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## Governors' report card

### Sound fiscal leadership

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The Cato Institute recently published its "Governors' Report Card," which, every two years, examines each governor's state budget actions. Governors who have cut taxes and spending the most receive an A.

Covering 2014-16, just five governors earned that A grade. Congratulations and thanks to Gov. Rick Scott for being one of the five. We should also be thankful that former Indiana governor and now Vice President Mike Pence was also among the five.

Let us hope others follow their example and fiscal responsibility becomes a reality.