

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE THE BROOKFIELD SPECIAL TAX DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS' REQUEST FOR AN INCREASE TO ITS CURRENT AD VALOREM PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE LEVY.

WHEREAS, the Brookfield Special Tax District was created to provide street lighting, litter control, and maintenance and improvements to community entrances, exits, rights-of-way and lands surrounding community recreational facilities; and,

WHEREAS, the Brookfield Special Tax District Commissioners have presented a five-year budget projection and millage request to Greenville County Council providing for the expenditure of revenues acquired by the District pursuant to *ad valorem* property taxes; and,

WHEREAS, the Brookfield Special Tax District is authorized by Ordinance No. 1949 to levy annually *ad valorem* property tax millage not to exceed fifteen (15) mills, for operations and maintenance; and,

WHEREAS, the Brookfield Special Tax District Commissioners have requested a three and four-tenths (3.4) mill increase to the District's current millage rate for continued operations and maintenance, which will increase their millage from nine and one-tenth (9.1) mills to twelve and five-tenths (12.5) mills; and,

WHEREAS, Greenville County is currently operating in a reassessment year which requires taxing entities to adhere to the revenue and millage limitations set forth in S.C. Code Ann. § 12-37-251(E).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL:

Section 1. Millage Rate and Tax Levy. Greenville County Council hereby approves an increase of three and four-tenths (3.4) mills, as allowed under the Code of Laws for South Carolina, bringing the total millage for operations and maintenance to twelve and five-tenths (12.5) mills for the Brookfield Special Tax District.

The Auditor and Tax Collector of Greenville County are directed to levy and collect taxes in accordance with this Ordinance.

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

DONE IN REGULAR MEETING THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2025.

Benton Blount
County Council Chairman

ATTEST:

Regina McCaskill
Clerk to Council

Joseph M. Kernell
County Administrator