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Dear Friends:

Thank you for the opportunity to welcome the contestants, the lucky judges and the hungry fans at the festivities of the 98th Annual Creamery Picnic and Montana State Barbecue Championship. My congratulations to the Civic Club on this fine tradition of service to your community.

I am very pleased to endorse the Montana State Barbecue Championship and to wish the champion well when he or she represents Montana at the American Royal Barbecue competition in Kansas City in the fall.

In communities across the state Montanans are looking forward to a summer full of events like the Creamery Picnic and the Barbecue Championship. The hard work and commitment of the members of groups like the Civic Club pay huge dividends for their communities and the state. On behalf of all of us who enjoy these events, thank you!

Best wishes for another great year of great fun and barbecue.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "B. Schweitzer".

BRIAN SCHWEITZER
Governor