CITY OF GREENVILLE



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS, April 11, 2005 marks the 37th anniversary of the passage of the U. S. Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, which enunciated a national policy of Fair Housing without regard to race, color, creed, national origin, sex, familial status, and handicap, and encourages fair housing opportunities for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, the City of Greenville and the Greenville County Human Relations Commission are committed, under the "Fostering Secure and Diverse Communities" effort to highlight the Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, by continuing to address discrimination in our community, to support programs that will educate the public about the right to equal housing opportunities, and to plan partnership efforts with other organizations to help assure every American of their right to fair housing.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Knox H. White, Mayor of the City of Greenville, South Carolina, do hereby proclaim April, 2005, as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

in the City of Greenville, and I urge all citizens to wholeheartedly recognize this celebration throughout the year.

Signed, sealed and delivered this first day of April, 2005.

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