

**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.**

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Benton Blount  
County Council Chairman

ATTEST:

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Regina McCaskill  
Clerk to Council

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Joseph M. Kernell  
County Administrator