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Office of NC Tourism
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Dear Mr. Wazan,

My husband and I recently visited NC. Our first stop in the state was at the Tourist Bureau in the rest center that is the first one reached after crossing into NC from VA on 1-85.

There were two women there who were so helpful. Connie was especially helpful to us and Mary was also very helpful. We were inquiring about Penland (the art school), Asheville points of interest, the best route to Boone and, most important, where to get really good hot dogs! They helped with all our questions but they were exceptional in helping us with our quest for great hot dogs. We had seen an episode of Man v Food on television where the host ate hot dogs in the Raleigh area and they used every tool at their disposal to try to find out where he had eaten. In the end, Connie told us about a local man with a food wagon who parked in a lot nearby and had really good hot dogs. We did locate him and had a terrific lunch.

We've stopped at a number of tourist bureaus and have never met such helpful and cheerful people as Connie and Mary. They were just wonderful. They know NC and the information they gave us really helped us have a great visit.

We just wanted you to know how much two visitors appreciated your employees. Please give them our regards!

Sincerely,

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