



**Aiken County Council Worksession  
MINUTES  
Tuesday, April 21, 2020  
6:00 PM**

All Council members present. Councilwoman Rawls, Councilman Smith, Councilman Hightower, & Assistant Administrator, Lynn Strom called in via the conference call line.

1. Pending Appointment Resolutions

**No new appointments were made.**

2. Clarification and Discussion of Agenda Items

**Revised agenda was sent out, removing Old Business #2, it was not ready for Third Reading.**

**The amended Bond Ordinance was also included in the agenda changes. The changes to the Ordinance include the amendments that were made at the second reading, in Sections 3 & 21 of the Bond Ordinance, which allows the Bond Counsel and the Financial Advisor to proceed with solicitations of offers for private placement of the refunding bonds.**

**An additional amendment will be in Section 23, which authorizes the County Administrator to hire other professionals necessary to issue the bonds and complete the transactions.**

3. Status of Contingency Funds

**Councilman Siders allocated \$186 to Aiken County Public Works to have "Watch for Children" signs made & posted in District 7.**

4. Council Calendar Reminder Dates:

- Discussion of possible Budget Worksession dates

**Discussed possible upcoming worksession dates for every Tuesday in May.**

5. Executive Session (if needed)

**Chairman Bunker requested for a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss attorney client privileged legal advice and confidential information relating to proposed contractual arrangements on the possible sale of the former Aiken County Government Complex site; and confidential information on possible compensation for specific personnel positions and employment conditions.**

**Councilman Siders made a motion to go into Executive Session, and Councilwoman Furguele seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.**

MEETING ADJOURNED - 6:11 PM

**Executive Session ended - 7:00 PM - with no action taken during Executive Session.**

Respectfully submitted,

Signed:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

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Gary Bunker, Chairman



**Aiken County Council MINUTES**  
**April 21, 2020 - 7:00 PM, 8<sup>th</sup> Meeting of 2020**

Council Administrator Form of Government for Aiken County  
Council Chambers - 1930 University Parkway, Aiken, SC

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

Determining that a quorum was present, via Council Members on a call in conference, or in person, Chairman Bunker called the meeting to order. The meeting was streamed via Facebook Live for the public audience.

**Council Members Present:**

**Chairman Gary Bunker  
Kathy Rawls (Call In)  
Camille Furguele  
Danny Feagin  
Chuck Smith (Call In)  
Sandy Haskell  
Phil Napier  
L. Andrew Siders  
Willar H. Hightower, Jr. (Call In)**

**Also present:**

**J. Clay Killian, County Administrator  
Brian Sanders, Deputy Administrator  
Joel Duke, Assistant Administrator/CDO  
James M. Holly, County Attorney  
Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk**

**B. INVOCATION**

**Councilman Hightower led the invocation.**

**C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**Councilman Siders led the Pledge of Allegiance.**

**D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. March 17, 2020 Worksession (p. 1-2)
2. March 17, 2020 Regular Meeting (p. 3-7)
3. April 7, 2020 Special Meeting (p. 8-10)

**With no changes to the minutes, Chairman Bunker requested a motion to approve the minutes.**

**Councilman Smith made a motion to approve the minutes. Councilwoman Furguele seconded the motion.**

**The minutes were approved unanimously.**

**E. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**With no changes to the agenda, Councilman Siders moved for a motion to approve the agenda as presented.**

**Councilman Feagin seconded the motion.**

**The agenda was approved as presented by a unanimous vote.**

**F. AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS**

**There were none on the agenda.**

## **G. PUBLIC HEARINGS**

1. Ordinance Providing for the Issuance of General Obligation Bonds in an Amount Not to Exceed \$31,000,000 to Refund a Portion of the County's Outstanding General Obligation Bonds; and Other Related Matters.  
(County Council) **(pp. 11-26) No speakers & no comments were made.**
2. Ordinance to Approve an Amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to Rezone Tax Parcels #118-15-01-001, #118-10-02-001, and #118-11-04-002 (totaling approximately 19.7 acres) located at 124 Spann Lane (P-903) and 9101, 9103, and 9107 Gregory Road (S-980), Aiken, SC in Council District 8 from IND, Industrial District to UD, Urban Development District.  
(County Council) **(pp. 57-69) No speakers & no comments were made.**

## **H. OLD BUSINESS**

1. Third Reading of an Ordinance Providing for the Issuance of General Obligation Bonds in an Amount Not to Exceed \$31,000,000 to Refund a Portion of the County's Outstanding General Obligation Bonds; and Other Related Matters.  
(County Council) **(pp. 11-26)**

**Councilwoman Furguele moved for adoption of the ordinance on third reading and Councilman Feagin seconded the motion.**

**Councilman Siders made a motion to amend the Ordinance by revising the second paragraph in Section 23 to read: "The Council further authorizes the County Administrator to enter into such contractual arrangements and hire such other professionals as may be necessary to effect the issuance, sale, execution and delivery of the Bonds, the Refunding and the other transactions contemplated by this Ordinance."**

**Councilman Feagin seconded the motion. The amendment was approved unanimously.**

**The Ordinance was approved as amended and adopted on Third Reading by a unanimous vote.**

- ~~2. Third Reading of an Ordinance Concerning the Proposed Sale, Subject to Certain Conditions, of a Parcel of Land Owned by Aiken County Consisting of Approximately Three (3) Acres Located in the Warner Savannah River Research Campus at the Corner of Gateway Drive (C-2434) and the Entrance to Cooperative Research Center and Designated as a Portion of Tax Map Parcel Number 127-00-01-001; Declaring the Aforesaid Real Property as Surplus to County Purposes; and Authorizing the Sale and Disposal of the Property in a Manner Determined by Aiken County Council to be in the Best Interest of Aiken County.  
(County Council) **(p. 27-28)**~~

**Removed from the agenda.**

3. Second Reading of an Ordinance to Approve an Amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to Rezone Tax Parcels #124-20-01-002, #124-20-01-003, #124-20-01-007, #124-20-01-008, and #140-17-03-003 (totaling approximately 51.8 acres) located at 3 and 63 Medwell Hill Road (C-376), New Ellenton, SC in Council District 2 from RC, Residential Single-family Conservation District and UD, Urban Development District to AP, Agricultural Preservation District.  
(County Council) **(pp. 29-30)**

**Councilwoman Rawls made a motion for the adoption of the ordinance on third reading and Councilman Siders seconded the motion.**

**The Ordinance was adopted and scheduled for third reading by a unanimous vote.**

## I. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Resolution to Appoint One Member to Designated Boards, Commissions and Committees with Terms of the Appointees to Run Concurrent with that of the Councilmembers from District At-Large, 1, and 4.  
(Bunker, Rawls, Smith) **(p. 31)**

**No new appointments were made.**

2. Resolution to Approve the Allocation of Funds for Various Non-Profit Agencies from the FY 2020 Council Contingency Fund.  
(County Council) **(pp. 32-33)**  
**Councilman Siders allocated \$186 to Aiken County Public Works to have "Watch for Children" signs made & posted in his district.**
3. Resolution to Declare the Month of May 2020 as "Better Hearing and Speech Month" in Aiken County.  
(County Council) **(p. 34)**
4. Resolution to Recognize Mr. Ralph Cryder for His Service to the Aiken County Recreation Commission.  
(County Council) **(pp. 35-36)**
5. Resolution to Authorize the Council Chairman to Execute an Agreement and the County Treasurer to accept a Payment-in-Lieu-of-Taxes from the Department of Energy/Savannah River Site for Tax Year 2020.  
(County Council) **(pp. 37-41)**
6. Resolution to Change the Official Road Name of H and H Street (S-777) to Maypop Lane S-777 in County Council District 5.  
(Development Committee) **(pp. 42-44)**
7. Resolution to Change the Official Road Name of Thunder Road (C-626) to Kirkland Street (C-636) in County Council District 1.  
(Development Committee) **(pp. 45-47)**
8. Resolution to Authorize the Council Chairman to Enter into a Management Agreement on Behalf of Aiken County with the Aiken County Veterans Council for the Management of the Aiken County Veterans Memorial Park.  
(Development Committee) **(pp. 48-49)**
9. Resolution to Authorize Aiken County to Enter into Change Order No. 2 to the Agreement with Lindlers Construction for the Hutto Pond Road and Ligons Road Paving Project.  
(Development Committee) **(p. 50)**
10. Resolution to Accept a Grant from Palmetto Pride for Equipment and Tools for the Adopt-A-Highway Program.  
(Judicial & Public Safety Committee) **(p. 51)**
11. Resolution to Accept a Grant from Petco Foundation to Continue the Lifesaving Work for Animals in Aiken County.  
(Judicial & Public Safety Committee) **(p. 52)**
12. Resolution to Make an Award of Contract on Solicitation 20-06-P and Authorize the Council Chairman on Behalf of Aiken County to Enter into an Agreement with Planned Administrators, Inc. on Proposal 20-06-P, Risk Management Third Party Claims Administrator.  
(Administrative Committee) **(pp. 53-56)**

## J. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

**With there being no items on the agenda for Introduction of Ordinances for First Reading,**

**Councilman Siders made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Councilwoman Furguele seconded the motion.**

**The Consent Agenda Items were approved by unanimous vote.**

**K. NEW BUSINESS**

1. First Reading of an Ordinance to Approve an Amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to Rezone Tax Parcels #118-15-01-001, #118-10-02-001, and #118-11-04-002 (totaling approximately 19.7 acres) located at 124 Spann Lane (P-903) and 9101, 9103, and 9107 Gregory Road (S-980), Aiken, SC in Council District 8 from IND, Industrial District to UD, Urban Development District.  
(County Council) **(pp. 57-69)**

**Councilman Haskell made a motion to adopt the Ordinance on First Reading. Councilman Siders seconded the motion.**

**The Ordinance was adopted and scheduled for second reading by a unanimous vote.**

**L. PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS**

**None were scheduled.**

**M. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION AND THE PUBLIC RECORD**

1. Fiscal Year 2020 Aiken County Contingency Report as of April 8, 2020. **(pp. 70-72)**

**N. EXECUTIVE SESSION** (If motion for executive session is made and passes. Such motions may also be made at other times during the meeting.)

**O. ITEMS REQUIRING ACTION FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION** (if any)

**With there being no need for an additional Executive Session and no action following executive session, the Chairman requested for a motion to adjourn. Councilman Siders made a motion, and Councilman Haskell seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously, and the meeting was adjourned.**

**P. ADJOURNMENT - 7:23 P.M.**

Respectfully submitted,

Signed:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

Sponsor(s) : County Council  
Committee Referral : N/A  
Committee Consideration Date : N/A  
Committee Recommendation : N/A  
Effective Date :

RESOLUTION NO.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Declare May 2020 as “Building Safety Month” in Aiken County.

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WHEREAS:

1. Aiken County’s continuing efforts to address the critical issues of safety, energy efficiency, and resilience in the built environment that affect our citizens, both in everyday life and in times of natural disaster, give us confidence that our structures are safe and sound; and
2. Our confidence is achieved through the devotion of vigilant guardians – building safety and fire prevention officials, architects, engineers, builders, tradespeople, laborers and others in the construction industry – who work year-round to ensure the safe construction of buildings; and
3. These guardians – dedicated members of the International Code Council – use a governmental consensus process that brings together local, state and federal officials with expertise in the built environment to create and implement the highest-quality codes to protect Americans in the buildings where we live, learn, work, worship, play; and
4. The International Codes, the most widely adopted building safety, energy and fire prevention codes in the nation, are used by most US cities, counties and states; these modern building codes also include safeguards to protect the public from natural disasters such as hurricanes, snowstorms, tornados, wildland fires and earthquakes; and
5. Building Safety Month is sponsored by the International Code Council, to remind the public about the critical role of our communities’ largely unknown guardians of public safety – our local code officials – who assure us of safe, efficient and livable buildings; and
6. **“Safer Buildings, Safer Communities, Safer World,”** the theme for Building Safety Month 2020, encourages all Americans to raise awareness of the importance of building safe and resilient construction; fire prevention; disaster mitigation, backyard safety; energy efficiency and new technologies in the construction industry. Building Safety Month 2020 encourages appropriate steps everyone can take to ensure the safety of our built environment, and recognizes that the implementation of safety codes by local and state agencies has saved lives and protected homes and businesses, and;
7. Each year, in observance of Building Safety Month, Americans are asked to consider projects to improve building safety and sustainability at home and in the community, and to acknowledge the essential service provided to all of us by local and state building departments, fire prevention bureaus and federal agencies in protecting lives and property.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. County Council proclaims May 2020 as “Building Safety Month” and encourages all Aiken County citizens to work together to improve building safety at home and in the community, to thank our Building Inspection staff for their work and to recognize the important role building and fire inspection officials play in public safety.

Adopted at the meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

ATTEST:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

SIGNED:

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

COUNCIL VOTE:

Sponsor(s)	: County Council
First Reading	: March 17, 2020
Second Reading	: April 21, 2020
Public Hearing	: March 17, 2020
Third Reading	: May 5, 2020
Effective Date	:

## ORDINANCE NO.

### COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Approve an Amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to Rezone Tax Parcels #124-20-01-002, #124-20-01-003, #124-20-01-007, #124-20-01-008, and #140-17-03-003 (totaling approximately 51.8 acres) located at 3 and 63 Medwell Hill Road (C-376), New Ellenton, SC in Council District 2 from RC, Residential Single-family Conservation District and UD, Urban Development District to AP, Agricultural Preservation District.

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#### WHEREAS:

1. An application was filed proposing an amendment to the Aiken County Zoning and Development District Atlas to rezone Parcels #124-20-01-002, #124-20-01-003, #124-20-01-007, #124-20-01-008, and #140-17-03-003 (totaling approximately 51.8 acres) located at 3 and 63 Medwell Hill Road (C-376), New Ellenton, SC in Council District 2 from RC and UD to AP; and
2. The Aiken County Planning Commission, at its meeting on February 20, 2020, reviewed the application and unanimously approved a motion recommending that the County Council approve said application; and
3. At its meeting on March 17, 2020, the Aiken County Council held a public hearing on the proposed amendment, said hearing having been duly publicized in a newspaper in general circulation in Aiken County and the affected property having been previously posted by sign in accordance with the applicable sections of the Aiken County Code of Ordinances; and
4. The Aiken County Council desires to act on said application.

#### NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The proposed amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to rezone Tax Parcels #124-20-01-002, #124-20-01-003, #124-20-01-007, #124-20-01-008, and #140-17-03-003 (totaling approximately 51.8 acres) located at 3 and 63 Medwell Hill Road (C-376), New Ellenton, SC in Council District 2 from RC, Residential Single-family Conservation District and UD, Urban Development District to AP, Agricultural Preservation District is hereby approved by Aiken County Council.
2. The Aiken County Planning & Development Department is hereby directed to notify the applicant and the Aiken County Planning Commission of this action by County Council, and to amend appropriately the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas.
3. All provisions in other County Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent necessary to give effect to this Ordinance.
4. If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are severable.
5. Council hereby waives any requirement that this Ordinance be referred to a committee of council or be recommended by a committee of council.



This Ordinance shall become effective on \_\_\_\_\_.

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

ATTEST:

SIGNED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

REVIEWED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
County Attorney

COUNCIL VOTE:

# Mapette of Proposed Rezoning

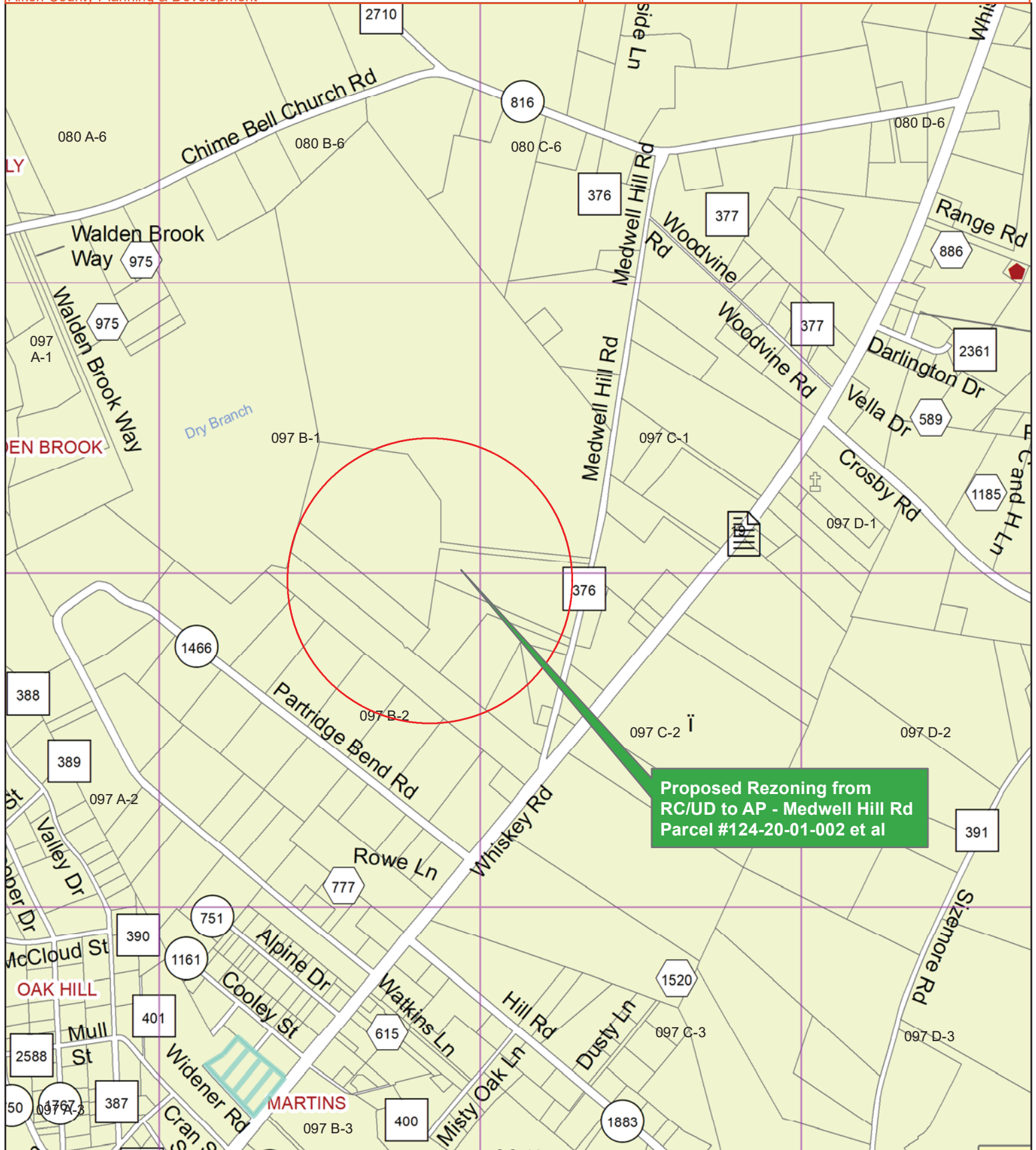
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Joel T. Duke 2/14/2020

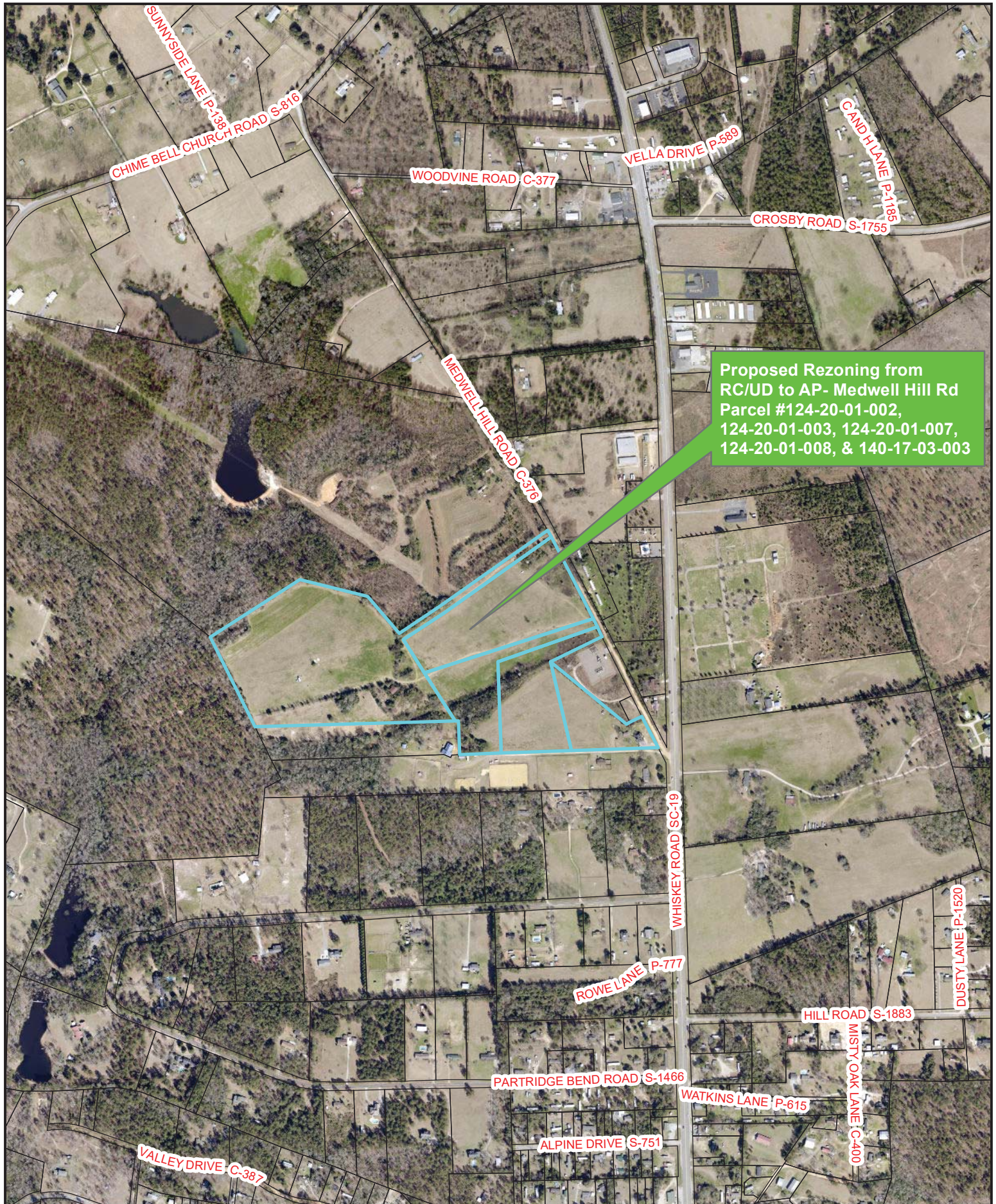
Aiken County Planning & Development

Proposed Rezoning from RC/UD to AP  
Medwell Hill Rd - P #124-20-01-002 et al

Atlas Map: 097 Grids: B-1, B-2, C1, & C2







Aiken County  
 Planning & Development  
 Department  
 2/14/2020

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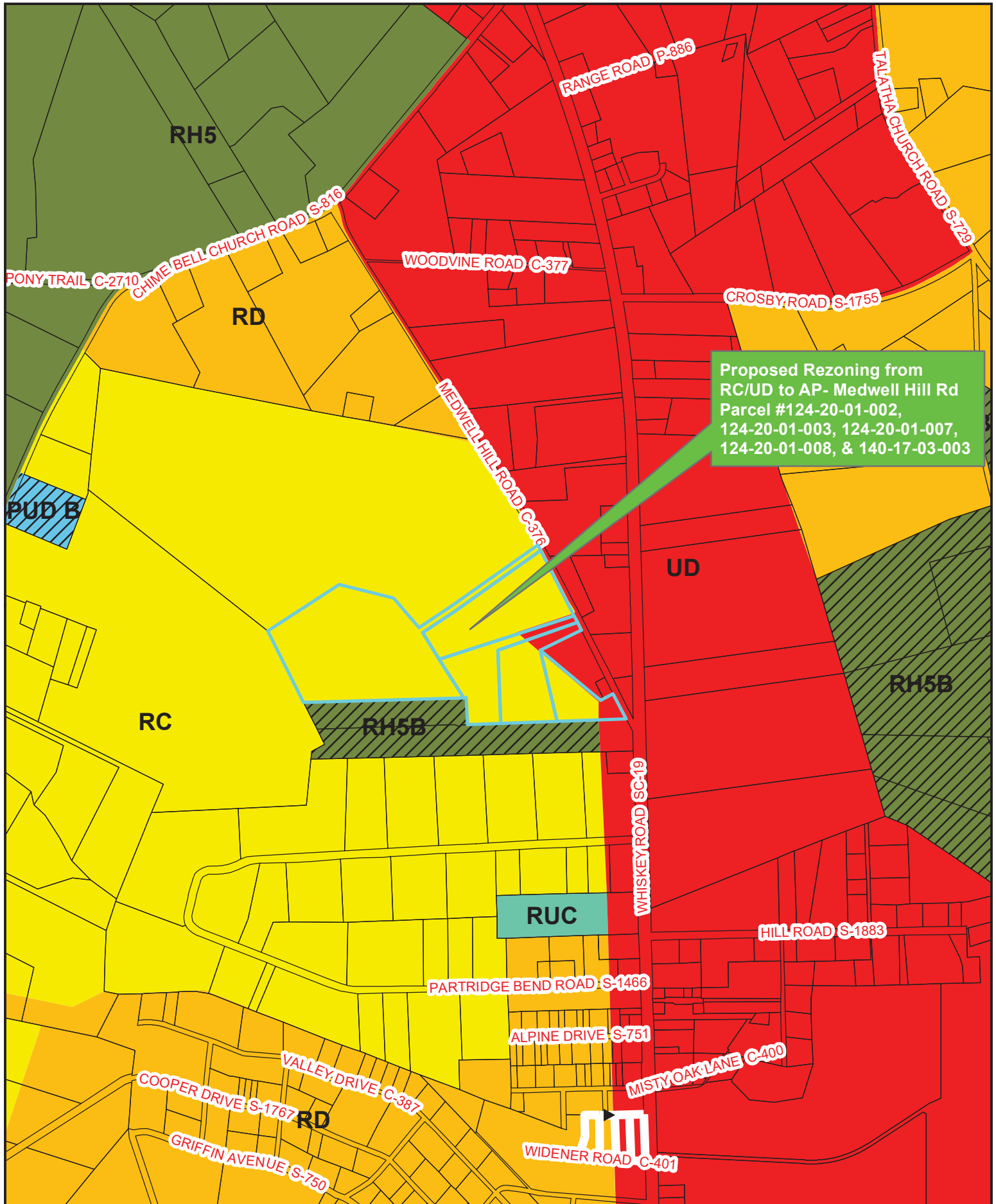


**Proposed Rezoning from  
 RC/UD to AP- Medwell Hill Rd  
 Parcel #124-20-01-002 et al**



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# **Proposed Rezoning from RC/UD to AP- Medwell Hill Rd Parcel #124-20-01-002 et al**



Sponsor(s)	: County Council
First Reading	: April 21, 2020
Second Reading	: May 5, 2020
Public Hearing	: April 21, 2020
Third Reading	:
Effective Date	:

## ORDINANCE NO.

### COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Approve an Amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to Rezone Tax Parcels #118-15-01-001, #118-10-02-001, and #118-11-04-002 (totaling approximately 19.7 acres) located at 124 Spann Lane (P-903) and 9101, 9103, and 9107 Gregory Road (S-980), Aiken, SC in Council District 8 from IND, Industrial District to UD, Urban Development District.

#### WHEREAS:

1. An application was filed proposing an amendment to the Aiken County Zoning and Development District Atlas to rezone Parcels #118-15-01-001, #118-10-02-001, and #118-11-04-002 (totaling approximately 19.7 acres) located at 124 Spann Lane (P-903) and 9101, 9103, and 9107 Gregory Road (S-980), Aiken, SC in Council District 8 from IND to UD; and
2. The Aiken County Planning Commission, at its meeting on March 19, 2020, reviewed the application and unanimously approved a motion recommending that the County Council approve said application; and
3. At its meeting on April 21, 2020, the Aiken County Council held a public hearing on the proposed amendment, said hearing having been duly publicized in a newspaper in general circulation in Aiken County and the affected property having been previously posted by sign in accordance with the applicable sections of the Aiken County Code of Ordinances; and
4. The Aiken County Council desires to act on said application.

#### NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The proposed amendment to the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas to rezone Parcels #118-15-01-001, #118-10-02-001, and #118-11-04-002 (totaling approximately 19.7 acres) located at 124 Spann Lane (P-903) and 9101, 9103, and 9107 Gregory Road (S-980), Aiken, SC in Council District 8 from IND, Industrial District to UD, Urban Development District is hereby approved by Aiken County Council.
2. The Aiken County Planning & Development Department is hereby directed to notify the applicant and the Aiken County Planning Commission of this action by County Council, and to amend appropriately the Aiken County Official Zoning and Development District Atlas.
3. All provisions in other County Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent necessary to give effect to this Ordinance.
4. If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of the Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application and to this end, the provisions of this Ordinance are severable.
5. Council hereby waives any requirement that this Ordinance be referred to a committee of council or be recommended by a committee of council.

This Ordinance shall become effective on \_\_\_\_\_.

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

ATTEST:

SIGNED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
Gary Bunker, Chairman

REVIEWED BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
County Attorney

IMPACT STATEMENT:

COUNCIL VOTE:

# Mapette of Proposed Rezoning

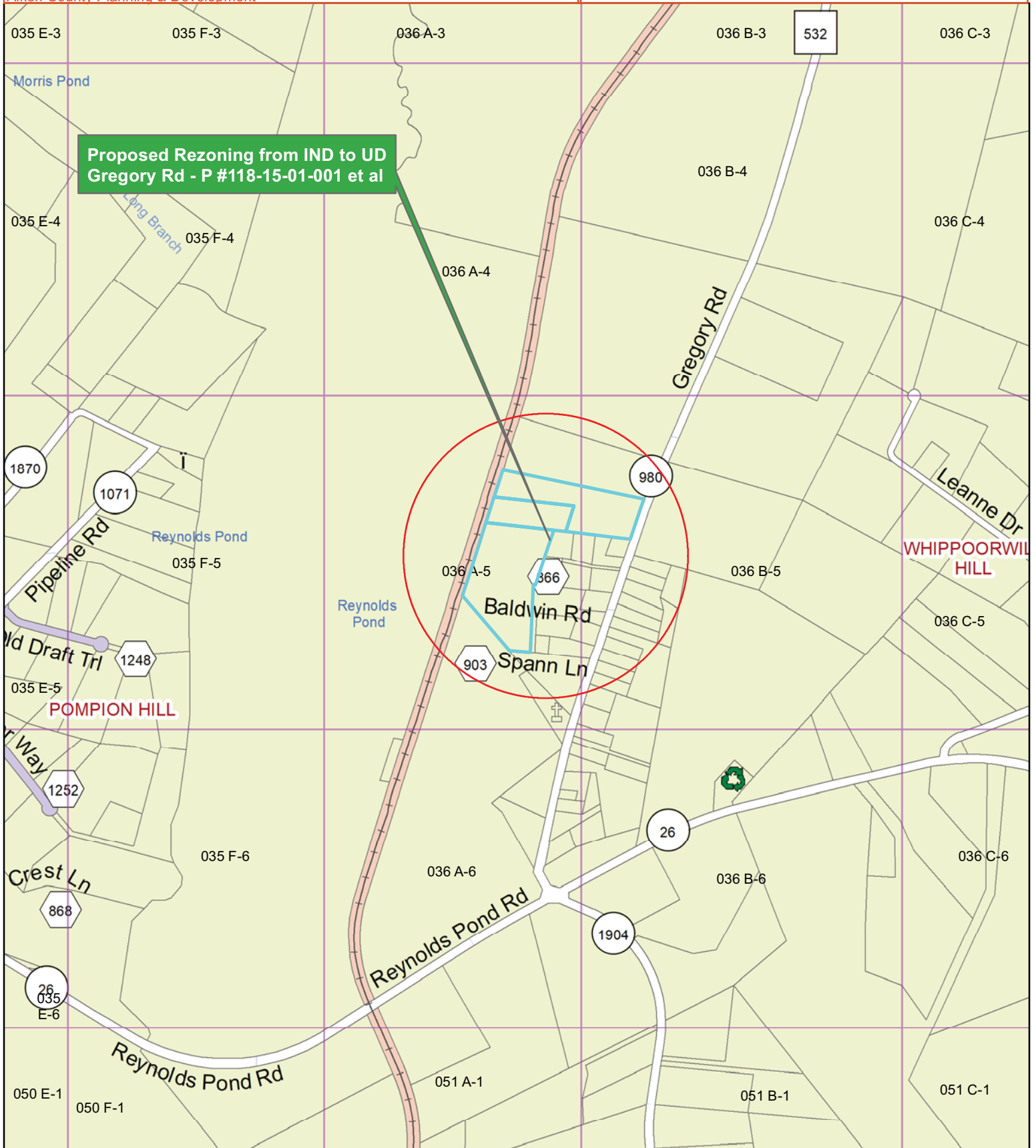
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Joel T. Duke 3/17/2020

Aiken County Planning & Development

**Proposed Rezoning from IND to UD  
Gregory Rd - P #118-15-01-001 et al**

**Atlas Map:036, Grid:A-5**







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 Department  
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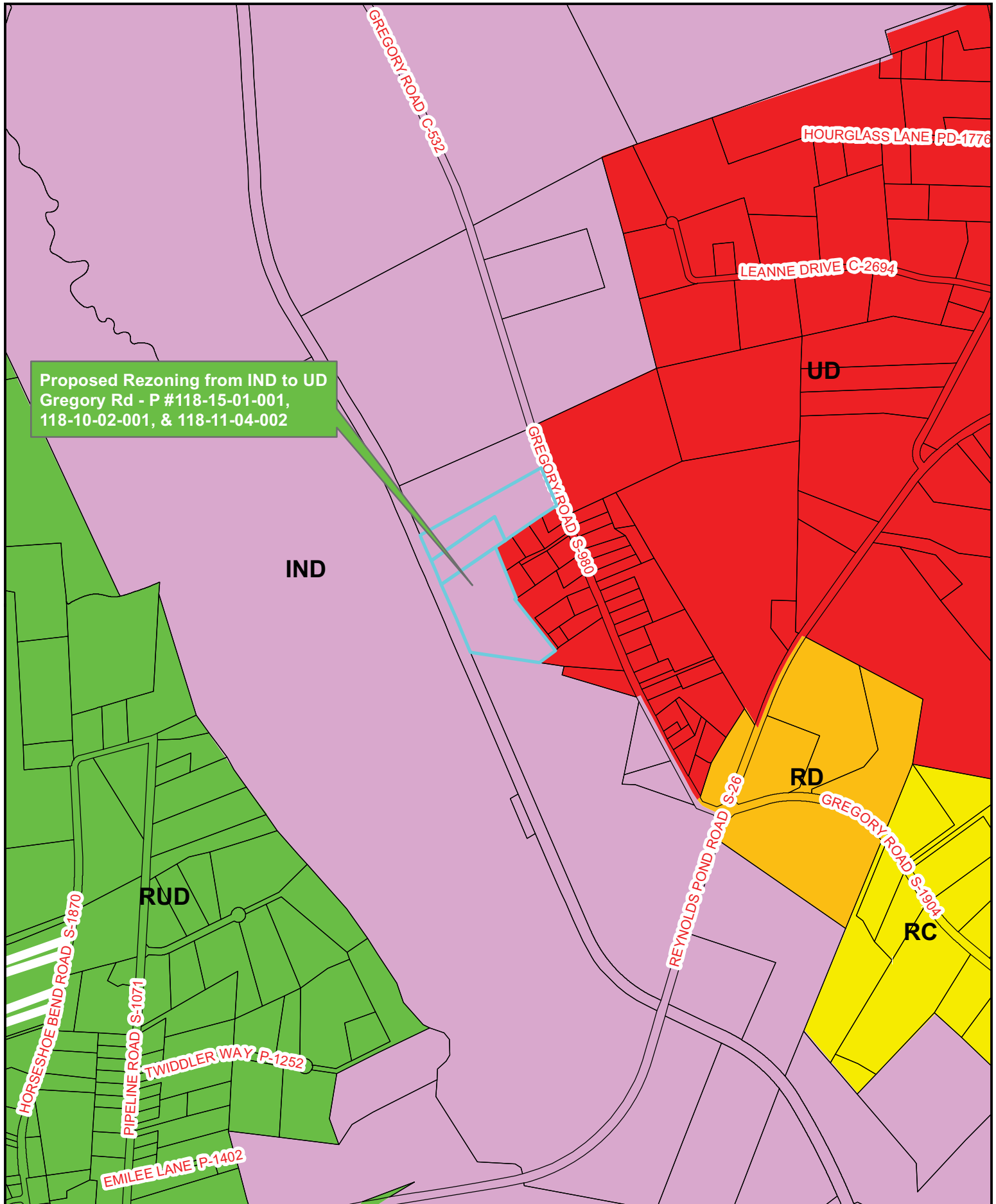


**Proposed Rezoning from  
 IND to UD, Gregory Rd  
 P #118-15-01-001 et al**



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Council District Representatives : Bunker, Rawls, Feagin, Smith  
Committee Referral : N/A  
Committee Consideration Date : N/A  
Committee Recommendation : N/A  
Effective Date :

RESOLUTION NO.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Appoint One Member to Designated Boards, Commissions and Committees with Terms of the Appointees to Run Concurrent with that of the Councilmembers from District At-Large, 1, 3 and 4.

WHEREAS:

1. County Council adopted Ordinance No. 82-12-49 which established appointments for members of Boards, Commissions, Authorities, Agencies and Advisory Committees appointed on a district basis by County Council to expire with the terms of the appointing Councilmember; and
2. County Council desires to appoint a member to the designated Boards, Commissions and Committees below from Districts At-Large, 1, 3 and 4.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT Members are hereby appointed and/or reappointed to the following Boards, Commissions and Committees with terms of office to run concurrently with the terms of Council Chairman Gary Bunker, District At-Large; Councilmember Kathy Rawls, District 1; Councilmember Danny Feagin, District 3; and Councilmember Chuck Smith, District 4 as follows:

1. EMERGENCY SERVICES COMMISSION:

Vacant  
Expired December 31, 2017

District At-Large, Expires December 31, 2020

2. TAX REVIEW BOARD:

Vacant  
Expired December 31, 2018

District 1, Expires December 31, 2022

Vacant  
Expired December 31, 2016

District 4, Expires December 31, 2020

3. BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS AND APPEALS:

Vacant

District 4, Expires December 31, 2020

4. PLANNING COMMISSION:

Vacant

District 3, Expires December 31, 2020

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

*(signatures to follow)*

ATTEST:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

SIGNED:

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

COUNCIL VOTE:

Sponsor(s) : County Council  
Committee Referral : N/A  
Committee Consideration Date : N/A  
Committee Recommendation : N/A  
Effective Date :

RESOLUTION NO.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Approve the Allocation of Funds for Various Non-Profit Agencies from the FY 2020 Council Contingency Fund.

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WHEREAS:

1. County Council has received many requests for funding from non-profit agencies operating in Aiken County; and
2. Council desires to approve certain of these allocations to assist the agencies.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. County Council approves the following allocations from the FY 2020 Council Contingency Fund:

Agency

Amount

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on April 21, 2020.

ATTEST:

SIGNED:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

COUNCIL VOTE:

Contingency Fund Request Pending:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Dist</u>	<u>Need</u>	<u>Cost</u>
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Sponsor(s) : County Council  
Committee Referral : N/A  
Committee Consideration Date : N/A  
Committee Recommendation : N/A  
Effective Date :

RESOLUTION NO.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Authorize the Aiken County Registration and Elections Commission to Execute an Agreement Between the Aiken County Registration and Elections Commission and Aiken Electric Cooperative for the Commission's Assistance in Conducting Aiken Electric's Trustee Election on August 1, 2020.

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WHEREAS:

1. The Aiken County Registration and Elections Commission ("Commission") has been requested by Aiken Electric Cooperative ("AEC") to conduct a Trustee election for them on August 1, 2020; and
2. AEC has requested the Commission provide all items to conduct the election including voting machines, election forms and all other materials necessary for voting in accordance with South Carolina law; and
3. AEC will reimburse Aiken County for all costs involved in conducting the election, including personnel, advertising, printing, supplies and any other direct or indirect costs in connection with the election; and
4. The terms and conditions of this arrangement will be fully set forth in a separate agreement between the Commission and AEC; and
5. County Council desires to allow the Commission to enter into this agreement and provide this service to AEC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The Aiken County Registration and Elections Commission ("Commission") is hereby authorized to execute an agreement between the Commission and Aiken Electric Cooperative ("AEC") for the Commission's assistance in conducting a trustee election for AEC.
2. This approval is contingent upon review and approval of the agreement by the County Attorney.

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

ATTEST:

SIGNED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
Gary Bunker, Chairman

IMPACT STATEMENT: None-all direct and indirect expenses to be reimbursed by AEC.

COUNCIL VOTE:

Sponsor(s) : County Council  
Committee Referral : N/A  
Committee Consideration Date : N/A  
Committee Recommendation : N/A  
Effective Date :

RESOLUTION NO.

COUNCIL ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR AIKEN COUNTY

To Proclaim the Month of May 2020 as Mental Health Month in Aiken County.

WHEREAS:

1. Mental Health Month has been observed since 1949 to raise awareness of mental health conditions and the importance of mental health; and
2. More than 40 million adults in the United States experience mental illness in a given year. In that same time period, over 11 million experience a serious mental illness that substantially interferes with or limits one or more major life activities; and
3. About 1 in 8 women can expect to develop clinical depression in their lifetime; and
4. It is estimated that two-thirds of adults and young people who have mental health disorders are not receiving the help they need; and
5. The cost of untreated and mistreated mental illnesses and addictive disorders to business, governments and families grows annually; and
6. Mental health is essential to everyone's overall health and well-being. Prevention is an effective way to reduce the burden of mental health conditions; and
7. With proper care and treatment people who have mental illness and addictive disorders can recover and lead full, productive lives. Research indicates that diet, exercise, sleep and stress management can help all Americans protect their health and well-being; and
8. Mental health conditions are real and prevalent in our nation. Each business, school, government agency, healthcare provider, organization and citizen has a responsibility to promote mental health and well-being for all.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL THAT:

1. The Aiken County Council, does hereby declare May 2020 as Mental Health Month in Aiken County, South Carolina. As County Council Members, we also call upon the citizens, government agencies, public and private institutions, businesses and schools to recommit our community to increasing awareness and understanding of mental health, the steps our citizens can take to protect their mental health, and the need for appropriate and accessible services for all people with mental illnesses at all stages.

Adopted at the regular meeting of Aiken County Council on \_\_\_\_\_.

ATTEST:

SIGNED:

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Katelyn Hayes, Council Clerk

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Gary Bunker, Chairman

COUNCIL VOTE:

**AIKEN COUNTY COUNCIL  
CONTINGENCY FUND FY2020**

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**FY 2020 APPROPRIATIONS**

Resolution #	Allocations	District #	Request	
<b>RES 19-07-105</b>	\$180 to Aiken County Public Works	1	Signs for Town of Wagener	(\$180.00)
	\$500 to Cedar Masonic Lodge #184 in Wagener	1	Outreach programs	(\$500.00)
	\$1,000 to Wagener VFW Post 6304	1	Public flags & educational programs	(\$1,000.00)
	\$1,000 to Beech Island Historical Society	3	Funding for museum & store	(\$1,000.00)
	\$1,000 to Beech Island Garden Club	3	Beautification projects	(\$1,000.00)
	\$475 to Applied Research Campus	At-Large	Rental fee for room at SRRC (United Way event)	(\$475.00)
	\$870 City of New Ellenton	2	Sponsor Atomic City Festival	(\$850.00)
<b>RES 19-08-115</b>	\$1,000 to Town of Salley	At-Large & 1 (\$500 each)	Annual Chitlin Strut	(\$1,000.00)
	\$500 to Belvedere Girls Softball	5	Improvements to field areas	(\$500.00)
	\$500 to Hankinson Boxing Gym	8	assist with funding for gym	(\$500.00)
	\$650 Horse Creek Midland Valley Veteran's Park	At-Large & 7 (\$200 each), (\$100), 2 (\$150)	5 funding for museum park	(\$650.00)
	\$150 Horse Creek Midland Valley Veteran's Park	7	Magazine ad sponsorship	(\$150.00)
	\$500 to Redcliffe Elementary School	7	Funding for books & magazines	(\$500.00)
	\$115 to the Cumbee Center	2	Sponsor annual race	(\$115.00)
	\$500 to Wreaths Across America	2 & 6 (\$150 each) & 5 (\$100 each)	3 Wreaths for Veterans graves	(\$500.00)
	\$100 to Good News Jail & Prison Ministry	2	Support prison ministry programs	(\$100.00)
	\$300 to Silver Bluff Athletic Booster Club	2	Sponsor high school athletic programs	(\$300.00)
	\$1,000 to Olde Towne Preservation Association	4 & 5 (\$500 each)	Sponsor programs & events	(\$1,000.00)
<b>RES 19-09-136</b>	\$1,000 to First Baptist Church of Vaucluse	6	Welcome signs for Vaucluse	(\$1,000.00)
	\$200 to St. Mary's Parish School	2	Annual Chocolate Festival	(\$200.00)
	\$1,000 to Midland Valley Lions Club	3	Support outreach programs	(\$1,000.00)
	\$200 to Horse Creek Midland Valley Veteran's Park	3	Funding for park and museum	(\$200.00)
<b>RES 19-10-148</b>	\$1,000 to Horse Creek Trust	6	Graniteville Christmas Tree lighting	(\$1,000.00)
	\$500 to Warrenville Community Christian Council	6	Assist with funding for projects	(\$500.00)
	\$30 to Trophies Unlimited	8	Plaque for Henry Craig resolution	(\$30.00)
	\$250 to Storm Branch Baptist Association	8	150th Anniversary celebration	(\$250.00)
	\$500 to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority	8	Sponsorship of Oratorical Contest	(\$500.00)
	\$1,000 to Friends of the Aiken County Animal Shelter (FOTAS)	At-Large (\$300) 1,2,3,4,5,6 (\$100 each)	Funding for shelter needs	(\$1,000.00)
	\$1,000 to Jesse C. Lynch Memorial Post 71	4 & 5 (\$500 each)	Sponsor Boys State Program	(\$1,000.00)
<b>RES 19-11-163</b>	\$1,000 to American Legion Auxiliary Unit 153	3	Palmetto Girls State Program	(\$1,000.00)
	\$250 to Good News Jail Ministry	At-Large	Outreach programs	(\$250.00)
	\$1,000 to North Augusta Lions Club	4 & 5	Sponsor Christmas Parade	(\$1,000.00)
	\$1,000 to Breezy Hill Baptist Church	At-Large, 1,2,3,4,5,7,8 (\$100 each) 6 (\$200)	Christmas on Breezy	(\$1,000.00)
	\$600 to Valley Empty Stocking Fund	At-Large & 6 (\$200 each) 3 & 7 (\$100 each)	Help with funds for organization	(\$600.00)
	\$1,000 to Friends of the Nancy Carson Library	4 & 5 (\$500 each)	Help with funding for library projects	(\$1,000.00)
	\$500 to Hankinson Boxing Gym	8	Funding for programs	(\$500.00)
	\$250 to Aiken-Barnwell Mental Health	8	Services and programs offered	(\$250.00)
	\$200 to Aiken Symphony Orchestra	2	Funding for programs	(\$200.00)
	\$200 to Aiken Habitat for Humanity	2	Funding for programs	(\$200.00)
	\$500 to the Town of Jackson	2	Annual Hook & Cook Festival	(\$500.00)
<b>RES 19-12-179</b>	\$100 to Mental Health of America- Aiken	7	Santa Scramble Golf Tournament	(\$100.00)
	\$1,000 to Community Ministry of North Augusta	4 & 5 (\$500 each)	Funding for assistance programs	(\$1,000.00)
	\$250 to Aiken-Barnwell Mental Health Center	5	Funding for assistance programs	(\$250.00)
<b>RES 20-01-03</b>	\$500 to Fermata Foundation, Inc.	7	Restore Fermata Gymnasium	(\$500.00)
	\$1,000 to Eureka Fire Department	6	Funding for training classes	(\$1,000.00)
	\$1,000 to Aiken Horsepower Foundation	At-Large (\$300) 1,2,3,5,6,7,8 (\$100 each)	Sponsor annual car show	(\$1,000.00)
<b>RES 20-01-09</b>	\$750 to Aiken-Augusta Wounded Warrior	At-Large, 1,2,5,6,7 (\$125 each)	Sponsor Charity Golf Classic	(\$750.00)
	\$500 to Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	8	Fund scholarship program	(\$500.00)
	\$500 to Town of Jackson	2	Sponsor youth sports programs	(\$500.00)
<b>RES 20-02-19</b>	\$500 to Delta Sigma Theta Sorority	8	Assist in scholarship programs	(\$500.00)
	\$500 to Children's Place Inc.	7	Sponsor celebrity waiter night	(\$500.00)
<b>RES 20-02-23</b>	\$400 to American Heart Association	At-Large, 1,2,7 (\$100 ea)	Aiken County fundraising campaign	(\$400.00)
	\$54 to Trophies Unlimited	8	Plaques for resolutions	(\$54.00)
	\$185 to Aiken County Public Works	7	Road signs for Mt. Harris Baptist Church	(\$185.00)
	\$1,000 to Jesse C. Lynch Memorial Unit 71	4 & 5 (\$500 ea)	Palmetto Girls State scholarships	(\$1,000.00)
	\$261 to Aiken County Public Works	1	Road signs for Clear Water Branch Baptist Church	(\$261.00)



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<b>RES 20-03-33</b>	\$1,000 to Aiken County EMS	At-Large & 1 (\$500 each)	2020 Hollow Creek Enduro Race	(\$1,000.00)
	\$500 to the Aiken Chapter of The Links	8	Senior Recognition Day	(\$500.00)
<b>RES 20-03-37</b>	\$1,000 to Leadership Aiken County	At-Large & 6 (\$100 ea)	2019-2020 Class project sponsorship	(\$1,000.00)
		2,3,5,7 (\$200 ea)		
<b>RES 20-04-43</b>	\$500 to Aiken County PRT	1	Courtney Center Senior Program	(\$500.00)
	\$1,000 to Ebenezer AME Church	8	Yard work at church	(\$1,000.00)
	\$500 to Golden Harvest Food Bank	2	Sponsor assistance programs	(\$500.00)
<b>RES 20-04-44</b>	\$186 to Aiken County Public Works	7	Watch for Children signs	(\$186.00)

**Contingency Fund By District**  
**Expenditures and Balances as of April 22, 2020**  
**(Each District begins the Fiscal Year with \$5000)**

	<b>District</b>	<b>Spent</b>	<b>Available</b>
Bunker	At-Large	\$3,150	\$1,850
Rawls	1	\$3,966	\$1,034
Furguele	2	\$4,240	\$760
Feagin	3	\$4,900	\$100
Smith	4	\$3,200	\$1,800
Haskell	5	\$4,575	\$425
Napier	6	\$4,475	\$525
Siders	7	\$3,146	\$1,854
Hightower	8	\$4,784	\$216
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$36,436</b>	<b>\$8,564</b>