

A RESOLUTION

TO AMEND THE GREENVILLE COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN TO INCORPORATE THE PARIS MOUNTAIN WILDFIRE MITIGATION PLAN AS AN ANNEX TO THE PLAN.

WHEREAS, the health and safety of all Greenville County citizens are threatened by potential natural disasters, which are caused by flood events, winter ice storms, tornadoes, wildfires and other natural disasters; and

WHEREAS, to minimize the impact of these hazards, public and private sector interests of Greenville County have joined together to implement a comprehensive disaster mitigation effort as outlined in the Greenville County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan (the “HMP”); and

WHEREAS, from time to time, the HMP needs to be revised and updated to continue to improve communications, response activities, and the protection of life and property in Greenville County; and

WHEREAS, the Pinnacle Mountain wildfire disaster of 2016 reinforced the significance of potential wildfire events in Greenville County and brought wildfire to the forefront of the planning process; and

WHEREAS, the County received a grant to fund the development of a comprehensive Paris Mountain Wildfire Mitigation Plan, which has been considered and approved by the Greenville County Hazard Mitigation Committee.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Greenville County Council hereby approves an amendment to the Greenville County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, by incorporating the Paris Mountain Wildfire Mitigation Plan as an annex to the Greenville County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

ADOPTED IN REGULAR MEETING THIS ___ DAY OF _____, 2023.

GREENVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL

ATTEST:

Dan Tripp, Chairman
County Council

Regina McCaskill
Clerk to Council

Joseph M. Kernell
County Administrator