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To: Schimsa, Rebecca
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Hello Rebecca,

I hope you are doing well. Following up with you in regards to having Governor Haley come speak at The Monthly Meeting, please review the summary of our group below.

The Monthly Meeting was started January of 2012 by a group of eight young professionals (Justin Evans, Jacob Cook, Robert Wilder, Micah Caskey, Brian & Jason Stern, Taylor Matthews, and myself). As the name states, we host a meeting every month that allows forward thinking and involved young professionals to not only network, but to hear a speaker. We generally try to get a speakers who are from SC who is very successful to discuss: a little of their life story, what they are currently doing, advice for young inspiring professionals and suggestions on how we can help move Columbia/State forward from our current positions. We encourage dialogue from all spectrums in hopes to have beneficial conversations on the current topic of the month. The goal is to have an open forum for young professionals to get more informed and involved in our communities/State. At the conclusion of each meeting, we challenge all participants to add an action to better themselves and our State based of the meeting.

Our group has the great pleasure to have individuals such as: Jim Newsome, Bobby Hitt, Alan Wilson, Joe Taylor, Chuck Garnett, Deepal Eliatamby, Mayor Benjamin, Rick Wade and many more come speak to our group. The Monthly Meeting would be more than grateful to have Governor Haley come speak to our group for our November meeting. The current date we have designated for the meeting is the 7th. If Governor Haley cannot make that date, we will change it to fit her schedule. The sooner we can have conformation one or the other would be greatly appreciated.

We conduct The Monthly Meeting at the Palmetto Club in which it starts at 5:00pm, networking through 6:00, and the speakers has the floor until 7:00. We ask for a fifteen minute Q&A session starting around the 6:45 mark. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Moe