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Sydney and Michelle,

I am reaching out to call your attention to a request (attached) from the Colorado Association of Home Builders for Administrator Pruitt to speak to a group of home builders and general contractors in October. The event will take place on the morning of October 6 in Colorado Springs, CO. NAHB will be participating in the event, as well, and I want to add our name to request. Our builders recognize the impact Administrator Pruitt is having on the regulatory burdens facing the industry and they would very much like to hear his vision for the future. NAHB is enjoying an excellent relationship with the Administrator and I hope you will seriously consider attending the Colorado event.

If I can answer any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.



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July 5, 2017

The Honorable Scott Pruitt  
Administrator  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Administrator Pruitt:

I am writing to invite you to speak at a forum on the legislative and regulatory issues facing the construction industry that will take place on Oct. 6 at the Broadmoor Resort located at 1 Lake Ave. in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The forum will be from 9-11 a.m. and it will be followed by a golf outing and dinner reception that evening.

The event will be hosted by the National Association of Home Builders and the Associated General Contractors and is expected to draw around 300 audience participants.

A robust residential and commercial construction industry is essential to a thriving economy and to boost job growth. We appreciate your strong leadership in addressing the concerns of the nation's home builders and developers as you work to implement common-sense reforms to protect our water, air and land while simultaneously avoiding undue economic burdens for the nation's small business community.

We deeply appreciate your consideration of this request. If you have any questions, please contact me at 719-499-7764 or email me at [scott@hbacolorado.com](mailto:scott@hbacolorado.com).

Very Sincerely,

Scott Smith CEO  
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