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From: "[REDACTED]@aol.com" <[REDACTED]@aol.com>
Date: 7/7/2015 11:56:37 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Governor, your letter below makes me sick. You are weak, gutless and spineless and may I add not very smart. This is your last term as Governor. This PC nonsense MUST stop.

In a message dated 7/6/2015 12:11:51 P.M. Central Daylight Time, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com writes:

Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

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My very best,

Nikki R. Haley
NRH/ahp

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <GMORTON@SHTC.NET>
Date: 7/7/2015 11:51:56 AM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: CONFEDERATE FLAG

Title: MRS
First Name: VIRGINIA
Middle Initial:0
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: CHESTERFIELD
State: SC
Zip: 29709
Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@SHTC.NET

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

FOR ALL THOSE WHO VOTED TO TAKE DOWN THE FLAG OF MY ANCESTORS AND OF MY HERITAGE, I SAY EACH OF YOU ARE THE WORSE OF THE WORSE IN OUR STATE. ALL THESE SCARE TATICS FROM THE NAACP AND OTHERS HAVE WORKED. IT'S THE WHITES STATE AS WELL AS THE BLACKS, WE SHOULD HAVE BEEN ABLE TO VOTE ON THIS ISSUE. AS FOR ALL THE TURNCOATS, THEY WILL NOT BE VOTED FOR EVERY AGAIN BY MORE PEOPLE YOU THINK. IT SUCKS WHEN OUR STATE GOV. SPEAKS FOR ALL PEOPLE, BUT IN THE END GOD WILL TAKE CARE OF ALL. MAY GOD HAVE MERCY ON YOU ALL

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <Realty_rooster@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/7/2015 11:46:51 AM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: The well being of the state of South Carolina

Title: Cpt
First Name: Paula
Middle Initial:
Last Name: [REDACTED]
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: North Charleston
State: SC
Zip: 29418
Phone: 843 [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]@yahoo.com

Affiliation: Constituent

Message:

Dearest Governor Haley as we say in the south, you are between a rock and a hard place. in regards to the Confederate flag. At this time it needs to come down. However if it comes down in shame and as a racist symbol it will cause division. I think the flag should be given a designated legal definition as a flag of remembrance for those who died during the Civil War. Furthermore I think its should be made illegal to be used in a hate crime or in a divisive manner. A felony perhaps. I also think that there should be designated days that the flag is flown to honor those who have died in the Civil War. I don't think any historical Monuments or names of roads should be removed or changed. The flag should be sold as an unbanned market item. If it's taken down in dishonor, then flying it even at your own home would be seen as racist. You must find a way to serve us all. if not my beloved state will once again be torn apart.

Wishing you the best, Sincerely, Paula [REDACTED]

If you wish to talk to me you can call me anytime day or night, in confidence of course.
God bless you Governor Haley and God bless the state of South Carolina.

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From: "Rory [REDACTED] [REDACTED]@cableone.net">
Date: 7/7/2015 11:31:12 AM
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,

Thank you for responding and I can see that South Carolina is in wonderful hands.

Reverend Deacon Rory R [REDACTED]. OSB

"One does not keep children from school even to build the Temple." ~
Talmud, Shabbat

From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com
[mailto:governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com]
Sent: Monday, July 6, 2015 12:06 PM
To: [REDACTED]@cableone.net
Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Dear Rev [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.

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From: "Daryl [REDACTED] [REDACTED]@yahoo.com">
 Date: 7/7/2015 11:12:33 AM
 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, I think everyone feels deep sadness for the nine families and their losses. However the fact remains that the flag had absolutely nothing to do with it! I am sorry if people can't put what happened 150 years ago; they need to get over themselves. Most don't even have family that were involved. As I said before there is not protection from having your feeling hurt, being insulted, etc. You have a right to offend me, and I have a right to offend you. Equal rights to all! This is no longer my country if the majority no longer rules! Stop pandering for votes from special interests, that don't care about America. Worry about slavery that happens today in every state. Daryl [REDACTED] Sent via the Samsung Galaxy S™ III, an AT&T 4G LTE smartphone<div>----- Original message -----</div><div>From: governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com</div><div>Date:07/06/2015 15:56 (GMT-06:00) </div><div>To: leonard.daryl@yahoo.com</div><div>Subject: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley </div><div></div>Dear Mr. Leonard, 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: "Virginia [REDACTED]viriniacarlson@comcast.net">
 Date: 7/7/2015 11:03:36 AM
 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 Governor Haley! My thoughts and prayers remain with you and yours for courage in these times. As a new resident in the South from New Jersey, I am shocked and appalled by the level of racism in the South, in general. I thought things were better. So, i joined the SCLC in Cobb County Ga and hope to work for change. All we need is love, as the Beatles said! Hang in there! Virginia [REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 12:40 PM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:
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 > Dear Ms [REDACTED]
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From: "Rima [REDACTED] [REDACTED]@gmail.com">
Date: 7/7/2015 10:55:25 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Thanks to you all for your courage in voting to remove the confederate flag.

However, I think you know that this flag (a Virginia battle banner, not a Confederate flag at all) was installed there as a spiteful reaction to the Civil Rights Act, not as a symbol of a history of a proud heritage.

I hope this recognition of the pain and suffering these symbols have caused are just a beginning of changes to come. The world is watching you.

Thank you,
Rima [REDACTED]
Princeton, New Jersey

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 Date: 7/7/2015 10:33:06 AM
 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, The killing of those people in the AME church has no bearing on the monument honoring the soldiers who died in the Confederacy. The church members spoke of 'forgiveness' for the murderer yet shout "HATE" for a flag that had no bearing on the murders! How can you support the removal of a flag from a monument just because some people use it as a symbol of racism? What about the flag of the USA which flew over slavery for 85 years before the South choose to succeed from the Union? What will you do when that flag is called a symbol of hatred? Whether or not you support the Southern History, you cannot change the past! You can only teach it truthfully and pray to not repeat it or you can deny it and try to hide it and change it. And when you do the latter, you condemn your children to a worse fate when slavery comes back again. And the cycles of history will come back if you do not speak the truth and learn from it. I will stand for the truth over your lies and attempts to cover up or deny what my forefathers fought and died for in the past! You can remember the past or your children will experience it in the future when through ignorance the events of the past is repeated. R.J.

On Monday, July 6, 2015 12:25 PM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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From: [REDACTED]@aol.com" [REDACTED]@aol.com>
Date: 7/7/2015 10:37:48 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

WE SHOULD HAVE KNOWN NOT TO ELECT A RED DOT INDIAN MUSLIM YOU AND YOUR BRETHREN OBAMA PROBABLY SET UP THE MURDER OF THOSE SPECIFIC NINE BEING HE WAS A STATE REP..I HOPE YOU ROT IN HESS WITH OBAMA YOU CLYBURN ,BRANNON ,LINDSEY ,TIM ,THE MAYOR OF CHARLESTON AND ALL THE REST OF YOUR LIBERAL WHITE GENACIDE PARTY. YOU AND OBAMA . HOW MUCH DID YOU OR YOUR WHITE GENACIDE MUSLIM ORGANIZATION PROMISE DYLANN ROOF TO DO YOUR DIRTY WORK ? I DID NOT CALL YOU I CALLED PUTNAM WHO IS A LIAR JUST LIKE YOU . WELL MADAM PUPPET I HOPE YOU ENJOY LETTING WHAT EVER HIS REAL NAME IS PULL YOUR STRINGS AMUSLIM GOVENOR AND HER MUSLIM LOVING HUSBAND IS IN THE MILITARY IT'S ALL COMING TOGETHER

In a message dated 7/6/2015 11:33:14 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com writes:

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 Date: 7/7/2015 10:37:47 AM
 To: "<governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
 Cc:
 Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley to my email.

Dear Governor Haley:

Thank you for your lovely reply.

I was very proud of you when you took the stand to support the Confederate flag coming down.

I understand that politically it was not a choice that you actually wanted to make. Often the "right" choice is one we labor over, but you did it, & in doing so have won the support of one 72 year old female, who before would not have been a supporter.

Even today, I have been told about how trucks with white men, waving the Confederate flag, were riding thru black neighborhoods on our 4th of July celebration, in an attempt at intimidation.

Have also been told of a black church out in the country in Hampton County, having it's door defaced with spray paint & a note attached, threatening "we will be back". Also was told of a black woman driving with children in the car, having a truck with with blackened windows, pulling along side of her and staying along side of her for 15 minutes. Yes, racism is still alive in SC, but our governor has taken a stand that enough is enough. Yes, it often takes a strong woman to take the right stand.

My very best:

Bonnie [REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 11:14 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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From: "Larry [REDACTED]@gmail.com"
 Date: 7/7/2015 10:37:45 AM
 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 :

I had earlier sent you a very strongly worded letter (I believe it was polite - but I was emotional) urging you to "take down" the Confederate flag as I know that you had previously opposed that. As a person from a northern state (a caucasian), I just could not understand how in this day and age you could consider keeping that flag waving above your capital building when it has such a negative impact on African American sensitivities.....

Since then, you have courageously "stepped up to the plate" and taken steps to reverse your earlier position. It is not often that a politician has the courage to "change positions" as did you. This is one Minnesotan that is proud of you for the role you played in bringing healing to South Carolina.

May God bless you, your family, and all South Carolinians.....

On Tue, Jul 7, 2015 at 8:37 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

> Dear Mr. [REDACTED]
 >
 > On the evening of Wednesday, June 17, 2015, the world witnessed a
 > senseless tragedy at Emanuel A.M.E. Church in our beloved Charleston, South
 > Carolina.
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 > Heartbroken, words fail us as we seek to make sense of this unexpected
 > loss of life at one of our places of worship. We will never understand
 > what motivates anyone to commit such a vile and hateful act, but our hearts
 > and minds remain fixed on the nine families and healing our state. The
 > families' grace and strength set a powerful example for us all, and the
 > response of the people of South Carolina helped us strengthen our love for
 > each other.
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 > Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of
 > healing by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost,
 > and falling to our knees in prayer. We will continue to come together as
 > a state, as a unified people, and never forget those we lost.
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 > Michael, Rena, Nalin, and I join countless others all over the country in

> praying for strength during this time of healing and offering our
> condolences and support to the families affected. God bless.

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> Nikki R. Haley

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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

blah blah blah...when we as a nation let one sick individual determine our lives we have lost as a whole. This knee jerk reaction is totally inexcusable for any reason. You step on one group to please another and expect the one to just accept it? It never will happen. Your pitiful excuse is NOT acceptable. You only have turned heritage into hatred. You have divided the races not brought them closer together. I hope you sleep well at night knowing you have created a racial divide bigger than this country has ever seen. You are no leader. You are a coward swayed by political correctness. I hope you enjoy what time you have left as governor because your political career is dead as it should be. This country needs leaders not puppets. By the way..by taking down the one flag you will see more than you ever have.

On Tuesday, July 7, 2015 8:32 AM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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From: "Tyler [REDACTED]@change.org">
Date: 7/7/2015 10:27:56 AM
To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Comms Opp w/ Large Change.org Petition

Hello, Governor Haley,

My name is Tyler [REDACTED] and I help run a new department at Change.org working with the folks who are receiving petitions started on Change.org, usually large organizations, companies and elected officials.

I just learned that you reached out Jenny [REDACTED], the starter of this large Confederate Flag petition <<https://www.change.org/p/nikki-haley-remove-the-confederate-flag-from-the-state-house>> on our site, and was hoping somebody on your team had a few minutes to talk about a new communications tool that allows you to connect directly to all 60K+ people that signed onto the petition. It is a powerful new way to ensure your message is heard by this specific audience to build connections and rapport with constituents.

We have had a number of elected officials respond to petitions already, including Mitch McConnell <<https://www.change.org/petitions/congress-pass-the-able-act/responses/11493>>, Kirsten Gillibrand <<https://www.change.org/petitions/justice-for-military-sexual-trauma-victims-pass-the-military-justice-improvement-act-s-967-mjia/responses/10404>>, Paul Ryan <<https://www.change.org/petitions/let-hotel-phones-dial-911-easily-help-enact-kari-s-law/responses/12072>> and San Francisco Mayor Ed Lee <<https://www.change.org/petitions/sf-board-of-supervisors-please-fully-fund-gosolarsf/responses/13000>>

Please let me know your availability this week, and I'll give you a ring.

Cheers,

Tyler

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Tyler [REDACTED]

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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Thank you for standing against an evil act. Thank you for standing against the Confederate flag flying on state grounds.

I know we all will not agree on everything, however, when we all are paying taxes and some of us see a symbol representing an negative spirit and is offensive, it should not stand as a representative of all. The Confederate flag should not fly and be preserved at any ground where all pay taxes (i.e.state grounds, public museum, etc,...).

I agree again with you when you stated that (paraphrased), "If folk want to fly in their yards, then that's their business.

Thanks again for listening.

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Dear Governor,

The Confederate Battle Flag had nothing to do with that atrocious act in Charleston. For you to link it is an act of opportunism and ignorance. I had high hopes for you. Best you not run for public office again in South Carolina. You will be disappointed by the results. You have no one to blame except yourself.

Sincerely,

Wayne [REDACTED]

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Dear Governor Haley

I would like to comment on the vicious act that took place in Charleston this last week. That is something that can not be condoned from any race of people and my heart goes out to those families whom lost loved ones because of the hatred of one individual.

But I would also like to comment on the decision and other government officials to remove the Confederate flag from where it now flies. If by removing the Confederate flag and placing it in a museum would stop all the racism and hatred that people say it causes I would be in 100% in favor of removing the flag but I know and you should know that it will not. There will be some people black and white on both sides that will approve and those like me that will disapprove. But once it is all said and done and the flag is removed the racism will continue. If by removing the confederate flag will cease all the hatred and racism and its going to be that simple and easy well then America should just remove our beloved American flag from our Capital and State Capitals, schools, places of business and our homes and then do you really think all our foreign enemies will lay down their arms and embrace us in peace, you know that's not going to happen. Taking down the Confederate flag you say it is the right thing for our state and if our government leaders decide that it is the correct thing to do you will be sadly mistaken, as this will be political suicide for a lot of our states politicians come election time. If you think this

is the right thing to do, to be fare about it lets ask the American Indians if they would feel better if we took down the American flag as it was flying when they were put on reservations and removed from their homeland and those poor people were really the true Americans. Our government did that because they disliked the American Indians and called them savages, do you not call that hate?

We have a double standard when it comes to how we believe and what we say.

Our President just the other day in his speech used the "N" word more than once and nothing was said. It seems that when black people use that word it is excepted and ok, but I'm sure if president Bush had said that word when he was President he would have been accused of being a racist and would have been made to apologize or even impeached.

You talk about stopping racism and hatred if we take down the Confederate flag and we have Rap music played across our air waves filled with filthy language and talking about killing cops, you don't call that hate. Since all the talk about removing the Confederate flag we hear comments about the KKK and how they are racist and have hatred in their organization toward the black race are you going to have them hand in all their white robes and put them in a museum. I haven't heard anything said about the Black Panthers organization being racist and hatred toward the white race, are you going to make them remove their black gloves and place them in a museum. No, and by taking down the Confederate Flag it's not going to solve a single thing.

The peoples businesses, peoples homes and police cars that were burned looted and destroyed in those cities of Ferguson, Mo. and Baltimore, Maryland did any have Confederate flags flying on them. Did their State Capital buildings or grounds have any Confederate flags flying on them? The answer is no! I hope that you will give this letter your attention and I pray you will even tho your mind is made up on the flags removal I felt from my heart I should write you.

I was born and graduated from high school in upstate New York before joining the Air Force where I served proudly also serving in Vietnam. After I was honorably discharged I decided to make my home here in South Carolina and very happy that I did. I would also like to add that I had ancestors that served in the Union Army that fought against the South. I know they fought and served for what they believed and the soldiers that fought and served for the south felt the same. The Confederate flag that they served under stood for heritage, pride and love that they had for their home land and it still stands for heritage, pride and love not hate. Most of the hate is fueled by the news media, until they mention the Confederate flag most people don't know its up there or have forgotten its up there. I ask that you and our other Governing officials reconsider and vote to leave the flag up. Thank You.

David 

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Gov. Haley,

I just had to try to contact you to let you know how much I, as a proud South Carolina retired citizen, am so proud of the way you have represented all of US this past week in what has to be the worst week of your administration. Your leadership along with most of our elected officials were spot on in what we need to do to improve race relations. I as a 71 year old have seen, and been a part of segregation practices, but I hope that with the grace that our President, You, and the families of the fallen have talked about, and the grace that God has given to us all, I have changed. I hope to be a better person, friend, Christian, and citizen of this great state.

Thanks again for your leadership,

Donnie Bowers

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Dear Governor Haley, I am one of the many, many concerned citizens of this country who is deeply saddened and disgusted by the way the tragedy in Charleston is being used by racists to attack the Confederate battle flag, and the illustrious memories of those who died fighting under it. That flag represents the heritage of the Southern people, and what is still a very poignant, important, and deeply personal symbol of culture, community, history, and pride for many who know and love it. I write now to urge you to stand with the dignity of those who gave their lives, the respect held by their descendants today, and the deep reverence and love which countless numbers of Southerners today see in this flag. The importance, for us as a community, a nation, and for the rights of us as citizens to have our flags fly, is enormous. I urge you to make sure that that flag does not come down.

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On June 19, 2015 9 Black lives were taken in a violent act at the Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church. The loss of those 9 lives become a much more tragic act when you combine the loss of those lives with the loss of the lives of the untold number of White Abolitionist who helped free the enslaved using the Underground Railroad, along with the loss of the lives of the Black freedmen and women who sacrificed their lives to returned from the north to the south to defy a separatist, unjust government to free others. As well as the approximately 620,000 lives given by the Union soldiers, including the all Black 54th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, to unite this country during the Civil War. During the civil rights era countless Americans of every nationality, and religion continued to die for the rights of others to share in the American dream of equality.

As Independence Day approaches Governor Nikki Haley stands on the precipice of history. If she decides to be the first elected official of South Carolina to remove the confederate flag from the capital building, she will end the darkest part of America's history and issue in a new, brighter era of liberty and justice for all.

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<http://therightscoop.com/lol-walmart-refused-to-make-a-cake-with-the-confederate-flag-but-happily-made-an-isis-cake/>

You've emboldened the communist left. They want to erase Americas history. They will not stop at this.

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Tell the governor nikki we want her leave OUR FLAG alone and stop trying to get votes off the backs of the dead take care of the business the voters sent her there for the CONFEDERATE FLAG NEVER killed anyone
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Dear Gov. Haley,

Thank you for the beautiful job keeping the respect for the families of those in Charleston. I pray for you and for the hard decisions you make daily. But I am sure some of the ones you've made lately have been quite harder than many you have ever faced. Im 45 so I remember learning about the flag and and how it came to represent our heritage. Gov.Haley In the most respect I possibly can. I ask please don't let the pushers and controlers take down the confederate flag! So much has happened in the past week but SC is not just a weak state with racist people. We love people and not all are haters. Please if it comes to it don't let them take our bibles and our freedom please!!!! I will continue to pray for you and that he gives you wisdom and strength. God bless you and your family,

Robin

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Is it true that you will meet with this piece of trash to discuss issues in SC??? It is bad enough that you embraced him at the funeral on Friday. A handshake would have been more than sufficient. IMany voters believe you have caved and want a chance to advance nationally after you leave the office of governor. I would like a reply to this letter. I voted for you twice but I must say I am extremely disappointed in how you have reacted.

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Dear Madam Governor,

I applaud your bravery in suggesting that the South Carolina flag drop the rebel, stars and bars from your state flag. I myself will not be visiting, or spending one cent of money in South Carolina until the flag has been changed. I do hope you have the courage and fortitude to be on the right side of history and complete this task.

Sincerely,

Christophe [REDACTED]

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I remember when president Obama was declared the best 'gun salesman'. You my dear, are now noted as being the 'best confederate flag saleswomen'. All the Flag stores are sold out of the confederate flag and have a huge list of backorders. Waiting lists for a flag! Imagine that. These stores must love you. I, personally would have never bothered to buy a confederate flag, just wasn't my thing. However, when you decided to get rid of a part of America, I decided to step up and defend her honor. I have ordered a hand-made confederate flag, which will cost \$350.00. Made by a southern lady in her own home. My god, people should send you a list of things that aren't selling well, so you can blacklist stuff and make people buy more of something they wouldn't have even thought about before. I bet Bacon is next on your list as to not offend muslims. What next Nicky.

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Thank you so much for your loud voice in support of removing the flag from the statehouse grounds. Please ignore those who disagree - the time has come and the momentum is here. You are clearly on the right side of history.

Sincerely,

Bill [REDACTED]

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dear governor haley,

i'm writing to express my support for your statement that the confederate flag should be taken down from the grounds of the south carolina state house. please put the full weight of your office behind this statement as you demand that the south carolina state legislature continue to take action on this issue. i know that i, and many others i'm sure across the country, am ready to boycott travel to south carolina or take other similar steps as needed to express our concern if the flag should continue to fly. i applaud you for calling for the removal of the confederate flag, and am grateful for your bravery in tackling this issue at this difficult time.

sincerely,

liz [REDACTED]
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I wanted to offer my comments for whatever they are worth into the conversation. I am a recent Yankee transplant and, frankly, have a hard time understanding the controversy over the Confederate battle flag. However, I do have a question:

It appears, quite obviously, that ISIS is attempting to change history by destroying antiquities as they march forward to establish their Caliphate. By eliminating the relics of the past they can deny the past had ever happened.

Now I ask, how does this differ from the Racial Zealots in the Country? You know the ones; they are demanding that the Confederate battle flag be lowered, not only in South Carolina, but everywhere throughout the land that it exists. Monuments to great generals and those commemorating the bravery, although misplaced, of the many who gave their lives for their belief are being defaced. In fact, I even read that certain forces want to ban "Gone with the Wind" because it represents the "old" South. Once all of these symbols are eliminated do we then say that the American Civil war and ergo slavery never took place?

Whether you believe the cause of the "war between the states" was based on States Rights or the abolition of Slavery is immaterial. This was a war between two competing ideas that resulted in the death of about 20% of the entire populations of Americans at the time. The final outcome resulted in the end of slavery for all time in America. A tragic time in our history for certain but it ended with a new morality for the nation that was beneficial to all especially to the Black Man.

You can never erase history nor judge those who fought in the war at the time by today's accepted norms. Condemn, if you will, the Founding Father for being slave owners but let's face it, slavery was an acceptable "norm" throughout the world in that era. What the American Civil war did was change the accepted norm. This should be celebrated not hidden from history. Don't try to change or eliminate history, let's celebrate the

evolution of American society.

I ask again, how do today's Racial Zealots differ from the Taliban or ISIS?

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as a native south Carolinian and veteran,may I propose letting the residents(not the outside extremist's)decide the faith of the confederate flag.put it to a vote.call me crazy but I thought our elected officials were there to do the bidding of the majority of south Carolinians.just because some crazed racist has done this horrible tragedy don't let that be a influence on trying to destroy everything southern.i lost 2 great,great,grandfathers in the civil war fighting for the confederacy(neither slave owners)and I am extremely proud of both of them and the flag they fought under.when tourist come to s.c. they look for remnants of the past like boone hall,fort sumter,and the flag.its something we all should embrace as our past,not be ashamed of it and try to hide it away in the remote corner of a museum.please listen to the majority of the people of your state.thank you.

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I applaud your courage. If the Confederate flag causes discomfort to any citizen, the compassionate, respectful action is to remove that offensive symbol. It takes nothing away from others who want to celebrate another view of the symbol.

I am a female; born and raised southerner from South Louisiana. My heritage is Cajun french, American Indian and European. I have lived in the four corners of the USA and also abroad. Tolerance is what my life has taught me and tolerance is what my late mother exhibited.

I commend you for your stance and courage.

I truly wish you could be a V.P. to Hillary Clinton whom I hope will be our first female President. You are an exemplary political figure.

Sincerely,

cathy [REDACTED]
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Governor, the shootings in Charleston were senseless acts of violence by one deranged individual. The Confederate flag did not have a choice in whether or not it was involved. The gun used was legally acquired. Let's not get involved in issues that are not going to fix the problem

Next up we ban the American flag like California school did when Mexicans complained

Al Sharpton and Jesse Jackson are nothing but racist opportunist. If they can exploit an issue and make a dollar they will. Look at the Tawana Bradley case and Al Sharpton. For you to hug him makes all he does to promote racial hatred legitimate. Would you have hugged David Duke in this same situation? President Obama's agenda is never let a crisis go to waste and he was there to exploit every opportunity to make race, gun control, and the Confederate flag the issue.

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Ronald Reagan exhorted the Russian leaders:"Take down the wall". In Germany it is a crime to publicly display the Swastica. The majority of Americans are offended by the flying in public of the Confederate flag. It reminds us of a time when blacks were enslaved. Flying a Confederate flag in a public place is a form of inflammatory speech. It should not be allowed by our governments.

Jean Saliman
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You lost my vote and many others when you failed to even respond to the loop hole that leaves our children uninsured. We as taxpaying legal citizens are required by the state to prove we are not eligible for Medicaid and wait for months for the Medicaid office to get off their lazy butts and issue letters of denial. This leaves our children un-insurable until deemed medicare denied. Now you and Obama jump on the bandwagon to desecrate our flag. Here's is who is behind the movement that you are so unaware of: We need a new governor. Southerners have always battled for the right to display Confederate colors to celebrate their regional heritage. But now there are liberal activists blatantly fighting to destroy Old Glory too!

Louis Farrakhan, leader of the Nation of Islam, said as much in comments after the Charleston, SC shooting in a predominantly black church.

"White folks march with you because they don't want you upset in the city," Farrakhan said during his delivery. "They don't give a damn about them nine. When they arrested that skunk .. they took him to the Burger King." This statement was construed from the fact that police brought the shooter a burger from the popular chain after he hadn't eaten for days during questioning. "Man just killed nine human beings, and you know what they were saying? 'You did a good job. Kill all them n*****!'" he added. That's when Farrakhan launched into a tirade against the American flag. "I don't know what the hell the fight is about over the Confederate flag! We need to put the American flag down because we've caught as much hell under that as the Confederate flag!" he said. "Who are we fighting today? It's the people that carry the American flag," Farrakhan continued. "What flag do the police have? What flag flies over the non-Justice Department? What flag flies over the White House?" The clearly misguided force behind the Nation of Islam and Farrakhan's beliefs are becoming a huge threat to the

basic right of flying our country's flag. How do you think conservative representatives should respond? How would you respond? Drop a comment below and tell us.

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Governor, I am writing you because I was born and raised in South Carolina, Greenville, and I am waiting for my wife to retire from the government so we can move back to Greenville. I believe that there is so much being brought on the confederate flag and I personally am a supporter of it but, the people of South Carolina need to be the ones to identify whether the flag should stay or be removed. As each legislature has been voted on to be in office, this is not one to be handled by mere thought but by action of the vote of the people. I personally have lost numerous family members in the civil war and am proud to be a South Carolinian. Please remember that this represents an extreme amount of thought and place this with the people to make this decision. I think I represent alot of folks when I say let the people say.

Thank you for your time.

James C. [REDACTED]

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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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Pamela [REDACTED]
Central, SC · Jul 07, 2015

Those of you who stood against that flag and the heritage of South Carolina citizens, against the wishes of the majority of its citizens have no right holding the offices that you hold. You are traitors to your state and to your constituents.

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Teresa N Don [REDACTED]
Easley, SC · Jul 07, 2015

It's heritage not hats...y'all trying to take everyones freedom away!

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Howie [REDACTED]
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Its unjust and illegal

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Keith [REDACTED]
Anderson, SC · Jul 07, 2015

These individuals are elected to represent "We the People", not their own political agenda...if it is of the importance that they claim it is, then let "We the People" vote on it ourselves, because the last thing these politicians have on their mind is the will and trust of their Constituents.

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Rebecca [REDACTED]
Easley, SC - Jul 07, 2015

Im signing because this is our heritage and our right just like any other flag is to anyone else that flies. You all know the real history of the flag, a few people use it wrong. But people use a lot of flags wrong.

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Your and Ga Gov. Deal's reactions to the shootings in SC are typical knee jerk reactions to the heinous event.

It's obvious to many you are a self serving politician and don't think things through before you act. There is NO causal connection between the CSA Flag and the event. The person is deeply mentally disturbed.

Your actions are a deeply felt insult to us that honor our ancestors that fought to protect their homes and not to maintain the evils of slavery.

You and Deal are part of the reason this country is loosing it's culture, mores and values that made it great. Very sad.

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all this time waisted on trying to disbar the american flag of the confederate states. I just wish some body would explain how, and why the confederate battle flag is considered "racist or offensive". As I understand it the only reason for the union army to band slavery was in order to enlist Africa Americans to there cause, and "Making them earn there freedom". Of course there is racial inclines from past issues with the confederate battle flag being misused and misunderstood with racial groups, but you should help educate and not dissipate our american History. american died under that flag for american rights, the same rights your fight for, and politicians like Nikki Haley try to propagate headlines and fame off of its controversy because of a picture someone took online. i do not understand it so maybe you could help me. thank you for your time and please respond.

we have had 52 "americans" arrested in connections with isis and were talking about the history of the south here?

again just trying to understand. thank you.

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The confederate flag should only be removed from the memorial if the people of the state of South Carolina vote to remove it. All over social media and the news you see comments to remove it. But, if you take a second to look you will find that almost all of those are people from another state. I was talking to one guy all the way in California. He knew so much about this subject and what we in South Carolina should do about it. I asked him to tell me exactly which flag we are talking about and where is it flying. His answer was the Confederate States of America flag and it is flying on the Capitol in Charleston. Wrong on both counts yet he knows exactly what we should do. Confederate veterans were given veterans status by congress in 1958. They are veterans no different from any other veteran. What happens when Japanese-Americans become offended by the statue of the flag being raised at Iwo Jima. Do we remove that too? People that want to see hate will find it any where. My Great Grandfather and his brother fought for the CSA. Neither one of them or their family ever owned slaves. For that reason I see no hate in that flag. I see my ancestors defending this state. Is that not worth a memorial to them and all the rest that were not fighting for hate but to defend their state and family. This one issue will decide my vote and how I encourage my entire family to vote when the next election comes around. There is no reason why a vote on this subject would not be fair. Let the majority rule. And I wish you would explain to me how a flag can generate so much hate yet right around the corner from it there is the African American history monument. A monument that has scenes showing slaves being sold and worked in fields. Some how these don't generated that hate even though they show the very things that some folks say the flag represents. This issue will not go away until any trace of that war is erased. First it had to come off the dome. That was fine with me. It really shouldn't have been there anyway. But now it's got to go away from the memorial. Mark my words if it is removed the next thing will be removing the memorial. If you don't think that's what will happen then you are not as smart a lady as I thought you were. Have you noticed that almost every picture of the flag is taken a such

an angle that is looks like it's near the dome and huge. How about you guys releasing a photo that shows the size of it in relation to the statehouse.

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Not as a South Carolina resident, but as an American who respects the Constitution, freedom and legal procedures, I just want to let you know I was very disappointed in you succumbing to the liberal attacks in your decision to remove the Confederate flag without taking the matter to the vote to the people of South Carolina. We, the people, are tired of a minority of big mouths, funded by big bucks, and covered by the liberal media as heroes, destroying everything they do not like by attacking those who disagree with them, and those in power who could stop them legally, do not. Very sad to see your response of so quickly giving into opponents in this matter.

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Dear anti-White self hater governor Haley,

I'm writing to express my outrage at the removal of the Confederate flag. By doing what you have done, you have spit in the faces of and disrespected the descendants & memories of every soldier who died fighting for the Confederacy in the civil war, shame on you.

Sincerely,

Patricia [REDACTED]
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How can it possibly happen that after a week of this horror , someone takes the stupid flag down and a hour later it is raised again . This is APPALLING . Who in Gods name could be so stupid to run another flag back up .? No I don't live in So Carolina , but that doesn't mean that I can't have an opinion on this very serious issue . You people need to get a grip on reality real quick . I imagine that you are very close to crossing over many federal laws .

If you're not getting it , here's the truth : throughout history , conquered people don't get to keep their icons , flags etc . You have to give them up . It was over more than 200 years agin. Get over it

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Recently sent an email regarding my concern with respect to the confederate flag flying over state capitol. It now seems most appropriate to commend you for your courage and thoughtfulness in requesting that the flag be taken down. Kudos, governor!

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Aside from the obvious racist reasons, why would any proud American fly a loser's flag? We Yankees stomped the life out of your Confederacy 150 years ago. Why would you want to hold onto that symbol of losing? Since when do we celebrate losers over winners? Germany did away the Swastika when they were decimated. I would hang my head in shame.

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Dear Governor Haley,

The American flag is considered to be just as symbolic of racism, has been flown in foreign wars, and is considered to be a symbol of hatred.

Since the call for the removal of the Confederate flag is being met with calls for removal, and even from governors, when do we remove the American flag? It's NEXT, and since you, as well as other governors have caved on the Confederate flag, which by the way, has KILLED NOONE. The kid who murdered those people in the church was deranged. He was going to go to a college campus and murder as many as possible. The college and the church are GUN FREE zones, where the only person who has a gun, is the criminal, the mentally unstable person who is ignored, or not taken seriously when they talk about doing such things as he did before murdering the church goers.

I' am originally from Illinois, however I have been here for 38 years, and consider myself to be a Southerner. I have PERSONALLY EXPERIENCED more racism in Illinois, then I have in Georgia. I moved to GA with my family in 1977. I was 12 at the time.

In Illinois, My brother and I were chased by a group of blacks because one of them thought my brother tried to trip him while in school. My brother's feet stick out because they naturally go right and left when he walks and sits. I was bullied on a playground by a black boy, and a bigger black kid would bully ne in school.

Our RACIST IN THIEF Barack HUSSEIN Obama, and the NOT A REVEREND Al Sharpton are race baiting

so to fulfill their agenda.

You have caved to removing the Confederate flag, what happens when the calls for the removal of the American flag are taken up by more liberals? The flags are a symbol of freedom, and heritage, not a symbol of hate.

If the Confederate flag is removed, will you also remove the American flag?

Thank you,

Jim [REDACTED]

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Sorry i cannot address you as Honorable because you are a disgrace But Governor Haley

I and the citizens of South Carolina fully expect you to do your job and fully press charges against the 2 buffoons that broke the law and removed the Confederate flag. I know you are a coward but its your job to protect ALL property of the state. They should be charged with hate crimes just like the young college student at Ole Miss who simply hung a noose around a statue. He was a young kid that thought he was only being funny. These 2 idiots were grown adults that knew better. Do your job and make sure the property of your state is respected regardless of your cowardly views on the Confederate flag.

You are disgusting hugging on Al SHarpton and only proving your worth to the great citizens of SC. I should thank you for bring all Confederate supporters together like we have not been in years. Neither you or the government will ever tell us we can not honor our ancestors. America will burn first.

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The governments problem solving capabilities never cease to amaze me. You really thing taking the confederate flag off the state house grounds will improve race relations? Now instead of one flag hanging on the memorial where it is seen by a small percentage of the the people, you now have the flag flying on half the trucks in my county for everyone to see. Great plan. Education is the only hope to improve race relations, that and for people to get their minds out of fields they have never served in. Was slavery right? Of course not. But less than 2% of Americans owned slaves at the peak of slavery and some of those owners were black. The Jewish people have been the most hated race since time began but they have risen above it to become some of the most successful people on the planet. If their minds were still stuck in the bondage of Egypt or in the gas chambers of Germany I suspect this would have never happened. Instead of making t shirts and billboards saying "We shall overcome", they went out and overcame. Education and motivation to succeed are the only answers to this issue. Our "President" only continues to divide us and until real leaders come forward, the country will continue to decline. We have a lot of rights in this country Gov Haley, but the right not the be offended isn't one of them.

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Keep that Confederate flag flying; that is part of our history! The flag did not kill; a demented person did. Killings happen all over the country and not because of a flag, but by a disturbed person or persons. Removing the flags from flying or being sold in stores is not going to stop one killing! What's next...demolish Stone Mountain in Atlanta because Jeff Davis is there, tear down the Lee Mansion in Arlington because Robt. E. was a confederate general. This country is getting out of hand with protests and demands. Political correctness started this country on the decline. Guns don't kill; people with guns do. Didn't we learn anything from prohibition and other gun laws; "the bad guys" don't abide by the law. I feel sorry for future generations who will not know what a great country this once was, only now a government of whimps. We are headed for another Civil War fueled by the White House, the Supreme Court and all the other spineless government agencies who are afraid to take a stand for our country's history. Educate people about the flag, the war, the south, but don't destroy the history that surrounds it! The south should be proud of their heritage, not embarrassed by it.

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Governor Haley,
 Please remove the flag. Do S.C. an enormous good and stand for integrity!
 Thank You
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I would if you could like something explained to me. Why are you blaming the flag for something a man has done? The flag is a sign of our country's history, by taking it down due to the action of a mentally touched man is a huge slap in the face to every man and woman who fought then and now! Our history is what makes us the greatest country in the world. In Germany they hide their history.. is your State going to do the same? It's not history's fault what happened to those Christians... it's one man's rant!! I am a Christian myself if a African American did this to a white church I would not blame the slave traders who brought their ancestors here why are you blaming the flag that represents my heritage? And one question.. you say it's time for that flag to come down.. when are you gonna say it's time that the flag my for father's and myself have served to defend? It's part of history is it not? I really would like a answer to my questions..

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Well you started a storm so tell me if this is acceptable to you. http://www.ijreview.com/2015/06/354979-walmart-not-make-customer-confederate-themed-cake-bake/?utm_source=email&utm_campaign=morning-newsletter&utm_medium=owned

The flag of the most hateful, prejudice group of people in the world, who own both white and black slaves, currently, yet haven't heard a word from you or the rest of the cronies in the SC government on banning this. You have proven that political gain is more important than heritage. Never said governor don't take the flag down but don't deny the heritage and importance that the confederate flag represents. I am sure by now you have seen many or heard their statements either on the internet or tv of the blacks that were offended that you took it down. Many of these blacks had relatives in the Confederate army that were paid pensions at the end of the war. But now we have progressive liberalism in SC banning our heritage but allowing the most hateful flag to fly freely. I take it we have no 1st Amendment in SC or at least you and your state reps and senators have made that statement with your actions. Remember that Ernest Hollings a Demoncrat was the one who placed the flag on the state grounds. So you need to ban not only all the hate flags that are being flown but the Demoncrats as well since they are the ones who promote all of this race and hate baiting.

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

Date: 7/7/2015 10:33:06 AM

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, The killing of those people in the AME church has no bearing on the monument honoring the soldiers who died in the Confederacy. The church members spoke of 'forgiveness' for the murderer yet shout "HATE" for a flag that had no bearing on the murders! How can you support the removal of a flag from a monument just because some people use it as a symbol of racism? What about the flag of the USA which flew over slavery for 85 years before the South choose to succeed from the Union? What will you do when that flag is called a symbol of hatred? Whether or not you support the Southern History, you cannot change the past! You can only teach it truthfully and pray to not repeat it or you can deny it and try to hide it and change it. And when you do the latter, you condemn your children to a worse fate when slavery comes back again. And the cycles of history will come back if you do not speak the truth and learn from it. I will stand for the truth over your lies and attempts to cover up or deny what my forefathers fought and died for in the past! You can remember the past or your children will experience it in the future when through ignorance the events of the past is repeated. R.J. [REDACTED] 843 [REDACTED]

On Monday, July 6, 2015 12:25 PM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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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The protestors that removed the symbol of racism and oppression have more guts than any of the Republican politicians in your state. THEY TOOK ACTION LIKE YOU SHOULD HAVE. Act like a Governor not some demagogue running for reelection.

Respectfully,
 Mark [REDACTED]
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Good afternoon,

Ma'am/sir, hello,

My name is Alyssa [REDACTED] I am emailing you on the behalf of the Confederate Flag. I know people are protesting all over saying the flag symbolizes hate, when to me and a lot of supporters standing with me, all think differently. The act that Dylann Roof committed was his own beliefs, not everyone else's that support the flag. This really bothers me that so many people want to get rid of a piece of our history. 260,000 men, women and children died for us. There is as much white blood on the Confederate Flag as there is Black blood. Racism will never go away and there's nothing that anyone can do about it. People will judge us until the day we die. Taking that flag away is like saying that the soldiers died in vain. Society is getting bad and I will not stand for it. I am not going away anytime soon. I will fight for what I believe in. I am 15 years old, yes I'm young but I am proud of my heritage and smart as hell. I can have y'all's support behind me too or you can sit back and watch me win this by my self. Either way I will not give up and I will not go away. I will email and contact you everyday if I have to, until I get it through peoples head that the flag does not symbolize racism hate or what ever their protesting against it for. Its a proud part of the South's heritage and I will get it back. If that boy that contributed to that act at that church had been gay. Would being gay all of a sudden be illegal to? He made that choice to shoot them on his own. No one influenced him. That flag didn't shoot all those people and that gun didn't do it either. He pulled that trigger. What his beliefs of the flag is what he believes not what the rest of the people that support the Confederate

Flag believe. Understand what I'm getting at? His horrific choice to shoot all those innocent people had nothing to do with the flag. Another thing that connects to all of this that really yurts me, is the fact that every time an African American gets shot by a white person, it gets blown way out of proportion and gets labeled as a racist act, but when an African American shoots a white person, no one says a thing. It don't get spread all over the news and we don't riot. Ma'am/sir, I am not a racist, by no means do I look at color. If my best friend was born purple, I wouldn't care, and I wouldn't treat them any different. We may be different color's but we all bleed red and came from a woman. I am not trying to offend anyone, all we want is the flag back to where it belongs. I get called a "dumb redneck" everyday. but it don't faze me because I believe in what I'm fighting for. I do not give a hoot about who I make mad. Sir/ma'am, if I may, excuse my language, but most of the south is really pissed of right now, and it's not aimed just at you. I know that a lot of politicians have a bad name in history. Do you want to be known as the "spineless coward" and the person that disappointed the south? Which is what people are calling every Southern Governor that removed anything related to the Confederate Flag, all over social media, by the way. You may not care what people think, but you can still help make a difference. I'm going to fight and do everything I can to get the Confederate Flag back, and you can stand behind me or be the Coward who did nothing, as you are labeled now, but I will make a change. One more thing, why wait almost 200 years for people to start complaining about it ? With what all the South's been through and they want to say all those horrible comments and protest the flag that symbolizes the soldiers' that died for us? They might as well protest the American flag to, Slave owners flew the American Flag too. Just saying, sir/ma'am. Thank you for your time. Have a blessed day.

Sincerely,
Alyssa [REDACTED]

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I WILL NEVER VOTE FOR YOU AGAIN , FOR ANY OFFICE THAT YOU RUN FOR!!!!!!!!!!!! THE
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I put this under Education since the NPS is lacking it. Governor Haley, your initiative to remove the Battle Flag from the Statehouse grounds has steamrolled past what I hope even you wanted. The Fort Sumter National Monument is the perfect spot for historical flags. The Battle Flag does not fly over the fort, only the flags from the Confederacy that actually flew over the fort (South Carolina, First National and Second National) and the two US flags that did.

I would hope that you would agree that is appropriate and speak out and say so. Your influence shouldn't be to support white washing all Confederate history, especially at the one location in the nation specifically associated with the war.

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 Subject: Remove The Offensive Cloth Symbol of Hate From Your State Building

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What does a 150 year old cloth relic representing racial oppression and hate have to do with the precepts of democracy in 2015? This offensive symbol of racial hatred does not belong near any government building in the United States. I am a white person who would never come to South Carolina because I am afraid of a state government that supports racial hatred symbolized through the confederate flag. I would never feel free and comfortable in any state that continues to symbolically cherish and promote the ugly history of racial violence, oppression, and terrorism. The confederate flag represents slavery, lynching, rape, oppression, and unchecked hate. The people in your state should realize that others in America see the confederate flag as a symbol of lynching, killing, and rape the same as the current terrorist groups in the Middle East behead and rape people as a means of terrorizing, intimidating, and taking away the freedom to live peacefully. It is an ethical hypocrisy for any government entity in the US to cherish a symbol of ongoing hate and oppression while promoting the concept of freedom and democracy in other countries. How is democracy honored by giving this symbol space in any government building? Our government is of the people (all people), by the people (all people), and for the people (all people). The ugly and hateful confederate flag only represents a certain group and type of people. It has no place adorning a government building that is supposed to represent all people. The confederate flag is a symbol of a hateful history that needs to be respectfully put to rest. Your state teaches its own children and those of us outside of the state that the South Carolina concepts of democracy and freedom include state sanctioned oppression, violence, and intimidation. I'm sure your state has pretty scenery, but I would be afraid to cross into your borders. Especially since I am white and my husband is Asian. Your state seems to have many people who relish brandishing a symbol that epitomizes racial hatred and oppression. For the health and wellbeing of the children in your state, please remove this hateful symbol. In our democracy, people can practice their hatred and racism privately at home. The government should not participate in these practices. Hiding behind the supposed

ideals of "honoring the past" and "honoring traditions" ring hollow when we look at the continued racial violence in the US and when we look globally at how these supposed ideals are used to promote violence, war, murder, and rape. Change needs to happen. Please move your state and your people forward.

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Dear Governor Haley,

I am a native of Kingstree and descended from a long line of South Carolinians who served SC in both the Revolutionary War and the Civil War. My great great grandfather and other family members died fighting for SC under the battle flag of the Army of Northern Virginia. I have always believed that the battle flag should be used only in a historical or memorial context. I lament its being misappropriated by hate groups (the most notorious of which also used the US flag and the Christian cross) and also its use in popular culture for things like beach towels or car decals. I did not agree with the flag flying over the state house as I understood that it was there to represent opposition to civil rights. I supported the move of the flag to fly beside the memorial to the men and boys who died fighting for SC in the Civil War. I understand that flying the flag every day is an issue for many people, however, taking it down and heaping it with the sort of scorn we have seen since that terrible shooting in Charleston is also an issue for many of us. It is as if all the sins of racism and slavery in this country are being all too conveniently assigned solely to those who fought for the Confederacy alone. People forget that slavery was legal in every state for some time. Slavery had a foundation in the US Constitution as well as that of the CSA. Slavery existed under the US flag for approximately 80 years. Those ships carrying kidnapped or purchased Africans on that terrible voyage across the Atlantic did not fly the Confederate flag but rather the US flag or those of Great Britain, Portugal, Spain, France or the Netherlands. Slave owners and abolitionists fought in both armies and truth be told most people of the time were white supremacists (including President Lincoln). Most of the country at one time supported and benefited in some way from slavery not just the South. Most of the men and boys who fought in the Confederate army did not own slaves and never would. Accordingly, I believe that the flag should continue to be flown on the State House grounds by the Confederate

Memorial but only once a year on Memorial Day. To do otherwise will dishonor those men who died for South Carolina and tell their descendants that South Carolina does not appreciate their sacrifice. Make no mistake, this wholesale assault on the men who fought for the Confederacy is part of the modern US culture war and those who would not accept the flag being flown on Memorial Day do not care about those of us who appreciate the sacrifices those men made. It is an effort to denigrate the South and Southerners. Those martial traits that were significantly forged during the Civil War have served our country well in every war since as Southerners have disproportionately served in the military. To scorn those traditions now, which is what many seem intent on doing would be a mistake. I hope that you will reconsider your position and advocate the use of the flag for memorial as well as historical purposes. Thank you for your consideration of my comments. I recognize that this is a difficult issue and I hope you and the legislature make the right decision-one that considers and honors the view of the Battle Flag of the Army of Northern Virginia held by all South Carolinians.

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I have always supported you. However, your response on the flag was like the rest across the country, an emotional knee jerk reaction. I am sure that you have heard all the fuss about removing all confederate monuments. The mayor of Memphis has spoken about digging up Gen. Nathan Forrest's remains, who was a confederate general! Do you think that the likes of John Lewis in Washington and Jim Clyburn will be satisfied with just removing the flag? Have you been listening? David Beasley made the same mistake that you have. Do not count on my support for any future political endeavors. Why not at least call for a referendum and let the people decide?

Sincerely
Dr. Ken [REDACTED]

Sincerely
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http://www.al.com/opinion/index.ssf/2015/06/black_veteran_a_son_of_the_sou.html

Please take time to read this web message from a Black Marine who served in Iraq !! It's not just the Confederate Battle Flag they all want to take but all of the monuments and anything to do with the Confederate history !! I'm so sorry for what happened in Charleston , but you can't take away part of history to stop hate !! If removing that flag would stop racism fine , but it's not going to stop there ...Just like the Marine said , they're destroying hundred year old Christian monuments in Iraq .because they offended them ... please don't start that here !!

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As a proud and active member of our society, I am highly disappointed in your decision about a flag that so many people died over. It's not about race until YOU decided it was. Who are you to try and take away a piece of American history. You are a just a spokeswoman for your state.. The people of your state have turned against you.. Good Job. Go screw something else up..

Sincerely, Joshua Charles [REDACTED]
 Voting member of the Great State of Georgia
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If the Confederate flag comes down even the monuments and road names what will be done about the African American monument? If we are erasing history. Erase both. Be fair to everyone.

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I am a registered South Carolina voter. Since you have called for the removal of the Confederate Battle Flag from The monument to South Carolina's Confederate Dead at the Statehouse in Columbia you have lost my vote. Thank You.

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Subject: Confederate Flag

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Why remove the battle flag? It is part of the South's history. Although I am not from S.C. I was stationed there for 4 years and I was very pleased with the culture and the people there. It seems more important now to rid the state of any and all hate groups in all states. We are forgetting our past and our heritage. I return to S.C. from time to time not because I want to see how much you are acting like New Yorkers but until now you were still friendly and proud of your history. You do have other important issues to address like rampant drug use, and used needles in the parks and tourist areas of your major cities. Ex the battery in Charleston. Thank you for your time.

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Governor Halley would you please tell me by which flag was the slaves under if you don't know it was the red white and blue I had ancestors that died for the confederate flag you say what ever you have to so you will get elected shame on you God will judge you for that what are you going to do when ISIS wants us to take down the American flag and what did the confederate flag have to do with the murders of those Christian people you could have wore the flag out before it could hurt someone enough said we all are like sheep led astray
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Want to thank you for your action to help move our nation forward to increased greatness by removing the flag.
SC is the new role model from which we all can learn.

(No drop down option for positive comments,)
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THE FLAG BEING FLOWN OVER YOU STATE HOUSE IS A BATTLE FLAG. WE NEED TO PUT UP
 THE REAL CONFEDERATE FLAG, THE ONE WITH SEVEN STARS ON A FIELD OF BLUE AND RED
 AND WHITE STRIPES. IF ANY ONE COMPLAINS, TELL THEM IT IS THE FLAG OF OUR COUNTRY
 FOR THE YEARS WHEN WE WERE NOT PART OF THE NORTHERN STATES.

THANK YOU
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Dear Governor Haley:

I have a suggestion for your states dilemma with flying the CSA battle flag at the state capitol. South Carolina's part in American history is being the secessionist state, and in firing the first shot in the War of Northern Aggression (as we southerners like to call the first assault on the US Constitution over states rights - AKA Civil War.) Take that proud heritage and use it to your advantage! Simply replace the battle flag with the 1st CSA national flag at the state capital! Problem solved. No one finds the first national flag of the confederacy offensive, and your heritage makes it politically correct.

Hope this helps you heal the rift in you your state.

With warm regards,

Col R E [REDACTED]
 SC resident 1982 - 2012
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I am a retired SC Deputy Sheriff. My brother Ned [REDACTED] an amature musician. He just wrote a song called Battle Flag. I think it is his best and it sums up how I and I think how the Governor feel about the issue. It is posted on you tube. Just type in Ned Hartley Battle Flag. I think the Governor will like the song. Please show it to her.

Respectfully John [REDACTED]
 Barnwell SC

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PqMQdMODUCQ>
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I want to write to you about three items, The first is the two SCOTUS decisions last week. The first dealt with Obamacare. This is such a bad law hurting businesses and people. It is my hope that S.C. will continue to do whatever is possible to fight this law and to support our congressmen and senators in trying to repeal this law. I don't know how much you can do on the state level, but I also feel this law is an infringement on states rights. The second is the ruling on gay marriage. My religious beliefs are against this, but since the court has ruled on this there is little more that can be done. I'm hoping that as a state, you and the state legislature will work towards protecting our religious freedoms, that those who oppose gay marriage based on their religious beliefs will not be punished if they refuse to do business with a gay couple. There are to many stories out there of people who have lost their businesses because they took a stand based on their religious beliefs. We need to be protected from frivolous law suites that can destroy their lives.

The last is the Confederate Flag. I have mixed feelings about moving it. The men and women who fought for the Confederacy did so for something they believed in and they deserve the recognition. I feel the memorial on the statehouse grounds is appropriate. Our history isn't always pretty, but it needs to be recognized and taught. I'm disgusted and disturbed by this race to hide all signs of the Confederacy. I say we need to do the opposite, we need to be teaching the history of the civil war and what the Confederacy stood for, the good and the bad. So I say please, lets all step back and take a deep breath and look at this appropriately. Lets find a way to take this back from the hate groups.

Thank you for all you do for S.C. I have the upmost respect for you!
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Perhaps someone in the governor's office will take time to explain the Governor's thoughts on the Confederate flag. I find no logic in her decision, only emotion. Does she believe that removing the Confederate flag from near the monument will take away the hate web sites used by the shooter in Charleston? The six people were killed by a gun, not by a flag. Will she next go after guns and the gun lobby? My nature is to be a bit suspicious of the governor's motives and wonder if this is not more about her future and national political image. Removing the flag will not solve the causes of the tragic event in Charleston.

When the Governor spoke out about the renaming of Tillman Hall at Clemson, I assumed that she understood the big picture which is about changing history. After a flag resolution, there will be something else. There is no pleasing these people who have been taught to hate.

Thanks for your reply.

Mike [REDACTED]
 Taylors SC
 June 29, 2015

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Cc:

Subject: 100 more people signed "South Carolina State House, South Carolina State Senate, South Carolina Governor: DEMAND THE NAACP RESCIND THEIR "ODIOUS BLIGHT ON THE U RESOLUTION BEFORE ANY DEBATE ON REMOVING THE SC CONFEDERATE VETERANS MEMORIAL FLAG."

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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.

South Carolina State House, South Carolina State Senate, South Carolina Governor: DEMAND THE NAACP RESCIND THEIR "ODIOUS BLIGHT ON THE UNIVERSE" RESOLUTION BEFORE DEBATE ON REMOVING THE SC CONFEDERATE VETERANS MEMORIAL FLAG.

Petition by Lunelle [REDACTED] 100 supporters

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Danny [REDACTED]
Seneca, SC · Jul 07, 2015

There are many reasons for signing: First, the people of SC should vote on this. Second, the sheeple need to pick up a "true" history book, and quit believing what they're taught by these Northern p editorials.

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Becky [REDACTED]
Concord, NC · Jul 07, 2015

*****I DO *****NOT**** WANT *****MY CONFEDERATE FLAG TAKEN DOWN*****!!!! IT IS *****MY HERITAGE *****!!!!!!?

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Danny [REDACTED]
Marshall, TX · Jul 07, 2015

Leave the heritage flag up

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shaw [REDACTED]
Dallas, TX · Jun 07, 2015

American history Southern flag IS

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anthony
Bristol, 07, 2015

Its not right to be so disrespectful to the ones who fought for a great cause under this battle flag a flag that does not and has not ever represented hate

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Honorable Governor Haley,

I have supported the Republican party my entire life, supporting you specifically as I felt our values were closely related. I would like to express my disappointment of removing the flag from the statehouse. I will say upfront that it isn't the flag being removed that upsets me, it is that by doing so, it will not accomplish "the racist issues" that some seem to believe the flag represents. The flag is now down, myself and others are now waiting for the other "racist barriers" to start being removed. If the flag is representative of racism, is not the NAACP, the United Negro College Fund, the Black USA pageants basically standing for the same ideas, which to me, call for a division leading to "racism"? Is white not a color? I would like for one of my state representatives to encourage these groups to be disbanded and we stop labeling and targeting groups who can only be black to compete, be a member or benefit from the organization because of the fact that they are black. The elimination of color barriers requires cooperation from all colors. Understanding and tolerance of past history which cannot be changed but can be a guide for all of us to learn and become a truly united country. Thank you for your time and attention. God bless South Carolina and our entire nation.

Respectfully,

Sharon [REDACTED]
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Realizing that this is getting out of hand, even though I support the flag, I would see it taken down at this time. But maybe a compromise might appease the majority of those who will fight for it to stay. Replace the flag with the original battle flag of South Carolina which was the thirteen star flag that was used at the beginning at Fort Sumter. Still having a battle flag, but removing the one the Klu Klux Klan was known for, may finally relax the people trying to start trouble. Thank you for your consideration.

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 Subject: Why Did Governor Haley stab us in the backs?

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Governor Haley told us on the Friday news coverage that she would not "do this to the people of South Carolina" and then she turned on us 3 days later and agreed with one group of people who threaten every bit of our Southern Spirit Heritage.

Since she consented to do this act the very group that hijacked our state has let her know that she will not be given credit for it, and;

1. Mississippi is being attacked over their state flag
2. Georgia is being attacked over their state flag
3. Alabama's governor removed the flags from outside the Confederate Memorial on State Capitol grounds.
4. The program from the 80's called "The Dukes of Hazzard" is being attacked.....30+ years later.
5. Walmart, Kmart/Sears, flag makers, Valley Forge Flag Works, Dixie Flag Works etc.have removed flag merchandise.....And Yet.....
6. Walmart iced a cake with the ISIS flag all the while refusing to ice a cake with the Confederate Battle Flag.....
7. You had one lunatic climb the flag pole to forcefully remove the flag.....

8. She has considered removing one reason that the people in South Carolina were just that, "The people of South Carolina who are known for friendliness.....because of Heritage and Tradition".

A. We in South Carolina voted for Mrs. Haley to be our Governor.....We In South Carolina Voted For Her.....We Voted For Her.....We Did.....

B. We love Our Flag and we want it to stay where it is.

Thank you,

Lynn [REDACTED]
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Call me and confirm receipt

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Dear Governor,

I remember watching you speak at the Republican National Convention and I remarked I would vote for her for President. Recently you have gained attention and in fact started a whole movement of craziness to remove the Confederate flag from your capital and now everywhere. People are even speaking of digging up soldier's graves. I can no longer support you running for President I'm very sorry to say. I am Native American and also a Veteran. Born and raised in the south and never once thought of hatred in my soul. It is a mental health issue and I implore you and the rest of the public officials to tackle the true issue. Thank you.

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Subject: Removing Confederate flag from State House grounds

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Thank you so much for your critical leadership in asking the legislature to remove the Confederate flag from the State House grounds. I appreciate your responding promptly, your working in cooperation with Republicans and Democrats, and the eloquence of your remarks at the press conference. I believe your initiative will help heal and unify the people of our great state.

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

Cc:

Subject: 10 more people signed "South Carolina Governor: Defend the soldiers who died for your state by respectfully leaving the Confederate battle flag their to honor both black and white soldiers who fought for your state"

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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.

South Carolina Governor: Defend the soldiers who died for your state by respectfully leaving the Confederate battle flag their to honor both black and white soldiers who fought for your state

Petition by **Kolten [REDACTED]** 10 supporters

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Laurie [REDACTED]
Landrum, SC · Jul 07, 2015

It's my heritage

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Trisha [REDACTED]
WAHIAWA, HI · Jul 06, 2015

I believe it is part of our History..

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iris [REDACTED]
Middletown, OH · Jul 06, 2015

i was born in the south and my heart will always be in dixie!!!!!!!!!!!!

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Kathie [redacted]
Grottoes, VA · Jul 06, 2015

Politicians need to leave what is left of our history alone. This flag is not one of hate, racism, or bigotry, but of heritage and history!

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Flo [redacted]
Montgomery, AL · Jul 04, 2015

I believe in honoring both black & white soldiers that fought for their state. Governor do the right thing. Stop making this about politics so that you can win votes. Why can't people let this go.? Stop bringing up the past and learn from it. You can't change history.

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

Dear Governor Haley,

I do appreciate you responding to my email. I am honored for you to do so. I do understand that there are some who view the Confederate flag as a negative symbol, however, I can assure you that the majority of South Carolinians and Southerners in general do not hold this view, both Black and White. The flag is an honored reminder of our struggles as a state. Whites and Blacks both served in the Confederate armed forces.

There are many symbols that I and many others find offensive (sic. the Rainbow flag of the LGBT, Black Power Flag, Etc.) but I feel they have the right to display these symbols.

I view the actions taken to remove the Confederate Flag is misguided and appears to yield to actions of progressives revisionist historians as well as the wishes of only a few. Our country and state governments were established to represent the desires of the majority of the citizens as a representative form of government and not as a "minocracy." To remove the flag and further marginalize our history as a people and a state will cause nothing but further division and animosity among our citizens.

I urge you to reconsider your decision. Perhaps a compromise would be to fly one of the Confederate National Flags instead of the Battle Flag or Naval Jack.

Respectfully,

[REDACTED]

On Mon, Jul 6, 2015 at 12:23 PM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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

Dear Governor Haley

I think you see the world through rose-colored glasses.

Removing the confederate flag will not solve the racial problems. If you watched the news a mob of blacks attacked a white man and beat him unconscious. The fourth-of- July brought nine shot dead and 53 wounded in Chicago. A black guy ripped the confederate flag off the back of a truck in moving traffic.

I remember Baltimore not too long ago. The mayor stood down the police and ordered not to intervene and allowed the crowd to destroy millions of dollars of property.

What this country needs is education, jobs and reduce the welfare programs.

I have served in the military in South Carolina and I am proud of it and I don't like what is happening now in this state.

Thank you.

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 10:09 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

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I'm offended that everyone is offended by something.

I'm offended that because I'm a white male, people automatically classify me as privileged, regardless of knowing where I've come from or what I've been through. I'm offended that our First Amendment has turned into freedom of speech [just as long as it doesn't hurt anyone's feelings]. I'm offended that people assume I'm racist because I believe in economic development by way of Capitalism and a free-market economy.

I'm offended that people who are too afraid to ask for food stamps, disability, or unemployment (because they don't want a handout) are probably the ones who could use it most, yet the majority of recipients who do in fact receive handouts abuse their "privilege" and continue to make frivolous purchases.

I'm offended that people care more about taking down an outdated Confederate flag but don't get riled up when their American flag is being burned in the street. I'm offended that people care more about blocking homosexuals from getting married than fixing their own, broken and unstable, heterosexual marriages. I'm offended that fast food workers get paid more than my soldiers yet still expect to get paid more than nurses.

I'm offended by people who claim how offended they are, while they do nothing but gripe about it on their phones or laptops, when they could be writing or calling their respective representatives to actually get something accomplished. I'm offended by the lack of initiative, hard work, and tenacity in this country. I'm offended by complainers who pity themselves and just want to take as much as they can. I'm offended by those who have in fact "made it" yet are too rude to give back to the communities in which they've come from.

I'm offended by people who vote for a person based on the party they represent, the race or gender, age or a religion of a candidate. instead of how the candidate proposes to address each issue, respectively. I'm offended by people who aren't open-minded and think they're always right, no matter what. I'm offended by people who don't listen and read and legitimately try to understand unfamiliar concepts before brushing them off. I'm offended of what our country has become.

I don't claim to know solutions to these issues. eventually maybe we will. I just pray that we can one day change our country for the better. And hope that our offenses can turn into progress.

-Jordan [REDACTED]
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Hello Governor,

I am a native Charlestonian, so I have been aware of the heated debate over the confederate flag for years. I was hoping I could suggest a compromise. I was disappointed to see that Fort Sumter has even removed the flag. Fort Sumter IS a museum. So, the compromise I am suggesting is the original Confederate flag, not the battle flag everyone associates with hate groups. Use the original flag of the 3 stripes and the circle of stars. It could be used at the State House memorial as well. I wanted to attach a picture, but this format would not allow it.

Thank you for your time,
Katie [REDACTED]

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The Confederate flag had nothing to do with the shooting. But all the black want to do is to claim this. The state fell into the trap. Now are you going to change all the school books or history books. To say this never happen. How about change the history books to show that the North came down and stole the land and business from the South. A.Lincoln did nothing to stop this. There were people that didn't own any black but there land was taken. If you and the reat bent down to this,then the black got you where they want you. What next, Mexicana or ISIS want you take down the American flag. Then the question will you do it.

I just hope you or the other leader was not born in the South. Because all of you just DISGRACE your whole family and the people that was born in the South.

Why don't you and the leader look around you,because the CONFEDERATE FLAG is going up everywhere.
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Dear Governor Haley:

I take issue with your recent stance on removal of the Confederate flag from the Capitol grounds. I voted for you both times and proud of the job you have done as our governor. We all made concessions on this issue 15 years ago but there is no stopping on this. I am not a racist and treat all people equally, but we cannot rewrite the history books and make everything go away. I want my Southern Heritage to stand and remember all who fought bravely on both sides. Now we are seeing a wild surge that is out of control against the flag. Let common sense rule and let things stay as they are.

Thank you,

Ronni [REDACTED]

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I am obviously not a citizen of your wonderful state, although my wife and I have visited friends there several times. Therefore I am not personally impacted by your recent decision regarding the flag; however, as a lifetime student of history there is a major misconception that, no matter how widespread, must be addressed and hopefully corrected.

The center of the current kerfuffle is a flag that is often - and quite erroneously - called "the Confederate flag"; it is no such thing. It is the battle flag of General Robert T. Lee's Army of Northern Virginia and to the Southerners I know it stands not for tyranny and slavery but for courage, valor, and sacrifice, the characteristics of that general and that army. In fact, the educated folks I know from all regions of the country, as well as a few from Britain, also realize all of that!

Please reconsider your decision on this matter. It appears to have been rushed in the aftermath of the actions of one evil person and it no more sound than the rush to blame gun he used to commit his foul deed. Those who are letting the emotions of the moment overrule their good sense are demanding that, in effect, history be rewritten to suit them. Don't give in to them, as it establishes a horrible precedent.

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I think what you are doing by attempting to take the Confederate Flag from the Capitol buildings is wrong. The Confederate Flag to me represents Southern Pride and Heritage. It is apart of American history. I feel that you re trying to take my american heritage away. We just visited South Carolina couple weeks ago and I was proud to see the Confederate flag waving. When I saw the flag I knew I was definitely in the south. I was born in the Pacific Northwest and had privilege of living all around the United States with my family in the military. I have lived in Alaska for the past 25 years and do not want to see the Confederate flag taken down. I will be contacting the legislatures of South Carolina let them know my opinion. If anything I believe it should go to the vote of the people of South Carolina to let them have the final say.

Corey A [REDACTED]
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Good afternoon,
 Ma'am/sir, hello,

My name is Alyssa Pettyjohn. I am emailing you on the behalf of the Confederate Flag. I know people are protesting all over saying the flag symbolizes hate, when to me and a lot of supporters standing with me, all think differently. The act that Dylann Roof committed was his own beliefs, not everyone else's that support the flag. This really bothers me that so many people want to get rid of a piece of our history. 260,000 men, women and children died for us. There is as much white blood on the Confederate Flag as there is Black blood. Racism will never go away and there's nothing that anyone can do about it. People will judge us until the day we die. Taking that flag away is like saying that the soldiers died in vain. Society is getting bad and I will not stand for it. I am not going away anytime soon. I will fight for what I believe in. I am 15 years old, yes I'm young but I am proud of my heritage and smart as hell. I can have y'all's support behind me too or you can sit back and watch me win this by my self. Either way I will not give up and I will not go away. I will email and contact you everyday if I have to, until I get it through peoples head that the flag does not symbolize racism hate or what ever their protesting against it for. Its a proud part of the South's heritage and I will get it back. If that boy that contributed to that act at that church had been gay. Would being gay all of a sudden be illegal to? He made that choice to shoot them on his own. No one influenced him. That flag didn't shoot all those people and that gun didn't do it either. He pulled that trigger. What his beliefs of the flag is what he believes not what the rest of the people that support the Confederate Flag believe. Understand what I'm getting at? His horrific choice to shoot all those innocent people had nothing to do with the flag. Another thing that connects to all of this that really yurts me, is the fact that every time an African American gets shot by a white person, it gets blown way out of proportion and gets labeled as a racist act, but when an African American shoots a white person, no one says a thing. It don't

get spread all over the news and we don't riot. Ma'am/sir, I am not a racist, by no means do I look at color. If my best friend was born purple, I wouldn't care, and I wouldn't treat them any different. We may be different color's but we all bleed red and came from a woman. I am not trying to offend anyone, all we want is the flag back to where it belongs. I get called a "dumb redneck" everyday. but it don't faze me because I believe in what I'm fighting for. I do not give a hoot about who I make mad. Sir/ma'am, if I may, excuse my language, but most of the south is really pissed of right now, and it's not aimed just at you. I know that a lot of politicians have a bad name in history. Do you want to be known as the "spineless coward" and the person that disappointed the south? Which is what people are calling every Southern Governor that removed anything related to the Confederate Flag, all over social media, by the way. You may not care what people think, but you can still help make a difference. I'm going to fight and do everything I can to get the Confederate Flag back, and you can stand behind me or be the Coward who did nothing, as you are labeled now, but I will make a change. One more thing, why wait almost 200 years for people to start complaining about it ? With what all the South's been through and they want to say all those horrible comments and protest the flag that symbolizes the soldiers' that died for us? They might as well protest the American flag to, Slave owners flew the American Flag too. Just saying, sir/ma'am. Thank you for your time. Have a blessed day.

Sincerely,
Alyssa [REDACTED]

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You can eliminate the Confederate flag because a idiot who killed people holds the flag.
You don't eliminate cars from Germany and Japan who killed more people of all kinds.
Explain the difference.

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Your courageous position on removal of the Confederate flag from the South Carolina State House grounds demonstrates your sensitivity to the many citizens who recognize that this flag is a source of pain for many people, black and white. As President Obama said, the valor of those who fought and died for the Confederacy is not diminished by the removal of the flag from the State House. Instead, the flag will be honored in our museums as part of history.

Please reconsider as well your position on other ways our state government can help the many South Carolinians who continue to suffer from the heritage of slavery, segregation, and poverty. Expanding Medicaid access would further show your empathy for the citizens whose lives and livelihood suffer from inadequate access to quality health care.

Thank you.

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It is seen all over the nation that you do not run this state. The leadership that you possess is equal to nothing. It is plain to see that you as well are afraid of these straight white men that controls your every decision. You are not a leader but one who is afraid. Welcome to the club of being intimidated by the Confederate South. As a woman of power down there, you have no power. Still the flag has not come down because you are weak. You have no vision for the future and you will be left behind. No, you do not deserve to lead anything else in this great nation but remain in the south and keep your wings trimmed by straight white southern men. Shame on your representation for women.

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I am a Sandlapper born in Monks Corner, raised in Goose Creek, and after serving 20 years in the US Army and 6 combat tours with knees and hips that ache daily from that service I retired to the upstate of SC. I have supported Nikki heart and soul, but no more. She sold out to liberal idiocy and disrespected over 15,000 Sons of SC that answered her call to protect her so many years ago. Most of those that answered did not own slaves or support it. Many were share croppers working the fields side by side with slaves. They went to war to protect South Carolina not Slavery. A girl with a Clemson education should know enough about SC history to know that flag is not about hate but about our hariatge (good and bad) and that we need to learn from our past mistakes and not hide them. I have voted for Nikki many times in the past..... NO MORE. I will not support someone that dishonors SC Veterans the way she did to gain political favor.

Nikki should have at least been smart enough to suggest the battle flag be replaced with the true 13 star flag of the Confederacy. My guess is most SC sons died in the war under the battle flag, but at least it would not have been such a slap in the face of my ancestors that died for SC..... and to think I was considering her as a good candidate for the White House. Glad to see your true colors now because as people become offended by the American Flag (yes, they are out there)she could be calling for those to be removed as not to offend anyone.

I was so proud of Nikki for years, but she embarrassed the Palmetto State by using this tragedy to spot light an uninvolved item and take focus away from the tragedy in Charleston for a political talking point. Shame on you Nikki. I thought you were better than that.

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I think there was a statement by you that the state's rebel flag that we all know by now wasn't about the civil war but about your state's lowest common denominator's intolerance. I will write what Wikipedia said about the REAL civil war flag of the Southern States during it's evolution.

"...As a people we are fighting maintain the Heaven-ordained supremacy of the white man over the inferior or colored race; a white flag would thus be emblematical of our cause.

-William T. Thompson (April 23, 1863), Daily Morning News

However, the official Confederate flag act of 1864 did not formally state what the white-colored field officially symbolized and thus, many Confederates at the time offered various interpretations. The Confederate Congress debated whether the white field should have a blue stripe and whether it should be bordered in red. As the flag's designer, W.T. Thompson opposed adding any such additional elements to the white field.

William Miles delivered a speech supporting the simple white design that was eventually approved. He argued that the battle flag must be used, but for a national flag it was necessary to emblazon it, but as simply as possible, with a plain white field. In May 1863, when Thompson discovered that his design had been chosen by the Confederate Congress to become the Confederacy's next national flag, he was pleased. He praised his design as symbolizing the Confederacy's ideology and its cause of "a superior race", as well as for bearing little resemblance to the U.S. flag, which he called the "infamous banner of the Yankee vandals". Writing for Savannah's Daily Morning News, Thompson stated:

"As a national emblem, it is significant of our higher cause, the cause of a superior race, and a higher civilization contending against ignorance, infidelity, and barbarism. Another merit in the new flag is, that it bears no resemblance to the now infamous banner of the Yankee vandals."

-William T. Thompson (May 4, 1863), Daily Morning News

There is no justification for racism. You have called yourself a leader of "the new South" and I don't see it. I will leave you one last quote by a learned author, as you have a choice. I see intolerance and bigotry as fear coupled with ignorance and you have a chance to bring your state out of that or comply with the stupid:

"There is a cult of ignorance in the United States, and there always has been. The strain of anti-intellectualism has been a constant thread winding its way through our political and cultural life, nurtured by the false notion that democracy means that "my ignorance is just as good as your knowledge."

Column in Newsweek (21 January 1980) - "A Cult of Ignorance", Newsweek, 21 January 1980

You decide, do you want to go down in history as a bigot who pandered to other bigots or are you going to lead the way to change and progress. Another state, Georgia, banned Ray Charles because he once refused to perform at a Jim Crow concert. They came back decades later and recognised him and admitted their own ignorance and intolerance as they welcomed him posthumously, making "Georgia" their state song. Change comes with a first step. I hope you will take it.

Thank You,

Respectfully Submitted,

Steven [REDACTED] (Arizona Mildman) of Phoenix, AZ

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Governor Haley,

I am writing this to tell you an interesting history about Thomas Lynch, Jr., who was raised in South Carolina (SC).

Probably some South Carolina citizens did not know who Mr. Lynch was. He was well known and famous. He was one of 56 signers to sign the Declaration of Independence. He was the youngest of the group.

Thomas Lynch would be very proud of the SC's decision to remove the Confederate Flag or he would be saddened by SC's refusal to remove it.

Thank you for your thoughts.

Paula
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Please protect the monuments of all wars, including the Confederacy and the civil war. Defacing monuments to either side will fan the flames of resentment, and be troublesome. I hope you will quickly prosecute and come out against people who deface such monuments.

Sincerely,

Randa [REDACTED]
Nashville, Tn.

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As a retired public school social studies teacher, this issue is very important. The Confederate battle flag has been hijacked by other groups with less than honorable intentions. On the other hand, moving the flag to be beside the monument was the agreed upon compromise along with the building of an African American monument which was done. I feel strongly that this compromise should be upheld, but I feel that the battle flag could be replaced with a different Confederate flag. That would remove the offensive flag, but not cave in to the people pushing to negate the compromise. I also feel many supporters of the flag feel it is a difficult time to speak up out of respect to the people killed in Charleston. Please feel free to call me. I would be happy to further discuss this idea if anyone in the office wants to pursue a different solution.

Thanks. Lisa Ulmer (retired from Rhame Elementary, Richland 1)
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Governor,

I am a native of SC and I think the confederate flag is a symbol of a period of time in our history, that's all. Those that say it is a symbol of hate are projecting the hate in their hearts onto this symbol. Until people's hearts change taking or leaving the flag will not make a difference. It will not stop people with hate in their hearts from committing terrible acts. We in SC have made tremendous strides in the last 50 years. WE live and play in integrated neighborhoods, work together, eat in any restaurant together, use public facilities together. What happened in Charleston was worse than horrible but the flag did not cause it. WE CANNOT BE REACTING WITH A KNEE JERK REACTION. Where will it end if we allow our history to be cleansed? Next the offended will want all the statues taken down, to the point of destroying cemeteries where the confederate dead are buried. I don't want my history destroyed and it will not stop at the flag either. What if we looked at the confederate flag and gave thanks because it has brought us to a much better place today. We have to live in the now and respect ALL history.

Thank you.

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Governor Haley,
I liked your speech and your decision about the confederate flag. If you would run for president maintaining that same independent, self-assured and wise state of mind, I would vote for you. It could be the first time that two women run against each other for president of the U.S. The country is ready for a woman to become president. That you are of Indian descent may also help you gain some undecided votes.
Ernesto M [REDACTED]
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To: "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com>
Cc:
Subject: Confederate Flag

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Governor: When are you going to take the confederate flag down. It represents the tierany under which black slaves had to endure or die. By leaving the flag up, are you saying that a white life is more valued than a black life? Also, please free the young lady without consequences who was civic-minded and strong enough in her beliefs to take it down for you. If you care anything about racial equality, you will take the flag down.

Cynthia
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I have given much thought to the Flag issue and I agree with the opinion of Governor Haley and many others. It is an issue with strong feelings on both sides. Pro and Con , Pro and Pro and Con and Con! Maybe both sides can be displayed ! A large White flag with Black Letters in the center that spell GRACE Both races and the word that will hopefully bring some togetherness .

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Thank you for your leadership regarding the flag controversy.

Milton T. [REDACTED]
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Gov. Haley,

I have never been more insulted by the removal of the Confederate Flag. That is my heritage. I have done research and the wrong flag is being taken down. When the slave ships came to America it was the American Flag on top the ships. When the KKK was marching it was the American Flag that was used. If you read about the Confederate Flag, it is not about racism. There were black and white civil war soldiers that fought for this country. Therefore the Old Glory Flag that is now flying is the racist flag. I am one American who is sick and tired of the race card being used when it involves a black and white. My question is if a black man went into a white church holding an American Flag and killed 9 white people, would we be having this discussion? I am tired of only one race having freedom of speech. Read the real history of the Confederate Flag on any History Website and get the real meaning. My rights have been violated.

Sincerely,

Thomas E. [REDACTED]

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This is just a brief note of "thank you" for Governor Haley. I am a North Carolinian, a lifelong Democrat, and a black woman who was raised in the South. I have differed with Governor Haley on myriad political issues in the past and suspect I will continue to do so in the future. That being said, I think that the leadership, courage, and integrity she has displayed in the wake of the vile, racially motivated shootings in Charleston demands acknowledgment. She has done a thing that no South Carolina Governor before her has dared to do (demanding the removing of the Confederate flag on social and moral grounds) and she did it BEFORE the political dust settled.

For that, I thank her.

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Your Honorable Mrs. Hayley, As a life long citizen of South Carolina I've seen the good and the bad used symbols of our Confederate flag. I've seen KKK meetings raising the flag across the street from our home. I've also seen it at fundraisers to help cancer stricken friends and ill people. But to me this flag doesn't represent hatred, its a symbol of my Heritage!!

We as a state can not forget where and how far we've all come. We can not simply brush this Flag under the rug and forget the Civil war and slavery never happened. It is a part of our State and Heritage! Blacks and Whites and all other decants who now call South Carolina home. The flag was just moved off the state house a few years ago in an agreement or bill. Now its asked to be taken off the grounds all together. My question is when is enough enough?? Somethings need to be stood up for by our governor. Ever time something offends someone are we, should we just do away with it completely? This has Deeply and I mean deeply offended me that you are backing the removal of our Confederate flag because of one deeply insane person. Sincerely Jerry Benfield

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Please give careful and thought full consideration to the removal of the Confederate flag from the statehouse. Flags have many different meanings. These change over time. To southern CW contemporaries, the confederate flag symbolized resistance to Federal interference in state matters and the ensurance that Constitutional rights as defined by the Taney supreme court were maintained. To my Northern ancestors, the confederate flag represented treason, and an attempt by a small, wealthy oligarchy to destroy the United States. Both of these meanings while radically different, are still absolutely true. In recent times the flag has been said to represent hatred by white liberals and African-Americans, but also resistance to any type of political correctness by many conservative citizens. To simply remove the flag because one group says it represents hatred is to deny what the flag represents to others past and present. All groups however admit that the flag is or represents history. As a historical icon then, it has as much right to be displayed on the State House grounds as it does in any museum, just as the Palmetto flag conceived in the the American Revolution, flies on the statehouse below the national flag. So, this is a complex problem. It deserves much weightier consideration than a quick knee jerk response to political activists who break the laws. What kind of message would that send ? Consider that the Soviet Union would not allow the display of the Russian Tsarist flag in any location, but a museum. Is this where we are headed ? Is this American Liberty ?

Perhaps a better solution to this problem is to add rather than subtract. In Richmond, Va Arthur Ashe, the African American Tennis legend sits amidst the pantheon of Confederate Generals on Monument Ave. Why not add a symbol, a flag, statue, or monument representing the struggles of African-Americans in South Carolina on the Statehouse grounds? If history has many meanings, then it stands to reason that many meanings should be represented. Are we still not the land of e pluribus unum ?

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Subject: Please take down the Confederate Flag now!

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Governor Haley, Please don't delay in taking the Confederate Flag down now. Honor the 9 African-American family that was murdered because of learning hatred from a symbol of division, rascism, and hatred. This will be a step forward for future generations. A lot of talk has happened about taking it down. We need to act and not just talk about it. Act now! Sincerely, Karen [REDACTED]

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Governor,

I do not own, nor have I ever owned, a Confederate Battle Flag. I really do not care about the flag itself. However, I am sick and tired of the PC movement attempting to shove things (LBGT, etc) down my throat. That being the case I am opposed to the removal of the flag from the Statehouse Grounds. I now also strongly support Civil Disobediance when it comes to the recent LBGT wins in the Supreme Court. I and my family have supported and voted for you since you came onto the Statewide scene unfortunatley, we will no longer, in pure honesty, be able to support you in the future in any endeavors including any aspiration you may have for any other State or National office. The flag killed no one, a sick, evil young man did, you may be able to find a picture of him in front of the State Capital Building, if that is the case, shold it aloc be removed from the Statehouse Grounds? What about a picture in front of the High School he attended, or some park he visited. Your decision lacks no real logic other than falling in line with the political PC movement.

Former Supporter,

David [REDACTED]
 </MSG>

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From: "Office of the Governor Site Support" <[REDACTED]@suddenlink.net>
Date: 7/7/2015 4:03:01 PM
To: "Haley, Nikki" <NikkiHaley@gov.sc.gov>
Cc:
Subject: confederste flag

Title:
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Middle Initial:
Last Name: jordan
Suffix:
Street Address: [REDACTED]
Street Address 2:
City: dublin
State: Tx
Zip: 71727
Phone:

Email: [REDACTED]@suddenlink.net

Affiliation: Veteran

Message:

I am extremely disappointed in the turmoil you have ignited in the black caucus of America. As I watched one of your legislatures comment today about South Carolina troops fighting in the war under their state flag, it can only mean now all blacks across the south will want the state flags brought down also. Your legacy as a presidential candidate throughout the south will be: Her first directive was to get Walmart to ban the selling of the confederate flag. Of the thousand of issues our nation needed addressed you chose to try and solidify the black vote-forgetting that Hillary will get 99 % of that vote with promises of making them equal to the white man.

A little history for you. 5% of southern people owned a slave. Yes wealthy plantation owners owned thousands of slaves. The southern patriot fought under the confederate flag for 4 years against an invading union army. Why are their still thousands of union and confederate reinactors. Why do we still have numerous national civil war battle fields. The north is proud of their soldiers and the south their soldiers. Lincoln freed the slaves in his address 2 years into the civil war. The first 2 years it was fought to preserve the union. Then Lincoln freed the slaves in the rebelling states. Bottom line-we will still fly the confederste flag, blacks will still cry racism even though they were slaves 150 years ago. Any chance you had as a presidential candidate is lost.

Good Day

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From: "Stacey [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]@gmail.com>
 Date: 7/7/2015 3:53:09 PM
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 Cc:
 Subject: Re: Thank you for contacting the office of Governor Haley

Governor Haley,

I greatly appreciate your reply to my email. My prayers continue to be fervent for the families of Mother Emmanuel. I continue to also pray for the removal of the Confederate flag from the State Capitol grounds to promote true healing, turning from a painful past to embrace a hopeful future. Your courage is historical!

With Gratitude
 Stacey [REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 11:09 AM, <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:
 >
 > Dear Mrs [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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To: "\"Undisclosed-Recipient:;\"@eml8-vm.ftc-i.net" <"Undisclosed-Recipient:;\"@eml8-vm.ftc-i.net>

Cc:

Subject: Fw: I am with this pastor...

From: Tom [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 07, 2015 11:03 AM

To: [REDACTED]@ [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@aol.com> ; Darrell

[REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@yahoo.com> ; Charles <mailto:[REDACTED]@ftc-i.net> ; Diane

[REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@yahoo.com> ; SCOTT [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@yahoo.com> ;

Rodney [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]@pvt.net>

Subject: I am with this pastor...

<http://video.foxnews.com/v/4341779426001/north-carolina-church-to-fly-christian-flag-over-american/?intcmp=watchnow#sp=show-clips>

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

Date: 7/7/2015 10:02:45 PM

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

Cc:

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

And best to you also, and THANK YOU! SC is a people to be proud of! Robert Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone At Jul 6, 2015, 12:40:09 PM, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com wrote: 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
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Date: 7/7/2015 10:37:48 AM

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

Cc:

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

WE SHOULD HAVE KNOWN NOT TO ELECT A RED DOT INDIAN MUSLIM YOU AND YOUR BRETHREN OBAMA PROBABLY SET UP THE MURDER OF THOSE SPECIFIC NINE BEING HE WAS A STATE REP..I HOPE YOU ROT IN HE\$\$ WITH OBAMA YOU CLYBURN ,BRANNON ,LINDSEY ,TIM ,THE MAYOR OF CHARLESTON AND ALL THE REST OF YOUR LIBERAL WHITE GENACIDE PARTY. YOU AND OBAMA . HOW MUCH DID YOU OR YOUR WHITE GENACIDE MUSLIM ORGANIZATION PROMISE DYLANN ROOF TO DO YOUR DIRTY WORK ? I DID NOT CALL YOU I CALLED PUTNAM WHO IS A LIAR JUST LIKE YOU . WELL MADAM PUPPET I HOPE YOU ENJOY LETTING WHAT EVER HIS REAL NAME IS PULL YOUR STRINGS AMUSLIM GOVENOR AND HER MUSLIM LOVING HUSBAND IS IN THE MILITARY IT'S ALL COMING TOGETHER

In a message dated 7/6/2015 11:33:14 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com writes:

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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: "Terry [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@icloud.com>

Date: 7/7/2015 5:53:19 AM

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

Cc:

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

It has been very difficult for blacks in your state since reconstruction.

Sent from my iPad

> On Jul 6, 2015, at 11:32 AM, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com wrote:

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> Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

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> 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.

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

Date: 7/7/2015 11:57:51 AM

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, Governor Haley, for doing the right thing. May the legacy and symbols of white supremacy be put to rest so we can all look toward a safe and brighter future.

in peace,
[REDACTED]

On Jul 6, 2015, at 12:40 PM, governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com wrote:

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From: "Lois [REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]@yahoo.com>
Date: 7/7/2015 11:37:46 AM
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, Thank you for the quick response. As I may have mentioned before , I am a Teacher in the Alum Rock District In CA. I am very concerned about all the random shootings especially in our schools. I have invented a ' BULLET PROOF DOOR " in order to help to keep our kids safe. This DOOR is PATENTED and will be installed shortly in our schools. I would like to give your schools the same opportunity of installing the doors in all your schools. It would be my pleasure to know that our representatives are doing what they can to keep our children SAFE.Please send me an email if you are interested.

Lois (TEACHER)

On Tuesday, July 7, 2015 6:37 AM, "governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com" <governor.haley@sc.lmhostediq.com> wrote:

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED] On the evening of Wednesday, June 17, 2015, the world witnessed a senseless tragedy at Emanuel A.M.E. Church in our beloved Charleston, South Carolina. Heartbroken, words fail us as we seek to make sense of this unexpected loss of life at one of our places of worship. We will never understand what motivates anyone to commit such a vile and hateful act, but our hearts and minds remain fixed on the nine families and healing our state. The families' grace and strength set a powerful example for us all, and the response of the people of South Carolina helped us strengthen our love for each other. Even in the midst of our grief, South Carolina set about the process of healing by hugging our neighbors, holding vigils, honoring those we lost, and falling to our knees in prayer. We will continue to come together as a state, as a unified people, and never forget those we lost. Michael, Rena, Nalin, and I join countless others all over the country in praying for strength during this time of healing and offering our condolences and support to the families affected. God bless. My very best, Nikki R. HaleyNRH/ahp

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