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Sonny Perdue  
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GREETINGS:

It is a great pleasure to extend best wishes on the occasion of the *Flavors of Africa* hosted by **Sheba Foods**.

Allow me to welcome distinguished guests, exhibitors and other attendees from around the country and Georgia to our capital. Atlanta is a beautiful city providing numerous attractions, including fine dining, historic sites and various recreational facilities. I hope you have an opportunity to enjoy some of them while you are here and experience the hospitality that is so much a part of our everyday life.

This event promises something for everyone, young and old alike, including samplings of food from more than fifty African countries, various children's activities, exhibits by African cloth weavers and numerous other representations of African culture.

I commend Sheba Foods and everyone responsible for ensuring the success of this exhibit. You have my best wishes for a memorable and enjoyable event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sonny Perdue".  
Sonny Perdue

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