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Since Will already has one focusing on 2016, this is another that I remembered off the top of my head if you want to send it to him... <http://time.com/4136469/top-10-politicos-2016/>

*TIME's 10 Politicos to Watch in 2016*

Nikki Haley: The South Carolina Governor, a Republican, drew praise for her handling of the Charleston church shooting and the lowering of the Confederate flag. She'll be in the spotlight again next year as the first Southern presidential primary takes place in her backyard.

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From: Whitson, William [mailto:wwhitson@wistv.com]  
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To: Godfrey, Rob; Adams, Chaney; Symmes, Brian  
Subject: Governor Haley & Top political lists

Hey guys!

Happy New Year!

Wanted to reach out to y'all real fast. I'm working on a story regarding the number of lists Governor Haley has made regarding most newsworthy governors/ top politicians of 2015.

I know the governor's out of town, but wanted to see if y'all wanted to comment on the amount of national attention she's received in regards to this roller coaster of a year.

These are the two articles I will be focusing on mostly:

<https://t.co/6QII0a2BYy>

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/the-fix/wp/2015/12/30/the-5-governors-who-made-the-most-news-in-2015-ranked/>

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## The 5 governors who made the most news in 2015, ranked ...

[www.washingtonpost.com](http://www.washingtonpost.com)

In a year in which Congress has struggled with basic tasks, it's governors who are touting their ability to get things done. Governors drove much of the national ...

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