

ORDINANCE

ORDERING A REFERENDUM PURSUANT TO THE COUNTY BOND ACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING WHETHER YORK COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE NOT EXCEEDING \$89,770,000 OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO OBTAIN FUNDS WITH WHICH TO CONSTRUCT CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, it is provided in Section 14 of Article X of the Constitution of South Carolina that the political subdivisions of the State shall have power to incur general obligation debt without limitation if the same be authorized by a majority vote of the qualified electors of the political subdivision voting in a referendum authorized by law; and

WHEREAS, statutory authorization for the holding of the election and the issuance of bonds is provided by Section 4-15-10 to 4-15-180, inclusive, of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended (herein called the "County Bond Act"); and

WHEREAS, the County Council of York County, South Carolina (the "County Council"), the governing body of York County, South Carolina (the "County"), desires to construct and equip a new Family Court Facility at the Heckle Complex and to renovate the existing Heckle Complex buildings to provide additional space for related services; to expand and equip the Moss Justice Center to include additional Judicial, Court, and Sheriff's Office space, with improved access, parking, and security; to improve public works to include constructing and equipping a new recycling center, to renovate existing buildings, and to improve security; and to acquire or renovate, improve security, and equip facilities serving the Clover and Fort Mill Magistrates (collectively, the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the County Council further desires to fund the Project through the issuance of not exceeding \$89,770,000 of general obligation bonds of the County provided that such bonds are authorized by a majority vote of the qualified electors of the County voting in a referendum; and

WHEREAS, the County Council has now determined to order a referendum for the purpose of seeking voter approval to issue not exceeding \$89,770,000 of general obligation bonds of the County in order to fund the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF YORK COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, IN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED:

Section 1.

A referendum pursuant to the County Bond Act is hereby ordered to be held in York County, South Carolina at the general election on Tuesday, November 3, 2015 (the "Referendum"), at which there shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the County the following question:

Shall York County, South Carolina be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$89,770,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a new Family Court Facility at the Heckle Complex and renovating the existing Heckle Complex buildings to provide additional space for related services; expanding and equipping the Moss Justice Center to include additional Judicial, Court, and Sheriff's Office space, with improved access, parking, and security; improving public works to include constructing and equipping a new recycling center, renovating existing buildings, and improving security; and acquiring or renovating, improving security, and equipping facilities serving the Clover and Fort Mill Magistrates?

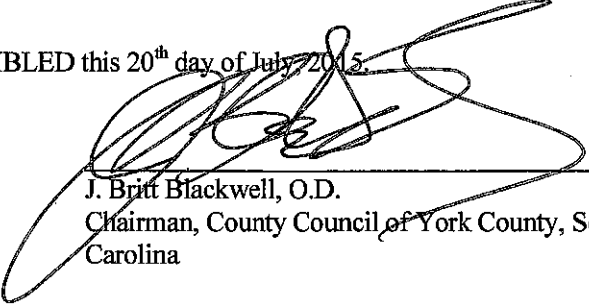
Section 2.

A certified copy of this Ordinance shall be delivered to the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County who shall be requested to conduct the Referendum at the general election held on November 3, 2015, and they shall be requested to direct the Managers of Election to conduct this Referendum and thereafter to certify the results of such Referendum to this County Council.

Section 3.


A Notice of Referendum, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A, shall be published in a newspaper published in the County and in compliance with the provisions of Sections 7-13-35 and 4-15-50 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended (or any other applicable statutory provisions enacted subsequent to the date of enactment of this Ordinance) not less than 60 days prior to the Referendum, not later than two weeks after such first notice is published, and once not less than 15 days prior to the occasion set for the holding of the Referendum.

DONE IN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED this 20th day of July 2015.



J. Britt Blackwell, O.D.
Chairman, County Council of York County, South
Carolina

Attest:



William P. Shanahan, Jr.
County Manager, York County, South
Carolina

First Reading: June 1, 2015
Second Reading: June 15, 2015
Third Reading: July 20, 2015

FORM OF NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

**NOTICE OF REFERENDUM
\$89,770,000 YORK COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO FUND COSTS
RELATED TO CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Referendum will be held in York County, South Carolina (the "County"), on November 3, 2015, for the purpose of submitting to all persons qualified to vote in the County, under the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina, the following question:

Shall York County, South Carolina be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$89,770,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a new Family Court Facility at the Heckle Complex and renovating the existing Heckle Complex buildings to provide additional space for related services; expanding and equipping the Moss Justice Center to include additional Judicial, Court, and Sheriff's Office space, with improved access, parking, and security; improving public works to include constructing and equipping a new recycling center, renovating existing buildings, and improving security; and acquiring or renovating, improving security, and equipping facilities serving the Clover and Fort Mill Magistrates?

Every person offering to vote must be at least 18 years of age on the date of the Referendum, must reside in the County and must be duly registered on the books of registration for the County as an elector in the precinct in which he or she resides and offers to vote on or before the date on which said books of registration are closed for the Referendum, and must present his or her registration certificate or valid South Carolina driver's license or other form of identification containing a photograph issued by the South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles, if not licensed to drive. Any persons wishing to register to vote in this election, if registering by mail, must have such registration postmarked not later than October 3, 2015, and mailed to the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County, 13 South Congress Street, York, South Carolina 29745, or, if registering to vote in person, must do so by no later than October 3, 2015. Any such registered elector who has moved his or her place of residence within the County after the date on which said books of registration are closed for the Referendum, but before the date of the Referendum, shall be entitled to vote in his or her previous precinct of residence in the Referendum; provided, however, in case any registered elector shall have moved from one precinct in the County to another precinct in the County within thirty days prior to November 3, 2015, and shall have surrendered his registration certificate and has received a new certificate, such elector may vote in the precinct provided for by such new certificate. Persons who become of age during the 30-day period preceding the Referendum shall be entitled to register before the closing of the books if otherwise qualified.

Any person eligible to register to vote in the Referendum who has been discharged or separated from his service in the Armed Forces of the United States prior to November 3, 2015, and has returned home too late to register at the time when registration is required, is entitled to register for the purpose of voting in the Referendum after the discharge or separation from service, up to 5:00 p.m. on the day of the Referendum. This application for registration must be made at the office of the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County, and if qualified, the person must be issued a registration notification stating the precinct in which he is entitled to vote and a certification to the managers of the precinct that he is entitled to vote and should be placed on the registration rolls of the precinct.

The polls shall be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the polling places designated below and shall be open during these hours without intermission or adjournment. Appropriate vote recorders will be provided at the polling places for the casting of ballots on the aforesaid question. Managers of Election will be appointed by the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County. The Managers of Election shall see that each person offering to vote takes the oath that he is qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of this State, and that he has not voted before in this election. The precincts within the County and locations of the several polling places for such Referendum are as follows, subject to final designation by the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County:

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>POLLING PLACE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Bethany	Bethany Elementary School	337 Maynard Grayson Rd Clover SC 29710
Bethel	Bethel Fire Department	5600 Highway 557 Lake Wylie SC 29710
River Hills	River Hills Community Church	104 Hamiltons Ferry Rd Lake Wylie SC 29710
Bethel School	Bethel Elementary School	6000 E Highway 55 Clover SC 29710
Bowling Green	Bowling Green Presbyterian Church	250 Ridge Rd Clover SC 29710
Bullocks Creek	Bullocks Creek Fire Department	2250 Highway 97 Sharon SC 29742
Cannon Mill	Central Baptist Church	110 Ross Cannon St York SC 29745
Catawba	Catawba Chapel AME Zion Church	340 Hall Spencer Rd Catawba SC 29704
Clover	Clover School District Office	604 Bethel St Clover SC 29710
Hampton Mill	Clover School Resource Center	300 Clinton Ave Clover SC 29710
Cotton Belt	Beersheba Presbyterian Church	130 S Beersheba Rd Clover SC 29710
Delphia	Philadelphia United Methodist Church	2260 Chester Hwy York SC 29745
Ebenezer	York Road Elementary School	2254 W Main St Rock Hill SC 29732
Filbert	St. James United Methodist Church	1930 Quarry Rd York SC 29745
Fort Mill No. 1	Fort Mill Town Hall	112 Confederate St Fort Mill SC 29715
Windjammer	Philip T. Glennon Community Center	15077 Molokai Dr Tega Cay SC 29708
Fort Mill No. 3	Sisk Memorial Baptist Church	115 Spratt St Fort Mill SC 29715
Hickory Grove	Hickory Grove/Sharon Elementary School	4901 Hickory Grove Rd Hickory Grove SC 29717
Highland Park	Bellevue Elementary School	501 Bellevue Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Lakeshore	Lake Wylie Christian Assembly	5766 Charlotte Hwy Lake Wylie SC 29710

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Independence	Independence Elementary School	132 W Springdale Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
McConnells	McConnells Town Hall/Fire Department	4178 Chester Hwy McConnells SC 29726
Mt. Holly	Oakdale Elementary School	1129 Oakdale Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Newport	Newport Fire Department	5198 Hampton Ridge Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Mt. Gallant	Mt. Gallant Elementary School	4664 Mt Gallant Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Northside	Northside Center	900 Annafrel St Rock Hill SC 29730
Oakridge	Bethesda Fire Department	1705 Highway 324 Rock Hill SC 29732
Ogden	Antioch United Methodist Church	930 W Rambo Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Oakwood	Aldersgate United Methodist Church	2115 Celanese Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Airport	SC National Guard Armory	126 Museum Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Rock Hill No. 2	Rock Hill City Hall	155 Johnston St Rock Hill SC 29730
Rock Hill No. 3	Sunset Park Elementary School	1036 Ogden Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Rock Hill No. 4	Boyd Hill Center	1165 Constitution Blvd Rock Hill SC 29732
Rock Hill No. 5	Grace Lutheran Church	426 Oakland Ave Rock Hill SC 29730
Rock Hill No. 6	ParentsMart	410 E Black St Rock Hill SC 29730
Rock Hill No. 7	Richmond Drive Elementary School	1162 Richmond Dr Rock Hill SC 29732
Rock Hill No. 8	The Children's School at Sylvia Circle	929 Sylvia Cir Rock Hill SC 29730
Sharon	Woodlawn Presbyterian Church	3852 Woodlawn St Sharon SC 29742
Smyrna	Smyrna Fire Department	1052 Main St Smyrna SC 29743
Tirzah	Tirzah Presbyterian Church	181 Tirzah Rd York SC 29745
York No. 1	Cotton Bell Elementary School	1176 Black Hwy York SC 29745
York No. 2	Harold C. Johnson Elementary School	400 E Jefferson St York SC 29745
India Hook	Westminster Catawba Christian School	2650 India Hook Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Edgewood	Edgewood School	1446 Russell St Rock Hill SC 29730

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Fewell Park	Fewell Park Center	1204 Alexander Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Fort Mill No. 4	Unity Presbyterian Church	303 Tom Hall St Fort Mill SC 29715
Lesslie	Lesslie Elementary School	250 Neely Store Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Rosewood	Covenant Prebyterian Church	1830 Celanese Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Northwestern	Applied Technology Center	2399 W Main St Rock Hill SC 29732
Shoreline	Lakeshore Christian Fellowship	130 Shoreline Pkwy Tega Cay SC 29708
Ebinport	Ebinport Elementary School	2142 India Hook Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
University	Sullivan Middle School	1825 Eden Ter Rock Hill SC 29730
Fort Mill No. 5	Flint Hill Fire Department	1950 Highway 21 Fort Mill SC 29715
Fort Mill No. 6	Church of Christ	1055 Gold Hill Rd Fort Mill SC 29708
Allison Creek	Allison Creek Presbyterian Church	5780 Allison Creek Rd York SC 29745
Anderson Road	Rock Hill School District Office	660 N Anderson Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
New Home	New Home AME Zion Church	3290 Charlotte Hwy York SC 29745
Fort Mill No. 2	Glenrock Baptist Church	1815 N Doby's Bridge Rd Fort Mill SC 29715
Dobys Bridge	Doby's Bridge Presbyterian Church	2500 S Dobys Bridge Rd Fort Mill SC 29715
Riverview	St. Philip Neri Catholic Church	292 Munn Rd Fort Mill SC 29715
Orchard Park	Carolinas Cornerstone	1790 Gardendale Rd Fort Mill SC 29708
Lakewood	Lakewood Baptist Church	3520 Mt Gallant Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Laurel Creek	Laurel Creek Clubhouse	4017 Laurel Creek Dr Rock Hill SC 29732
Steele Creek	Church of Christ	1055 Gold Hill Rd Fort Mill SC 29708
Pleasant Road	Real Life Assembly	1930 Pleasant Rd Fort Mill SC 29708
Gold Hill	Grace Presbyterian Church	2955 Highway 160 W Fort Mill SC 29708
Waterstone	Lake Wylie Lutheran Church	2906 Highway 160 W Fort Mill SC 29708
Palmetto	Tega Cay Baptist Church	1875 Gold Hill Rd Fort Mill SC 29708

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Tega Cay	Philip T Glennon Community Center	15077 Molokai Dr Tega Cay SC 29708
Adnah	Adnah United Methodist Church	1615 Adnah Church Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Harvest	Harvest Baptist Church	153 Miller Pond Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Old Pointe	Old Pointe Elementary School	380 Old Pointe School Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Tools Fork	Pineville AME Zion Church	4200 York Hwy Rock Hill SC 29732
Carolina	Fort Mill School District Office	2233 Deerfield Dr Fort Mill SC 29715
Fairgrounds	American Legion	199 S Cherry Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Ferry Branch	Providence Baptist Church	1947 Old Friendship Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Friendship	Foundation AME Zion Church	1852 Neely Store Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Hollis Lakes	Ebenezer ARP Church	2132 Ebenezer Rd Rock Hill SC 29732
Hopewell	Foundation AME Zion Church	1852 Neely Store Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Manchester	Manchester Creek Community Church	1689 Springsteen Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Mill Creek	Oakridge Middle School	5650 Highway 557 Clover SC 29710
Nation Ford	Nation Ford High School	1400 A O Jones Blvd Fort Mill SC 29715
Neelys Creek	Catawba Baptist Church	2639 Catawba Church Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Pole Branch	All Saints Catholic Church	530 Highway 274 Lake Wylie SC 29710
Six Mile	Providence Baptist Church	1947 Old Friendship Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Springdale	Southside Baptist Church	1229 S Anderson Rd Rock Hill SC 29730
Springfield	Unity Presbyterian Church	303 Tom Hall St Fort Mill SC 29715
Stateline	SpringHill Church	3585 Centre Cir Fort Mill SC 29715
Wylie	Scherer Memorial Presbyterian	4800 Charlotte Hwy Clover SC 29710
Roosevelt	Clover Presbyterian Church	202 Kings Mountain St Clover SC 29710
Larne	First United Methodist Church	124 Bethel St Clover SC 29710
Rock Creek	Bethel Presbyterian Church	2445 Highway 557 Clover SC 29710

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River's Edge	Bethel Baptist Church	6031 Charlotte Hwy York SC 29745
Baxter	Philadelphia United Methodist Church	1691 W Highway 160 Fort Mill SC 29708
Kanawha	Philadelphia United Methodist Church	1691 W Highway 160 Fort Mill SC 29708
Barrier Free	E.C. Black Building	13 S Congress St York SC 29745

Voters who are blind, who are otherwise physically handicapped, or who are unable to read or write are entitled to assistance in casting their ballot. This assistance may be given by anyone the voter chooses except his employer, an agent of his employer, or an officer or agent of his union. The Managers of Election must be notified if assistance is needed. Voters who are unable to enter their polling place due to physical handicap or age may vote in the vehicle in which they drove, or were driven to the polls. When notified, the Managers will help voters effectuate this curbside voting provision. Registered voters may be eligible to vote by absentee ballot. Persons wishing more information concerning absentee balloting should contact the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County at (803) 684-1242.

The Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County shall hold a hearing on ballots challenged in the election on November __, 2015, at ____ a.m., at the office of the Board of Voter Registration and Elections of York County, 13 South Congress Street, York, South Carolina. The process of examining the return-addressed envelopes containing absentee ballots will begin at ____ a.m./p.m. on November __, 2015.

s/ _____
Chairman, County Council of York
County, South Carolina

s/ _____
Chairman, Board of Voter Registration and
Elections of York County

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF YORK

I, the undersigned, Clerk of the County Council of York County, South Carolina, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

That the foregoing is a true, correct and verbatim copy of an Ordinance unanimously adopted by the said County Council, having been read at three duly called and regularly held meetings at which a quorum attended and remained throughout on each of June 1, June 15 and July 20, 2015.

That the said Ordinance is now in full force and effect and has not been modified, amended, repealed or rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my Hand this 20th day of July, 2015.


Clerk of County Council York County, South
Carolina