NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Greenville County Council, will conduct a public hearing on the proposed adoption of an Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE AND SALE OF NOT EXCEEDING FOUR MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$4,500,000) GREENVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING AND IMPROVEMENT BONDS (CLEAR SPRING FIRE AND RESCUE DISTRICT PROJECT), SERIES 2017; TO PRESCRIBE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH THE PROCEEDS SHALL BE EXPENDED; TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF; AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO" on April 18, 2017 in the Chambers of County Council, County Square, 301 University Ridge, Greenville, South Carolina 29601, at 6:00 p.m. The above-referenced Bonds will be used to finance (i) the acquisition, construction, installation, renovation, equipping and furnishing of a new fire station in the Clear Spring Fire and Rescue District, a special tax district created by the County, (ii) the current refunding of all of the outstanding \$1,250,000 original principal amount General Obligation Fire Protection System Bonds, Series 2003 (East Simpsonville Fire District), and (iii) costs of issuance.

For the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds authorized by said Ordinance, there shall be pledged the full faith, credit and taxing power of the County and there shall be initially levied ad valorem taxes solely within the Clear Spring Fire and Rescue District sufficient in amount to pay said principal and interest on the Bonds.

At the time and place fixed for said public hearing all taxpayers, residents or other interested persons who appear will be given an opportunity to express their views for or against the adoption of the Ordinance.

Theresa B. Kizer, Clerk to County Council Greenville County, South Carolina