

AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE GREENVILLE COUNTY HISTORIC AND NATURAL RESOURCES TRUST (HNRT) TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE CAMP AWANITA PROJECT.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by Greenville County Council:

Section 1. Findings. County Council has established the Greenville County Historic and Natural Resources Trust (“Trust” or “HNRT”) by adoption of Ordinance No. 5247, as amended, (“Ordinance”) to protect lands with significant natural, cultural or historic resources in Greenville County. The Trust, by and through its governing board (“Board”), is authorized to make grants in support of projects that meet the conservation and financial criteria set forth in the Ordinance and achieve the most meaningful impact for Greenville County. Projects receiving HNRT funding in excess of \$200,000 require the recommendation of the Board and approval of County Council.

Section 2. Board Recommendation of Funding. The Board has recommended approval of a grant to The Nature Conservancy (“Grantee”) in the amount of \$350,000.00 to place a conservation easement on a 542 +/- acre portion of Camp Awanita property described in Exhibit A (“Property”) for the purpose of permanently conserving the Property.

Section 3. Council Authorization of Funding. County Council hereby approves and authorizes the Trust to fund the Camp Awanita Project as set forth herein.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon the date of its adoption.

DONE IN REGULAR MEETING THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2023.

Dan Tripp, Chairman
Greenville County Council

ATTEST:

Regina McCaskill
Clerk to Council

Joseph M. Kernell
County Administrator

**Exhibit A
(Property Description)**

Greenville County TMS# 0670030100500, 0670030100100, 0671020101002 and 0671020101017 less 100 +/- acres reserved for the core campus and buildings

