

AN ORDINANCE

TO PROVIDE FOR THE MILLAGE RATE TO BE LEVIED BY THE TIGERVILLE FIRE DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the Tigerville Fire District Board of Fire Control has presented a budget and millage request to Greenville County Council providing for expenditures of revenues acquired by the Tigerville Fire District pursuant to ad valorem property taxes;

WHEREAS, the Greenville County Council, in accordance with Section 4-9-140 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, 1976, as amended, desires to adopt the Board of Fire Control’s recommendation for the Tigerville Fire District’s millage request;

WHEREAS, the Tigerville Fire District is authorized by ordinance to annually levy, for operations and maintenance, ad valorem property tax millage, and the Boards of Fire Control has requested an increase to the District’s current millage levy, which request is subject to the millage rate increase limitations in S.C. Code § 6-1-320 and a millage for a reserve account; and

WHEREAS, by separate ordinance County Council has been asked to authorize the issuance of general obligation debt and a millage increase for debt service that would be used to refund existing debt obligations and replace aging equipment and apparatuses.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL:

Section 1. Millage and Tax Levy. Greenville County Council approves an ad valorem property tax increase of one and seven tenths (1.7) mills bringing the total millage for operations and maintenance to twenty-eight and three tenths (28.3) mills for the Tigerville Fire District, which represents population growth and consumer price index change for the preceding year as allowed by S.C. Code § 6-1-320(A)(1). Additionally, County Council approves a levy of eleven (11.0) mills for the maintenance of a reserve account pursuant to S.C. Code § 6-1-320(D) for a combined increase of twelve and seven tenths (12.7) mills. The ad valorem property tax millage increase set forth herein is based on 2020-2021 millage rates and is subject to reassessment year calculations pursuant to S.C. Code § 12-37-251(E) by the County Auditor. The Auditor and Tax Collector of Greenville County are hereby directed to levy and collect the millage rates authorized by this Ordinance.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon the date of its adoption.

DONE IN REGULAR MEETING THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2021.

Willis Meadows, Chairman
Greenville County Council

ATTEST:

Regina McCaskill
Clerk to Council

Joseph M. Kernell
County Administrator