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Dear Lex,

We are very pleased that Volvo is establishing your U.S. Manufacturing Plant in Metro Charleston. Welcome to our Tri-County Region! We look forward to Volvo helping grow our local community and economy.

The Trident CEO Council is a group of executives from the Tri-County Region employing in excess of 10,000 associates in the local community, advocating a culture to **STAND FOR PROGRESS** in our Lowcountry Region.

Our Council is fact-based on our decisions to support issues that can improve the Lowcountry. Per our website, www.tridentceocouncil.com, we **STAND FOR PROGRESS** for our Port, quality job growth, improved infrastructure and education, to name a few.

Once again, Welcome! We would be pleased to have you speak at one of our upcoming Council meetings, and would also welcome your membership in the future.

Sincerely,



Tom Leonard
Executive Director, Trident CEO Council

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