letting people destroy all that issouthern and we'll have nothing left. Beforeyou know it people will be saying the American flag made them do something what are you going to do the, pull it down as well. The more you give in to these people the more unsouthern you become, the more unsouthern you become the more southern people will lose faith in you. Tell your people to go back through the history, find out why the war really happened and why we really were called.the confederate state.

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I am sorry for the nine people who lost their lives. They are not the only that have been killed. There are also other citizens of other colors that have been killed by black citizens but it never said that these are hate crimes. All citizens is SC lives matter not just black citizens. It is time for all citizens to have rights if it taught in the Bible which is what our country was originally built on. We all of the citizens of SC should have a right to vote on flag and any other major items such as Gay Rights. God created man and woman to reproduce the earth not man and man nor woman and woman.

Thank you.
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I am by no means a Republican but I can feel so proud of you and your position concerning the confederate flag. It is in everyway a symbol of racism, all white hate groups honor the confederate flag as it is a divisive symbol of, us (white)against them (blacks). You're right in removing it from public government buildings. We can't do anything about private expression, but we can about government buildings that we all pay taxes for.

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I am writing to commend the Governor on her stand asking the legislature to remove the flag from the statehouse grounds. I'd say it is time and past time for that to happen.

Yes, the flag has historical significance...save it in a museum! It also, in today's culture, has even a more well-known significance as a symbol of racism. Look at the circumstances under which it was placed on the statehouse grounds in the 1960s. That was nothing but racism. To say it doesn't represent racism, as some are doing, is ridiculous.

Why would any well-meaning people want to keep front-and-center a symbol that is so deeply offensive to so many of our population?

Thanks to the Governor for making that speech, and giving courage to others to chime in. Let's just be sure that action follows the talk.

Thank you.
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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" [REDACTED]@bellsouth.net>

Date: 7/9/2015 5:27:53 PM

To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>

Cc:

Subject: flag

Title: mr

First Name: wayne

Middle Initial:

Last Name: [REDACTED]

Suffix:

Street Address: [REDACTED]

Street Address 2:

City: greenville

State: sc

Zip: 29607

Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@bellsouth.net

Affiliation: South Carolina Resident

Message:

WELL IF YOU EVER RUN FOR ANY ELECTED OFFICE AGAIN, YOU WILL NOT GET MY VOTE NOR WILL ANY ONE OF OUR LEGISLATORS WHO VOTED TO REMOVE "OUR" FLAG.....YOU FOLKS ARE A DISGRACE TO OUR STATE AND TO THE PEOPLE WHO FOUGHT UNDER THAT FLAG...BUT SINCE YOU DO NOT HAVE "HERITAGE" IN THIS STATE I'm SURE IT MEANT NOTHING TO YOU OR YOUR ANCESTORS.
I VOTED FOR YOU....BUT NOT AGAIN...

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 6:35:18 PM
 To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
 Cc:
 Subject: The Confederate Battl Flag

Title: Ms
 First Name: Barbie
 Middle Initial: B
 Last Name: [REDACTED]
 Suffix:
 Street Address: [REDACTED]
 Street Address 2:
 City: Anderson
 State: SC
 Zip: 29625
 Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

I am not emailing to "thank you",. Your campaign to remove the Confederate Battle Flag aka the "Southern Cross", one of three official flags of the Confederacy, was a pathetic folding to radical, racist groups, ie. neo-Nazis, red-necks, skinheads, psychos (like Roof) etc. , who over the years adopted the Confederate Battle Flag and desecrated a "flag of honor, designed by the confederacy as a banner representing state's rights",. You should have read up on your South Carolina REAL history, not the tortured rewriting by the hate-filled left and realized that the Confederate Battle Flag is still revered by many in the South as a historical banner of our Southern legacy and heritage. Your removal of this symbol, showed your ignorance and willing compilation to the lies which link secession to slavery interests, when, from many black and white Southerners' view, the cause was state rights. By bringing your misplaced and ill-timed campaign that created conflict into the horrific murder of 9 fellow South Carolinians, and the beginning of our citizens mourning, was ill advised and thoughtless. You have condoned the crimes committed and hate created by these groups under the stolen banner of the Confederacy that perverted its meaning to our State and linked a symbol of our Southern heritage inexorably as a cause of the tragedy of Charleston. Shame on you. You have fostered the ongoing leftist national environment, being led by the Racist in Chief, to "fundamentally transform America" by surrendering South Carolina to the cause. Shame on you. The far left hate group, Moveon.org and Jesse Jackson's race-baiting organization, the Rainbow Coalition, were two of the outside groups that supported your effort...should have given you and our legislative cowards (my representative DID NOT vote in your favor, Rep. Jonathan Hill represented ME, can't say the same for Senator Kevin Bryant) a clue that your direction was crooked. Please STOP saying the people of SC got what they wanted. We were denied the opportunity to VOTE on this matter, so you have no idea what the people of SC wanted. By the way there are now demands to tear down the Confederate statues on our State House grounds and ALL over the South, change the names of sports groups named "The Rebels" and the names of High Schools that have Confederate Generals' names, and even a suggestion of taking down the Jefferson Memorial. How have you not learned that when you capitulate by throwing a bone to the liberal left they come back for the whole carcass?

Giving them what they want, like the redefining of the sacrament of marriage to gays, only makes them more determined to destroy ALL the values, beliefs, and institutions that don't agree with them. I was unaware of you naivety, floppy values and faux Conservatism. Shame on me.

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From: "Juanita [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@icloud.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 9:07:12 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: South Carolina Senate

NOTE CORRECTION BELOW:

South Carolina Senate
 7/8/2015
 Pass bill to take down the CONFEDERATE FLAG
 94 to 20
 AWESOME DAY IN SOUTH CAROLINA TODAY

Gov. Nikki Haley

Senator Williams (Mary Ashley Williams his Sister)

Senator Thurmond (his Mother Nancy and His Dad Strom)

State Rep. Jenny Horne (R) Thank You
 and Senator Rick Quinn

ALL 94 who voted to have the flag removed GOD BLESS YOU ALL.

THANKS TO YOU ALL.

IN 1986-87 I worked for State of South Carolina Insurance,
 and the women would hold prayer at lunch time daily at 12:00 pm.

***** CORRECTION***** (Prayer was held in the State Capital).

One lady took short hand and gave me the words GOD spoke to me. I still have the words today.

I moved to Florida on HIS WORD SPOKEN TO ME AT 3:00 pm.

I am so very proud of the Representatives in South Carolina. IT SHOWS THAT IT WAS WORTH WHAT WE
 AS BLACK STUDENTS DID IN 1964 by integrating the schools was worth what we went through.

TODAY SOUTH CAROLINA HAS GROWN UP AS ADULTS REALLY CHILDREN OF THE MOST HIGH
 GOD (AHAYAH).

If I had to sit in or integrate the schools again, I would do it all over again; (seeing what happen in Columbia the
 taking down of the Confederate Flag), it would be worth it.

Rev. Senator Clementa Pinckney's family in forgiving the shooter, did what I had to do to all the students,

teachers and citizens who hated us in the sixties. I HAD TO FORGIVE !

The people voting were our classmates back in the sixties. I AM SO VERY PROUD OF THEM TODAY.

THEY SHOW THE LOVE OF THE MOST HIGH GOD IS STILL IN THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND LOVE WON.

The License Plates said SMILE. SC PEOPLE ARE THE FRIENDLIEST PEOPLE IN THE COUNTRY.

My cousin Mrs. Mary [REDACTED] picture hangs in the state capital in Columbia, SC. Today she would be very happy and blessed. Also my mother Mrs. Philippine [REDACTED] who also marched in the sixties, and met with Dr. Martin Luther King II would be very proud of SC Senators and Governor today.

PRAISE THE LORD: This is a NEW DAY AND A BREATH OF FRESH AIR IS TODAY IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

MY HEART IS FULL OF HAPPY TEARS.

THANK YOU MY HEAVENLY FATHER !

Your Daughter
Princess SECUMA;(Leona [REDACTED])
Graduate of Orangeburg High School 1967

One of first 13 students to integrate Orangeburg High.

One who was put out of The University of SC for boycotting for Black History to be taught. Also marched in the sixties while attending USC to have the Confederate Flag to be taken down. Marched on Columbia State grounds also when 3 students, Smith, Hamilton, Middleton were shot and killed in my hometown Orangeburg, SC on the South Carolina State College Campus when students were going to boycott the bowling alley.

TODAY ALL THOSE CLOUDS OF HATE THAT HUNG OVER SC I FEEL HAS BEEN LIFTED.

I THANK MY GOD FOR THIS.
WE ARE A LIGHT TO THE WORLD.

Sent from my iPad

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From: "lisa [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@aol.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 6:36:34 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Agreed-
Thanks for responding
God Bless

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

From: governor.haley <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@aol.com>
Sent: Thu, Jul 9, 2015 11:04 am
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

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My very best,

Nikki R. Haley

NRH/ahp

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From: "MARK [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@bellsouth.net>

Date: 7/9/2015 6:46:00 PM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Good job. You proved me wrong. Congratulations on a job well done! Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android
From: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> Date: Wed, Jul 8, 2015 at 7:31 AM Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley Dear Mr. [REDACTED] Thank you for taking the time to contact us. These have been very difficult times for South Carolina, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and the communities shaken by this tragedy. Their grace and strength set a powerful example for us all. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing – not by talking about issues that divide us – but by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We came together as a state, as a unified people, to remember those we lost and to begin this healing process. We've also come together in acknowledging that certain symbols and events of our past resonate differently among us. For some, the Confederate flag represents a history of their ancestry and heritage. For others, the flag is a deeply painful reminder of a brutally oppressive past. Inspired by the victims' families and the re-opening of Emanuel A.M.E. church, I felt compelled to make a statement about moving the flag from the Statehouse grounds. This is a moment in which we can say that the flag, while an integral part of our past, does not represent the future of our great state, and that by removing a symbol that divides us, we can move forward as a state in harmony. The time has come for us to set the flag among the other markers of our history so we can set our eyes on the great promise of a united South Carolina. God bless. My very best, Nikki R. Haley NRH/ahp

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From: "Machael [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 6:19:08 PM
To: "<governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Well u just put your self out of office so get ready to pack your bags how could u side with the niggas the only way u got the votes was cause most of sc electors are black u just started a racial war

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 9, 2015, at 11:58 AM, Machael [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com> wrote:

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> You will never please the blacks until we are there slaves if they watched the movie roots they will see it was one of there on you sold them to make money hell IM a Slavs now to the federal government I be dam if I will be a slave to the blacks they get well fare and food stamps and don't have to work for a living in the hit sun every day

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> Sent from my iPhone

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>> On Jul 9, 2015, at 11:04 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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Date: 7/9/2015 10:00:29 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Thank you for your efforts and perseverance. ~ [REDACTED]
From: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
To: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, July 6, 2015 10:06 AM
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Dear Ms. [REDACTED], Thank you for taking the time to contact us. These have been very difficult times for South Carolina, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and the communities shaken by this tragedy. Their grace and strength set a powerful example for us all. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing – not by talking about issues that divide us – but by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We came together as a state, as a unified people, to remember those we lost and to begin this healing process. We've also come together in acknowledging that certain symbols and events of our past resonate differently among us. For some, the Confederate flag represents a history of their ancestry and heritage. For others, the flag is a deeply painful reminder of a brutally oppressive past. Inspired by the victims' families and the re-opening of Emanuel A.M.E. church, I felt compelled to make a statement about moving the flag from the Statehouse grounds. This is a moment in which we can say that the flag, while an integral part of our past, does not represent the future of our great state, and that by removing a symbol that divides us, we can move forward as a state in harmony. The time has come for us to set the flag among the other markers of our history so we can set our eyes on the great promise of a united South Carolina. God bless. My very best, Nikki R. Haley NRH/ahp

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From: "[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 8:42:00 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR REPLYING TO ME. I AM NOT REAL SURE I KNOW WHAT YOU ARE REFERRING TO AS "TRAGEDY". I DO KNOW THIS, EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENS IN THIS WORLD WILL BE OFFENSIVE TO SOMEBODY. SO, SHOULD WE TAKE DOWN OUR MIA FLAGS BECAUSE IT IS A MOST PAINFUL REMINDER OF THE TORTURE AND INHUMANE TREATMENT OUR SOLDIERS RECEIVED AS POWS? SHOULD WE DO AWAY WITH THE SOLDIER'S WALL THAT HAS TRAVERSED OUR COUNTRY JUST BECAUSE SOMEONE, SOMEWHERE WILL BE OFFENDED. ALL OF THESE "THINGS" ARE PART OF OUR HISTORY - LIKE IT OR NOT. I GOT SICK ON MY STOMACH WHEN I SAW THE GETTYSBURG BATTLEFIELD IN PENNSYLVANIA, BUT I WOULD GIVE MY LAST DOLLAR IF THAT'S WHAT IT TOOK TO PRESERVE IT AND TO REMIND US THAT WE ARE VERY DIFFERENT AND DIVERSE PEOPLE, YET WHEN THE TIME COMES FOR UNIFYING, AMERICANS - NATIVE BORN - ARE DEFINETLY UP TO THE CALL. YES, THERE IS TRAGEDY EVERYWHERE - AND THE GREATEST OF THESE IS THE FACT THAT WE HAVE TAKEN CHRIST AND THROWN HIM OUT OF OUR CULTURE, OUR LIVES AND WE HAVE LOST OUR MORAL COMPASS. THINGS LIKE CARS, BOMBS, GUNS, KNIVES, ETC. DON'T DO THE KILLING!! WHEN WILL WE LEARN THAT PEOPLE DO BECAUSE OF THEIR DEPRAVED MINDS AND LACK OF THAT MORAL COMPASS THAT ALL NATIONS NEED TO SURVIVE. I HOPE AND PRAY THAT YOU AND THE SOUTH CAROLINA SENATORS AND ELECTED OFFICIALS PRAYED TO GOD FOR HIS GUIDANCE IN THIS DECISION, RATHER THAN LEANING SOLEY ON THE UNBASED FEELINGS OF THOSE WHO WOULD STRIVE TO TEAR OUR COUNTRY APART.

On Wednesday, July 8, 2015 2:15 PM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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Date: 7/9/2015 5:17:33 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Okay, you have now appeased one group of people at the expense of another. And I am pretty sure that there is a large group that is offended that the African American history monument is on the state capital grounds. So in fairness to them, you should have it removed as well and all of this stuff placed under one roof as a memorial to all. By keeping this one on state grounds, you are slapping others in the face and telling them they are 2nd class citizens and that their feelings don't matter.

I for one am sick and tired of having "black" history jammed down my throat all the time, along with Hispanic, Pilipino, etc. History is history. So now is the time to take a stand and make it an even playing field for everyone, and put all of these memorials, flags, posters, etc, under one roof for the people to visit.

I wonder if had the shooting here in Charleston the other week, been a black carrying the confederate BATTLE flag, and shooting whites in a white church, if the same outcry would be heard. I seriously doubt it would have been. Because that is the way the press and the "politically correct" want it to be.

Samuel S [REDACTED]

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com
[mailto:governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com]
Sent: Monday, July 06, 2015 12:01 PM
To: [REDACTED]@bellsouth.net
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

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From: "Cheryl [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 7:05:27 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

It is a good day in South Carolina, and everywhere! Thank you for your leadership on this. It's a beautiful sign of progress!

Warm regards,
Cheryl [REDACTED]

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com
To: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley
Date: Mon, 6 Jul 2015 13:16:50 -0400

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED]

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From: "Fran" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>

Date: 7/9/2015 5:35:19 PM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Thank you for your response. I still disagree. Your state " that by removing a symbol that divides us, we can move forward as a state in harmony. " Yet you still divide by your actions. Fran

"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."

Martin Luther King .

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From: "Rep. Bill Taylor" <[REDACTED]@taylorshouse.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 5:04:55 PM
 To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
 Cc:
 Subject: It's Coming Down!

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It's Coming Down!

Dear Friends:

The [http://files.ctctcdn.com/b7e9246d001/c28cd399-3aef-4da0-be1c-a53ebab22db4.jpg] Confederate battle flag at the South Carolina Statehouse will be pulled down Friday morning after the House Representatives joined the Senate in voting to remove it. The final House vote came in the wee hours of the morning during a marathon, fifteen hour debate. Taking down the flag that has flown at the Statehouse for five decades was forced on the legislature as a priority after the Charleston church massacre.

Emotions Run High

For three weeks I have carefully listened to the constituents. I received several thousand emails, many phone calls and had numerous personal discussions. On one side were those who wanted the flag brought down immediately because they believe it is an offensive sign of racism and a celebration of slavery. Many others are rightfully proud of their Southern heritage. They desire to honor their ancestors. They don't see the battle flag as a racist symbol. They see it as part of a monument dedicated to soldiers who lost their lives in defense of South Carolina and their beliefs in that time. For them it's simply a symbol of respect and remembrance. A majority of Americans agree. A CNN poll shows that 57% of Americans see the battle flag as a symbol of Southern pride rather than a symbol of racism.

Regardless, both sides have strong arguments because their beliefs are personal and based on what's in their heart. I respect that.

What I heard from the constituents I serve in my rural Aiken County House District was clear. By a very large margin they wanted their heritage respected and the flag to remain. In one of my statements during House debate I reminded legislators they have no special knowledge on this topic. Because it is a cultural, personal issue, as opposed to a complex taxing or similar issue, every legislator and citizen, has the same basis to make a decision. That's why I advanced an amendment to allow voters statewide to decide the flag controversy in an advisory referendum.

Crisis Fueled by Media & Political Agendas

Obama's former Chief of Staff, Rahm Emanuel, once said, "Never let a serious crisis go to waste." That was certainly the case with the Charleston shootings. With knee-jerk reactions, many politicians called for removal of the flag. I sought the correct legislative process where we would take testimony in committee and hear from many on the breadth and depth of the issue. That was not to be; haste the driving factor.

It was also a story perfectly scripted for media. The national press pounced on South Carolina. They were surely disappointed when they found no riots, just prayerful and mourning citizens. Editorialists, including the Aiken Standard, pounded home their agenda to bring the flag down. They are entitled to their opinion, but what I hear from constituents far outweighs a few editors.

Compromises Rejected

[http://files.ctctcdn.com/b7e9246d001/bdc07268-9291-4df8-bc13-8843fbd4a37a.png] Throughout the House debate, I was part of a team of Republican legislators who sought compromise. We acknowledged the movement to bring down the battle flag had significant political momentum and would likely have the votes to carry the day. We sought alternatives that would respect the hundreds of thousands of South Carolinians who hold dearly their ancestral history and continue to honor the soldiers who lost their lives in that War Between the States. We offered many alternatives to replace the battle flag with other Civil War era flags that were not tainted and co-opted by hate groups. In a last ditch effort we offered the beautiful South Carolina state flag that was actually our state's national flag that flew for the two months after succession. With the Rev. Jesse Jackson watching our proceedings from the House gallery, even it was rejected!

Erasing History

The goal of many is to not only to bring down the battle flag but to make certain the flag pole is removed. Why is that so important? It opens the door to further steps to erase history which some call cultural genocide. While it is denied now, I assure you there will be further efforts to take down flags, monuments and change the names of buildings that in today's 'politically correct' world are judged to be racist and offensive.

Charleston wasn't about a flag; it was about hate and evil. It was about an individual's malignant heart. Removing the battle flag from the Confederate Soldiers' monument won't solve that problem.

The serious problems we face in America are deeply rooted in our deteriorating family structure, the weakening foundations of our cherished institutions and our tolerance in allowing a bloated, overreaching federal government to continue to steal our personal liberty on a daily basis. Until we seriously confront those issues with real solutions, America will continue to falter.

I'm Available

It is an honor and a privilege to serve you in Columbia. If you need help navigating state government, or have any thoughts or concerns about what we are doing, please do not hesitate to contact me.

In your Service,

Bill Taylor

803- [REDACTED]

Representative

South Carolina General Assembly

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It was an honor to serve as Speaker of the S.C. House during the late evening, historic debate on removal of the Confederate battle flag.

I substituted for Speaker Jay Lucas between the 12th & 13th hours of the marathon debate.

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Date: 7/9/2015 7:11:12 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Ms. Haley, Look at the division you have caused in our state. Why were the South Carolina citizens not given the opportunity to vote on this matter? Watch and see the attitudes of the families of the Confederate dead. Like I said in my original letter, you do not understand the ramifications of your order, that was done too quickly, and only to appease the minority population. I understand the term RINO now better than ever.

Thank you

Danny [REDACTED]

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

From: governor.haley <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@aol.com>
Sent: Mon, Jul 6, 2015 11:09 am
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

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From: "Andrea [REDACTED] [REDACTED]@[REDACTED].net"

Date: 7/9/2015 9:58:01 PM

To: "<governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

You did not take into account the state as a whole and the needs of all.

This flag did not cause this tragedy - he also burned the American flag - are we going to take that down too?

You may have satisfied one group but you have divided our state and I think it is divided worse than ever. Check the news, the demonstration s, feedback on your own Facebook page.....

SC was united after this tragedy - all stood together - race was not an issue until you brought the confederate flag up. Once you did, you have created hostility in the State of SC and in the South. Just take a look at news coverage and people after this tragedy and then after your announcement.

I am proud to be from the South. I nor anybody here in this state now were slaves or owned slaves. We had no control yet the current generation is punished. What about Germany and the Nazi regime? The Japanese and Pearl Harbor. Do we continue talking about the war and their evil - no. We move on and forgive and promote their business in our country and state. The generation now cannot help the Americans their ancestors killed - we do not bring it up constantly. But same situation for slavery and it stays in the media.....

I respect your position but i do not appreciate or support you leading this division and not listening to the voice of the people. Some suggested to put it to a vote - that would have been the democratic thing to do - then if the PEOPLE spoke, it would be accepted - the non-democracy forced on the state has created division that will be hard to ever heal.

I have always voted straight Republican since I was old enough to vote but you no longer have my vote and that is the same thing I am hearing all across the state.

I pray for God's mercy on this land. Our country is declining ,orally daily and our government supports removal of God and everything about Him yet our country founded on God and His rules.

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 9:16 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Haley, you and obama made a joke out of a tragedy, if it really happened. Considering 29million dollars of taxpayer money is being sent to families of SC. Sounds more of a payoff for a cover-up. What to pay for a church that was at the point of being condemned. To pay off your pushing to remove bill. To payoff on taking away our freedoms. To start a hostile movement on everything southern. And all you have to say about it is a phony letter that is sent out in mass saying how sorry you are and how you care for the citizens of SC. The only thing I believe now is that this was all a training exercise set in motion to begin an attack on the citizens of SC and of the Southern States. Everything you may have done in the past will be forgotten and you will be known (as well as your family) as the traitor who sold out the citizens of South Carolina. I will never vote for you in any office you may decide to run for in the future. If you can sell out your state, you could sell out your country.

Thank you

Sharon [REDACTED]

843-[REDACTED]

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From: governor.haley <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@aol.com>
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From: "Bryan [REDACTED] [REDACTED]@yahoo.com">
Date: 7/9/2015 5:09:02 PM
To: "<governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

What a lame response!

My question is (again) when are you going to make your father take off his turbin.....in this post 9/11 era I find it very offensive. But the most offensive part is that you let him wear it twice on the State House steps for your searing in ceremonies!

Please respond!

Bryan [REDACTED]
Swansea, SC

Sent from my iPhone

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To: "<governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Dear Governor Haley

I want to Thank You for singing the bill today.

I pray this brings us all as human beings closer together and more things can get done in our state to help all in need.

While I may not agree with many of your policy's, today was a day we were all together. Except for some that voted against the removal of the flag, the remainder showed true bipartisan spirit and love to mankind.

I'm proud !!!

I will ask you to revisit gun control.

Our forefathers never intended our gun laws to be this way. The 2nd amendment was written for protection against Indians and rustlers. It was designed for those that had no law enforcement available to form a militia I know in your heart that's the truth.

I would also ask you to revisit Health Care with the Affordable Health Care Act. I believe we are the only true democratic society that does not provide the basic health care to all people.

My wife and I are under Medicare and while you may not believe this, the total coverage between Drugs, supplemental and Medicare is about \$500 per month.

If that cost were not there, we would have more disposable income to spend at various venues in our state.

BTW, that was just a side note about Medicare.

I want to see all people taken care of.

Lastly, please fix the roads in Pawleys Island. Someone keeps putting band aids on Kings River Road. PLEASE.

I thank you for allowing me to vent.

Peace to all,

Jim [REDACTED]

I guess you can tell I'm a Democrat.

Jim

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 9, 2015, at 11:04 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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Cc:
Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Governor Haley,

Congratulations!

Dale [REDACTED]

Dale [REDACTED]
Benefits Administrator
Treasury Services
[REDACTED]

The [REDACTED] Church

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com [mailto:governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com]
Sent: Monday, July 06, 2015 1:06 PM
To: Dale [REDACTED]
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From: "John [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 9:24:43 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc: ..
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Governor Haley,

Congratulations to you and your state legislature for having the courage and compassion to take down the Confederate battle flag from state property.... You are helping us move forward as a country.

Thanks!

On Jul 6, 2015, at 10:14 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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From: "David [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@comcast.net>
Date: 7/9/2015 11:03:59 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Thank you for acting so quickly in addressing the Confederate battle flag issue. As a son of the South who migrated North, I can now say that my wife and I are happy to retire to our property in Beaufort county in a few years. Again, I offer a sincere thanks for leading this charge. It is indeed a great day in South Carolina today and going forward.

Sincerely,

David and Carol [REDACTED]

Issaquah, WA (soon to be residents of Beaufort SC)

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com
[mailto:governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com]
Sent: Monday, July 06, 2015 8:14 AM
To: [REDACTED]@comcast.net
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

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From: "Barry [REDACTED]@[REDACTED].com">
Date: 7/9/2015 4:32:47 PM
To: "governor haley" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

You and the legislature ARE COWARDS! Plain and simple. I hope you think these out of State yankees and liberal socialist will come back and vote for yall. You ARE A DISGRACE to SOUTH CAROLINA! Sorry if that hurts your feeling, meaning you and the ghost writer and reader of the emails. When the SHTF you know the socialist yall are bending over backwards and KISSING their rear ends, will DESERT YOU IN a new york minute!

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

From: "governor haley" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
To: [REDACTED]@embarqmail.com
Sent: Monday, July 6, 2015 12:16:58 PM
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 4:54:30 PM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: Flag Removal

Title: Mrs
First Name: Mary L
Middle Initial:
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: Taylors
State: SC
Zip: 29687
Phone: 864-[REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

Dear Govenor

I know you think by removing the flag, it will ease racial divide over the horrible Charleston shooting done by a DERANGED individual. The flag Was Not responsible, it represents our ancestors fighting for their land that the north was invading, it had nothing to do with slavery.

The next thing will be our Confederate Monuments, the Names of our buildings, streets or anything pretaining to The Confederate War.

You can't wipe out History but they'll try. The people outside of s.c. keep stirring this pot and won't rest until this is done.

I hope I am wrong but don't think so.

And if you are still our Governor when this begins, I hope you will remember my words and Stop It.

I don't even own the flag but respected it for what it stood for.

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From: "robert [REDACTED]@yahoo.com">

Date: 7/9/2015 4:53:29 PM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

I respect your opinion. However I will not vote for you again. You are too decisive. Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android From:"governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> Date:Mon, Jul 6, 2015 at 12:18 PM Subject:Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley Dear Mr. [REDACTED] Thank you for taking the time to contact us. These have been very difficult times for South Carolina, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and the communities shaken by this tragedy. Their grace and strength set a powerful example for us all. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing – not by talking about issues that divide us – but by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We came together as a state, as a unified people, to remember those we lost and to begin this healing process. We've also come together in acknowledging that certain symbols and events of our past resonate differently among us. For some, the Confederate flag represents a history of their ancestry and heritage. For others, the flag is a deeply painful reminder of a brutally oppressive past. Inspired by the victims' families and the re-opening of Emanuel A.M.E. church, I felt compelled to make a statement about moving the flag from the Statehouse grounds. This is a moment in which we can say that the flag, while an integral part of our past, does not represent the future of our great state, and that by removing a symbol that divides us, we can move forward as a state in harmony. The time has come for us to set the flag among the other markers of our history so we can set our eyes on the great promise of a united South Carolina. God bless. My very best, Nikki R. Haley NRH/ahp

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From: "Mari [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
 Date: 7/9/2015 9:58:17 PM
 To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Dear Governor Nikki Haley,

I am watching the news coverage of today's event in South Carolina regarding the replacement of the "C" flag to a more appropriate home in history. I am so in awe of you and your State. I understand you will possibly not receive my letter with all that is going on, but I am so impressed by you and your administration and how beautifully you all have dealt with this horrible tragedy.

I am a democrat - conservative - even though I live in California. But I am a devout Christian and I was so moved by the beautiful God-fearing souls in your State, from every walk of life and political side and religious conviction.

Thank you. You really set a gold standard as a beacon of hope and grace through horrible evil. God IS with you, and He will continue to bless you all,

I will be filled with pride as I watch tomorrow's ceremony - not angry towards those who were misguided long ago. Just proud that you all followed the spirit of truth and justice within you. Thank you.

God IS Great.

Mari [REDACTED]

Mari

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com
 To: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com
 Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley
 Date: Mon, 6 Jul 2015 12:55:56 -0400

Dear Mari [REDACTED]

Thank you for taking the time to contact us. These have been very difficult times for South Carolina, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and the communities shaken by this tragedy. Their grace and strength set a powerful example for us all. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing – not by talking about issues that divide us – but by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We came together as a state, as a unified people, to remember those we lost and to begin this healing process. We've also come together in acknowledging that certain symbols and events of our past resonate differently among us. For some, the Confederate flag represents a history of their ancestry and heritage. For others, the flag is a deeply painful reminder of a brutally oppressive past. Inspired by the victims' families and the re-opening of Emanuel A.M.E. church, I felt compelled to make a statement about moving the flag from the Statehouse grounds. This is a moment in which we can say that the flag, while an

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From: "Ray [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/9/2015 3:57:08 PM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

How can you push this thru in such a short time frame when you cannot fix the roads in South Carolina? They continue to kill. How can you not let the people of South Carolina vote on this instead of the House and Senate that did not listen to the voice of the people of our state. If you would care about the people of South Carolina and not worry about being so politically correct, we could depend upon our politicians to do as they promised before they were elected.

On Wednesday, July 8, 2015 12:09 PM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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From: "Jim" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>

Date: 7/9/2015 4:01:28 PM

To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>

Cc:

Subject: RE: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

thanks a lot Governor Haley for protecting us South Carolinians from nothing I cannot believe that you caved in as with many of my neighbors and friends you will not get our vote again Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE smartphone----- Original message ----- From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com Date: 7/6/2015 11:09 AM (GMT-05:00) To: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley Dear Mr. [REDACTED] Thank you for taking the time to contact us. These have been very difficult times for South Carolina, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and the communities shaken by this tragedy. Their grace and strength set a powerful example for us all. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing – not by talking about issues that divide us – but by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We came together as a state, as a unified people, to remember those we lost and to begin this healing process. We've also come together in acknowledging that certain symbols and events of our past resonate differently among us. For some, the Confederate flag represents a history of their ancestry and heritage. For others, the flag is a deeply painful reminder of a brutally oppressive past. Inspired by the victims' families and the re-opening of Emanuel A.M.E. church, I felt compelled to make a statement about moving the flag from the Statehouse grounds. This is a moment in which we can say that the flag, while an integral part of our past, does not represent the future of our great state, and that by removing a symbol that divides us, we can move forward as a state in harmony. The time has come for us to set the flag among the other markers of our history so we can set our eyes on the great promise of a united South Carolina. God bless. My very best, Nikki R. Haley NRH/ahp

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