

**AN ORDINANCE**

**TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 2378, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NO. 4584, REGARDING THE NUMBER AND TERM LIMITS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE GREENVILLE COUNTY DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS BOARD.**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL:**

**Section 1. Amendment.** Sections 4(B) and 4(C) of Ordinance No. 2378, as amended by Ordinance No. 4584, is hereby amended as follows:

**Section 4. Board of Directors of the GCDSNB.**

(B) **Composition of the Board.** The Board of Directors shall be composed of nine (9) resident electors of Greenville County. The Board shall be appointed by the Governor of the State of South Carolina upon the recommendation of Greenville County Council. Candidates with a demonstrated interest and background in special needs and disabilities and/or human services shall be recommended for appointment. Furthermore, the Board of Directors of the GCDSNB is specifically exempted from Section 2-83(D) of the Greenville County Code of Ordinances, and County Council may appoint up to two (2) members of the Board who have immediate family members that are consumers receiving direct services from the GCDSNB.

(C) **Terms.**

(1) The terms of the members of the Board of Directors shall be for four (4) years and until their successors are appointed and qualify except that of the first appointed: three (3) members shall be appointed for one (1) year and thereafter successors will serve four (4) year terms; two (2) members shall be appointed for three (3) years and thereafter successors will serve four (4) year terms; and two (2) members will be appointed for four (4) year terms.

(2) Of the two (2) newly created seats on the Board of Directors, one appointee will serve an initial term expiring November 30, 2016 and thereafter, successors will serve four (4) year terms; and one appointee will serve an initial term expiring November 30, 2017 and thereafter successors will serve four (4) year terms.

**Section 2. Severability.** Severability is intended throughout and within the provisions of this ordinance. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, then that decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

**Section 3. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall take effect upon its adoption.

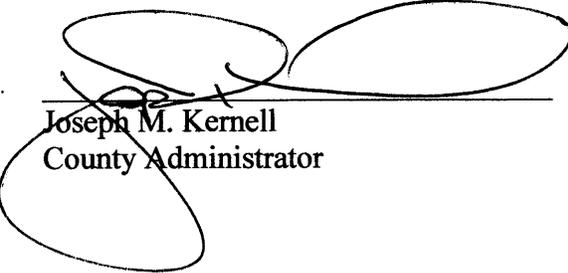
**DONE IN REGULAR MEETING THIS 16<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2015.**

GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL

  
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Bob Taylor, Chairman  
Greenville County Council

ATTEST:

  
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Theresa B. Kizer  
Clerk to Council

  
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Joseph M. Kernell  
County Administrator