

## A RESOLUTION

### **A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE GREENVILLE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES TO INSTITUTE PROCEEDINGS TO REVOKE THE BUSINESS REGISTRATION FOR THE BUSINESS LOCATED AT 1142 GROVE RD, GREENVILLE S.C.**

**WHEREAS**, Greenville County Ordinance No. 4277 passed on April 21, 2009 and now codified in the Greenville County Code of Ordinances as Section 21-1 through 21-11 provides in pertinent part that the Department of General Services shall have the authority to suspend or revoke any business registration whose business constitutes a public nuisance, where there are frequent arrests of persons for, among other things, excessive noise, disorderly conduct, disturbance of peace and the illegal acts that correspond with or relate to the hours of operation of the business (See, Section 21-8(1)(a)); and

**WHEREAS**, Section 21-8(1)(b) of the Greenville County Code provides also provides that the Department of General Services shall have the authority to suspend or revoke a business registration if law enforcement makes an unusually high number of response calls, regardless of area, to the business premises, or to the immediate vicinity, and the high number of response calls corresponds with or relates to the hours of business operations of the registrant; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 21-8(2) of the Greenville County Code provides also the Department of General Services shall have the authority to suspend or revoke a business registration that fails to provide sufficient security measures to protect people and property located on the premises, and to protect people and property located in the immediate vicinity when the immediate vicinity is affected by the business operations of the registrant; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 21-9 of the Greenville County Code requires the Department of General Services to deny or revoke a registration where grounds exist to deny or revoke a registration, and it states, “Where grounds exist to deny or revoke a registration under the provisions of this article, the Department of General Services **shall** provide written notice to the applicant or registrant setting forth the grounds revoking the license effective 10 days from the date of the notice and advising of the appeals process” (Emphasis Added); and

**WHEREAS**, according to the Community Crime Map there were 82 incidents within 500 feet of the business located at 1142 Grove Rd from June 1, 2023 to November 29, 2023, and there were 45 Simple Assaults from October 5, 2021 to October 23, 2023, and 7 breach of beach/disturbance calls from November 3, 2021 to November 30, 2022, and 10 malicious damages incidents from March 12, 2022 to September 7, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sheriff’s Office has reported that it responded to the business on more than 300 occasions, resulting in approximately 20 arrests; and

**WHEREAS**, Greenville County Council finds that such business is a public nuisance and threat to the health, safety and welfare of the community and that there have been frequent arrests in the area of the business, unusually high number of response calls and insufficient security for the location and vicinity.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Greenville County Council requests that the County Administrator direct the Department of General Services to institute proceedings to terminate and revoke the registration of the business located at 1142 Grove Road, Greenville SC.

**DONE IN REGULAR MEETING THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.**

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Dan Tripp, Chairman  
Greenville County Council

ATTEST:

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Regina McCaskill  
Clerk to Council

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Joseph M. Kernell  
County Administrator