

PUBLIC HEARING

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2026, AT 6:00 p.m. *(or at such time as other public hearings are concluded)* IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 301 UNIVERSITY RIDGE, GREENVILLE, SC, 29601, IN ORDER TO RECEIVE COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-37-30(A)(2) OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1976, AS AMENDED.

SAID PUBLIC HEARING IS TO PROVIDE NOTICE THAT GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL WILL CONDUCT A REFERENDUM TO LEVY AND IMPOSE A ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN GREENVILLE COUNTY FOR NOT MORE THAN EIGHT (8) YEARS, OR UNTIL \$1,100,000,000 IN RESULTING REVENUE HAS BEEN COLLECTED, WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST, ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2026, AND SUBJECT TO A REFERENDUM, WITHIN GREENVILLE CONTY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-37-30 OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1976, AS AMENDED; TO DEFINE THE SPECIFIC PURPOSES AND DESIGNATE THE PROJECTS FOR WHICH THE PROCEEDS OF THE TAX MAY BE USED; TO PROVIDE THE MAXIMUM TIME FOR WHICH SUCH TAX MAY BE IMPOSED; TO PROVIDE THE ESTIMATED COST OF THE PROJECTS FUNDED FROM THE PROCEEDS OF THE TAX; TO PROVIDE FOR A COUNTY-WIDE REFERENDUM ON THE IMPOSITION OF THE SALES AND USE TAX AND THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND TO PRESCRIBE THE CONTENTS OF THE BALLOT QUESTIONS IN THE REFERENDUM; TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE REFERENDUM BY THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND VOTER REGISTRATION OF GREENVILLE COUNTY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE TAX, IF APPROVED; TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE TAX, IF APPROVED; AND TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.

PUBLIC COMMENTS, WRITTEN AND ORAL ARE INVITED. SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS IS ENCOURAGED, AND THOSE WISHING TO PROVIDE WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC HEARING SHOULD EMAIL COMMENTS TO: RMCCASKILL@GREENVILLECOUNTY.ORG BY 12:00 P.M. ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2026.

INDIVIDUALS WISHING TO SPEAK ABOUT THIS MATTER MUST REGISTER ON-SITE BETWEEN 5:15 AND 5:45 THE EVENING OF THE MEETING.

BENTON BLOUNT, CHAIRMAN
GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL

ADVERTISE: Friday, October 2, 2026