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AN ORDINANCE

TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE TO THE MILLAGE RATE LEVIED BY THE CANEBRAKE FIRE SERVICE AREA.

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

WHEREAS, 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 Canebrake Fire Service Area's millage request; and

WHEREAS, the Canebrake Fire Service Area is authorized by ordinance to annually levy, for operations and maintenance, *ad valorem* property tax millage, and the Board 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.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL:

Section 1. Millage Rate and Tax Levy. Greenville County Council approves an increase of four and nine-tenths (4.9) mills bringing the total millage for operations and maintenance to twenty-four and one-tenth (24.1) mills for the Canebrake Fire Service Area. This request consists of operating millage allowable (CPI and population growth) for FY2026-2027 pursuant to S.C. Code § 6-1-320(A)(1) and operating millage allowed but not imposed for the three preceding property tax years pursuant to S.C. Code § 6-1-320(A)(2). 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 _____, 2027.

Benton Blount, Chairman
Greenville County Council

ATTEST:

Regina McCaskill
Clerk to Council

Joseph M. Kernell
County Administrator