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**Subject:** RE: this weekend...

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Nick, if you could call me on this at [REDACTED] I've talked w/Adam regarding a conversation and I've talked w/one of McCain's top staffers twice.

Thanks -  
Kris

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Rick/Nick: I'll be there.

And is there any possibility I could hear from McCain on Alaska's resource development issues? (ie. why is he opposed to ANWR oil drilling, why is he hooked up with Lieberman on a few anti-development initiatives?)

If anyone can help me hear from him on that, our state would appreciate it. I'll have a tough time explaining my support for him until I can say I spoke with him about my concerns re: any pro-environmental stands he's taking that could hurt Alaska.

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From: "Rick Perry" <rperry08@RGA.ORG>

Date: Wed, 20 Feb 2008 14:12:53  
Cc: "Nick Ayers" <NAyers@RGA.ORG>  
Subject: this weekend...

Governors,

I'm looking forward to seeing many of you this weekend. I know how tightly these weekends are scheduled, but I wanted to make sure all of you were aware of a gracious invitation we just received from John McCain. He is hosting a governors and spouses only reception at the Willard prior to the Statesman dinner on Saturday night where he is our special guest. I know your RGA briefings have already gone out, which is why I wanted to personally highlight this addition and ask you to attend. The reception will be at 6:15pm. I'll be sure RGA gets your schedulers more information on this.

The other ask I have of you is to stay in Washington for the Gala on Monday night. It is President Bush's last RGA dinner and we will all be sitting on the stage as he delivers his remarks. Over the years the President has been a great friend to RGA and he was active as a governor so I want to make sure we are all there to express our appreciation to him. Another important reason we need you to attend is this is our biggest fundraiser of the year for RGA.

I hope you will consider these two requests. See you soon.

Rick