STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)	
)	PETITION
COUNTY OF GREENVILLE)	

PETITION OF THE GREATER GREENVILLE SANITATION COMMISSION ON BEHALF OF THE GREATER GREENVILLE SANITATION DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GREENVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, FOR A PUBLIC HEARING PURSUANT TO TITLE 6, CHAPTER 11, ARTICLE 5, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA 1976, AS AMENDED.

- 1. The Greater Greenville Sanitation District ("District") is a special purpose district established pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 1543 of the Acts and Joint Resolutions of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, Regular Session of 1968, as amended by subsequent acts of the General Assembly ("Act No. 1543"). The District is located wholly in Greenville County, South Carolina (the "County") and was established for the purpose of providing solid waste collection and disposal services within the District.
- 2. In carrying out its functions and duties, the Greater Greenville Sanitation Commission (the "Commission"), the governing body of the District, has determined that the need exists for the design, acquisition, construction, equipping and furnishing of a new administration and operations center for the District and such improvements as may be necessary, incidental or related thereto, including, without limitation, a maintenance facility, fueling stations, a waste transfer station, truck wash facilities and equipment storage (collectively, the "Improvements"). The cost of the Improvements is currently estimated to be approximately \$34,000,000. The Commission has determined to finance the cost of the Improvements to the extent permissible under its general obligation debt limit, as established by Article X, Section 14(7) of the Constitution of the State of South Carolina 1895, as amended (the "Constitution"), and to defray the remaining costs of the Improvements, if any, with available funds of the District.
- 3. The County Council of the County (the "Council"), as the governing body of the County, is empowered by Title 6, Chapter 11, Article 5, Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended (the "Enabling Act"), to authorize the issuance of general obligation bonds pursuant to the provisions of the Enabling Act.
- 4. Pursuant to the Enabling Act, if the Council, upon petition of the Commission, determines that it is in the best interest of the District to raise moneys for the furtherance of any power and function of the District, the Council may order a public hearing to be held upon the question of the issuance of general obligation bonds of the District in one or more series.
- 5. In order to finance the cost of the Improvements, the Commission has determined that it is necessary to issue not exceeding \$34,000,000 of general obligation bonds of the District in one or more series (such principal amount not to exceed the then applicable debt limit of the District under the Constitution) and has adopted a Resolution to evidence such approval and to authorize this Petition to the Council requesting that said Council order a public hearing to be held

on the question of the issuance of not exceeding \$34,000,000 of general obligation bonds of the District in one or more series.

Therefore, the District requests that the Council order a public hearing to be held in the County on the question of authorizing the issuance of not exceeding \$34,000,000 of general obligation bonds of the District in one or more series without an election.

Respectfully submitted,

THE GREATER GREENVILLE SANITATION DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

Chairman, Greater Greenville Sanitation

Commission

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Executive Director,

The Greater Greenville Sanitation District, South Carolina

Dated: October 17, 2024