



Proclamation

*On a motion from Chairman Pro Tem Xanthene Norris,
Greenville County Council wishes to recognize and commemorate April 2018 as*

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

WHEREAS, Greenville County Council recognizes that April 11, 2018 marks the fiftieth anniversary of the signing of “Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968”, also known as the “National Fair Housing Act”; and

WHEREAS, this landmark legislation protects people from discrimination when they are renting, buying, or securing financing for a home; and

WHEREAS, the Greenville County Human Relations Commission, under the leadership of Chairman James Speed Jr. and an active and engaged twelve-member board, combined with a tireless staff of dedicated employees headed by Dr. Yvonne Duckett, has been at the forefront of educating and assisting the public with issues related to Fair Housing; and

WHEREAS, Greenville County Council supports the efforts of the Human Relations Commission in this area, which include receiving Fair Housing complaints, conducting Fair Housing Workshops, and organizing the upcoming Fair Housing Seminar to be held on April 26, 2018.

NOW THEREFORE, the members of Greenville County Council do hereby proclaim April 2018 as “Fair Housing Month” and express gratitude to the Greenville County Human Relations Commission for its continuing efforts in this important area.

Signed this 3rd day of April, 2018

Herman G. Kirven, Jr., Chairman
Greenville County Council