

## Memo

To: Mary Williams, SGPB  
From: Kelly Riley, Policy Liaison  
Date: March 20, 2003  
Subject: "Musgrove Info" for Chairman's gift

Per your request, I'm forwarding the following information to you for use in the caricature for Governor Musgrove:

- Hobbies: He's a HUGE Elvis fan. He loves music and loves to hum. He loves sports, especially basketball. He used to referee basketball games. He and his kids enjoy NASCAR and have been to several races. He is a big history buff (see #1 below).
- Quirky stories, personal anecdotes:
  1. Governor Musgrove has an amazing memory for sports statistics, events and dates in history, numbers, etc... (Don't ever argue a date or number with him because he will be right – like down to the 2<sup>nd</sup> decimal.)
  2. He also has an uncanny ability to predict the amount of time required to travel between sites.
  3. He has a bad habit of straightening his pocket flap when he is speaking.
  4. When he's traveling in the car or on the plane and starts thinking about things and gets fired up, he sings this little jingle "Dum, d-dum, dum, dum."
  5. He and some college buddies took a "road trip" to Super Bowl VIV in New Orleans in hopes of buying tickets at the game. They were mistaken outside of the old Tulane stadium for a group of guys that was to work for the AP during the game, so they got into the game on AP passes and were actually on the sidelines for the game. Governor Musgrove actually ended up on the field for the coin toss because he followed the AP reporter onto the field.
  6. One of the jobs he had when working his way through college was selling encyclopedias, so he is very familiar with small towns throughout the southeast. He uses this to throw people off when they introduce themselves as being from "Smalltown, SC...you probably don't know where it is." He responds, "Well, isn't it right down the road from Smalltown #2, SC?" (NOTE: I've only used SC as an example because I've seen it happen myself with a SC town.)
- Education/school loyalties: He loves the Southeastern Conference, but especially the University of Mississippi (Ole Miss).

- Food obsessions: The Governor loves BBQ, coconut cake and licorice jelly beans. He is allergic to chocolate. He lives off of coffee (with one sweet and low and a little cream)!
- Particular clothing he always wears: His “casual” clothes are always starched and pressed.
- Pets/kids: Son, Jordan (17) and daughter Carmen Rae (15)
- Eye color: green