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Senators

District 4

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Aiken, Edgefield & Saluda Counties

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District 83

Aiken & Edgefield Counties

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Abbeville County

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Abbeville S.C. 29620
(864) 366-6690
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Toll Free Message Line: 1-800-852-3875
Webpage: www.abbevillecountysc.com

Population: 24,295
Land Area: 508.22 square miles
Form of Government: Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6:30 p.m.
Meeting Location: Council meeting room, Courthouse

Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

County Director: Brian Moon
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Clerk to Council: Lynn Sopolosky

Council Members

Billy Norris – Chairman
Bryan McClain – Vice Chairman
Brandon Johnson
Christine Long
Charles Goodwin
James McCord
Richard “Trent” Taylor

Departments

Auditor, Sue Simpson366-5312 ext. 59
Clerk of Court, Shandal Boggs366-5312 ext. 55
Judge of Probate, Mark Sumner.....366-5312 ext. 62
Public Works, Lee Garrett366-2507
Registration & Election Board366-2400 ext. 53
Sheriff, Ray Watson.....446-6000
Tax Assessor, Gregg Currin.....366-4921
Treasurer, Betty Cowan366-5312
Finance Director, Barry Devore.....366-2906
Brad Evans, Coroner.....366-4210
Bonnie Cann, Soil and Water District....459-5419

Abbeville County Municipalities

City of Abbeville

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Webpage: www.scescape.com/abbeville

Form of Government: Council/Manager

Meeting Date: 2nd Wednesday of each month

Meeting Time: 7 p.m.

Meeting Location: City Hall

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Trey Edwards

City Manager: Blake Stone

Clerk: Mike Clary

Assistant City Manager/Administrator: Fran Strickland Anderson

Council Members

Louise Aikens
Faye Thomas
John Sutherland
Chris Crawford
James “JJ” Jackson
Jason Edwards
Benji Greeson
Matthew Gambrell

Departments

Building & Zoning, Ben Loughner459-2777
Fire, Christopher Clemmons.....459-2133
Police, Nick Moore459-2133
Public Works, Greg Barfield.....459-4636
Utilities, Tim Hall.....459-5058
Finance Director, Laura Snelling.....366-5017

Town of Calhoun Falls

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P.O. Box 246
Calhoun Falls, S.C. 29628
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FAX 418-9299

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 4th Monday of each month

Meeting Time: 6 p.m.

Meeting Location: Civic Center Auditorium

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Terrico Holland

Administrator:

Clerk/Treasurer: Wendi Alewine

Council Members

Sam Hill

Viggo Lassen

Wane Postell

LeSean Tutt

Departments

Fire, Darrell Manning418-8038

Police, Timothy Richey418-8502

Utility Clerk, Jilisa Cade.....418-8512

Town of Donalds

243 P N Avenue
P.O. Box 275
Donalds, S.C. 29638
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Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: William Scoggins Jr.

Clerk: Morgan Davenport

Council Members

Jana Burton
Tisha Hill
Susan Powell
Carol Ellis

Departments

Fire, Ronnie Vaughn.....459-5957
Police379-8213

Town of Due West

103 N. Main Street
P.O. Box 278
Due West, S.C. 29639
(864) 379-2385

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 3rd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Gayle Beaudrot

Town Administrator:

Clerk: Amanda Taylor

Council Members

Jay Lown
Bob Mock
Chris Myers
Katherine “Kitty” Storey
Beck Eleazer
Richard Ashley

Departments

Fire, Roy McClain379-2385
Police, David Maxwell.....379-2150
Utilities, Lewis Saxton.....379-2385 ext. 11

Town of Lowndesville

416 Main Street
PO Box 120
Lowndesville, S.C. 29659
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Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Fire Department

Mayor: Rufus Waters

Clerk: Scotty Willoughby

Council Members

Lynn Branyon
Lisa Driver
Janice Hanna
Janet Yeargin

Departments

Fire Chief, Andrew Holley348-6087

Edgefield County

124 Courthouse Square
Edgefield, SC 29824
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FAX 637-4056
Home page: www.edgefieldcounty.org

Population: 25,657

Land Area: 489.60 square miles

Form of Government: Council/Administrator

Meeting Date: 1st Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 6 p.m.

Meeting Location: Conference Room, Governmental Building

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

County Administrator: David Caddell

Clerk to Council: Aretha Eubanks

Council Members

Albert Talbert – Vice Chairman
Tiffani Ireland
Dean Campbell – Chairman
Jackie Kennion
Jerry Moody

Departments

Auditor, Bill Gilchrist 637-4034
Clerk of Court, Sonny Reel..... 637-4080
Probate Judge, Bobby Peeler 637-4076
Registration Board 637-4072
Recycling, Tim Fox 275-5345
Sheriff, Jody Rowland 637-5337
Tax Assessor, Gerri Coleman 637-4066
Treasurer, Jo Knight..... 637-4069
Coroner, David Burnett..... 637-6536
Finance Director, Taz Potts..... 637-4006

Edgefield County Municipalities

Town of Edgefield

400 Main Street
Edgefield, S.C. 29824-1302
(803) 637-4014
FAX 637-4100

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 5:30 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Ken Durham

Administrator: Roger LeDuc

Clerk/Treasurer: Charlotte L. Cheatham

Council Members

Sherry Holmes
Scott Mims
Robert Rodgers
Kelvin Thomas Sr.
Herbert Yarborough
Otis Yeldell

Departments

Fire, Roger Ellis637-4014
Police, Ronald Carter637-4060
Attorney, Jennifer Sumner637-7000
Asst. Clerk/Treasurer, Ruth Padgett637-4014
Sanitation, David Coleman637-4014

Town of Johnston

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Johnston, S.C. 29832
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Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6:30 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Mayor: Thomas Holmes

Administrator:

Clerk/Treasurer: Angel Melton

Council Members

Frank Nicholson III – Mayor Pro Tem
Timothy Berry
Tommy Burton
Calvin Felder Sr.
Billy Miller

Departments

Fire, John Clark.....275-2488
Police, John Perry275-2488
Sanitation, Kenny Randall275-2488

Town of Trenton

106 Church Street
P.O. Box 36
Trenton, S.C. 29847
(803) 275-2538
FAX 275-4840

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Wednesday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - noon

Mayor: Shannon Philpott

Administrator: Roger LeDuc

Clerk/Treasurer: Vacant

Council Members

Zeb Ryan
Letitia Tanks
Keith Sexton
Bobby Turner

Departments

Fire, Joe Holmes637-5337
Police, Josh Corley.....275-4840

Greenwood County

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Greenwood, S.C. 29646
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Website: www.greenwoodsc.gov

Population: 69,351
Land Area: 450.68 square miles
Form of Government: Council/Manager
Meeting Date: 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month
Meeting Time: 5:30 pm
Meeting Location: Room 201, Courthouse

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

County Manager: Toby Chappell
Assistant County Manager: Susan McIntyre

Clerk to Council: Susan McIntyre

Council Members

Theo Lane – Chairman
Dayne Pruitt – Vice Chairman
Teresa Griffin
Mark Allison
Johanna Bishop
Cathy Miller
Robbie Templeton

Departments

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Auditor, Ashley Davis.....942-8545
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Emergency Preparedness942-8555
Health Department942-3600
Judge of Probate, Travis Moore.....942-8625
Public Works, Donna Sightler942-8662
Sheriff, Dennis Kelly942-8600
Assessor, Lynn Hammett942-8537
Finance Director, Sara O'Dell942-8529
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Greenwood County Municipalities

City of Greenwood

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FAX 942-8470

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 3rd Monday of each month (4th Monday in Jan., Feb.)

Meeting Time: 5:30 pm

Meeting Location: Courtroom, Municipal Building

Office Hours: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Mayor: Brandon Smith

City Manager: Julie Wilkie

Assistants to the City Manager: Ryan Thomas
Draper Carlile

Clerk/Treasurer: Tiffany Albert

Council Members

Niki Hutto
Robert Dean
Annette Edwards
Jonathan Bass – Mayor Pro Tem
Matthew Miller
Ronnie Ables

Departments

City Manager, Julie Wilkie 942-8410
Building & Zoning, Travis Lathren. 942-8424
Fire Department, Tanner Hall 942-8451
Police, T.J. Chaudoin 942-8405
Public Works, Erek Leary 942-8535
Sanitation, Robert Anty 942-8442
Sara B. O'Dell, Finance 942-8416

Town of Hodges

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P.O. Box 175
Hodges, S.C. 29653
(864) 374-3111

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 7 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Michael George

Clerk/Treasurer: Tami Baber

Council Members

R. Leecie Addison
Johnny Reeves
Travis Reeves
Renee Tinsley

Departments

Fire, Jim Baber.....374-3311
Police374-3111

Town of Ninety Six

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Ninety Six, S.C. 29666
(864) 543-2200
FAX: (864) 543-4304
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Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 3rd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. (8:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. on Wednesdays)

Mayor: Gregg Brown

Town Administrative Assistant: Amanda Seymour

Clerk:
town@ninetysixsc.gov

Council Members

Mickey Goodman
Bridget Porter
Charles Wideman
Tara Brown
John Jefferson
Karen Roller

Departments

Fire, John Rushton. 543-2123
Police, Christopher Porter..... 543-3527
Public Works, Bruce Werts..... 543-2900

Town of Troy

1516 Neel Street
P.O. Box 218
Troy, S.C. 29848
(864) 746-6100

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 1st Thursday after first Monday of each month

Meeting Time: 7 p.m.

Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Brian Dixon

Clerk: Lisa Bowick

Council Members

Christopher Cox, Mayor Pro-Tem
Tonya Young Dixon
Nate van Landingham
George “Junior” Davenport Jr.

Departments

Fire, Aaron Walker
Parks/Recreation, Lesa Cotten
Public Works, Billy Wade Peacock

Town of Ware Shoals

8 Mill Street
P.O. Box 510
Ware Shoals, S.C. 29692
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FAX 456-7528

Form of Government: Council

Meeting Date: 3rd Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 6:30 p.m.

Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Bryan Ross

Administrator: Vacant

Clerk/Treasurer: Glenna Hendrickson

Council Members

Valerie Jackson
Kim Jensen
Patty Walters
Micheal Powell
Brandon White
Kent Boles

Departments

Fire, Greg Lindley.....456-2689
Police, Bryan Louis.....456-7444
Water.....456-7537
Waste Water Treatment Plant, Keith Wright.....456-7478
Public Works.....456-7615

Laurens County

Church Street Office Complex
P.O. Box 445
Laurens, S.C. 29360
(864) 984-5214
FAX 984-3726
Website: www.laurenscountysc.org

Population: 67,539

Land Area: 712.30 square miles

Form of Government: Council

Meeting Date: 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 5:30 p.m.

Meeting Location: Council Chambers, Church Street Office Complex

Office Hours: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Administrator: Melissa Ferqueron, Interim

Deputy Administrator:

Clerk to Council: Cheyenne Noffz
cheyennenoffz@co.laurens.sc.us

Council Members

Jeff Carroll – Chairman
Matthew Brownlee – Vice Chairman
Kemp Younts
Shirley Clark
Brown Patterson
Arthur Lee Philson, Jr.
Justin Lane

Departments

Auditor, James Coleman.....984-2535
Fire, Greg Lindley.....984-3624
Clerk of Court, Michelle Simmons.....984-3538
Magistrate, Dirk Bron.....984-4022
Judge of Probate, Kay W. Fridy984-7315/984-7731
Sheriff, Don Reynolds984-2523
Tax Assessor, GW Dailey.....984-6546
Treasurer, Cindy Burke.....984-4742
Registration & Election Commission....984-4431
Public Works, Billy Wilson.....984-6812

Laurens County Municipalities

City of Clinton

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Clinton, S.C. 29325
(864) 833-7500
FAX 833-7533

Form of Government: Council/Manager
Meeting Date: 1st Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: City Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Mayor: Randy Randall

City Manager: Joey Meadors
Assistant City Managers: Will Riley, Carl Stevens

Clerk/Treasurer: Sonya Lewis

Council Members

Danny Cook
Gary Kuykendall
Natalie Cogsdill
Danny Smith
Megan Walsh
Anita Williams

Departments

Buildings & Inspection, Tink Barnes.....833-7517
Fire, Phillip Russell833-7507
Police, Michael Addison.....833-2511
Public Works,833-7520

City of Laurens

City of Laurens
126 E Public Square
Laurens SC 29360
(864) 984-0144
FAX 984-3674

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 3rd Tuesday of each month
Meeting Time: 5:30 p.m.
Meeting Location: City Hall

Office Hours: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Mayor: Nathan Senn

City Administrator: Eric Delgado

Clerk/Treasurer: Leslie Mattison

Council Members

Johnnie L. Bolt
Cassandra Campbell
Calvin Whitmire
Martin Lowry – Mayor Pro-Tem
Marian Miller
Alicia Sullivan

Departments

Building & Zoning, Jeremy Hudson.....984-2613
Fire, Neil Roberts.....984-3312
Police, Heath Copeland.....984-3532
Street & Sanitation, Kerwin Tribble984-3621

Town of Cross Hill

Town of Cross Hill
Main Street Town Hall Building
P. O. Box 337
Cross Hill, SC 29332
Phone 864-998-4453 Fax 864-998-4453

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 7 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Danny Stroud

Clerk: Anita Moore

Council Members

Brandon Simpson
Rita Faye Neal
Beverly Jones
Connie Jester

Departments

Fire, Bobby Kersey. 998-3973
Police.. 998-4453

Town of Gray Court

329 W. Main Street
P.O. Box 438
Gray Court, S.C. 29645
(864) 876-2581
FAX 876-3999

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 3rd Monday of each month

Meeting Time: 7 p.m. (7:30 p.m. May through September)

Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. (9 a.m. -noon on Wednesdays)

Mayor: Stellartean Jones

Administrator: Garry Smith

Clerk: Doris Hamilton

Council Members

Dylan Cook
Laura Cook
Millie Dawkins
Brittany Hames

Departments

Fire.....876-9534
Police876-3482

Town of Waterloo

93 Coyote Lane
Waterloo, SC 29384
(864) 677-4646

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month

Meeting Time: 6:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: Town Fire Department building

Mayor: Barbara Smith

Clerk/Treasurer: Janice Cunningham

Town Administrator: Vacant

Council Members

Johnny Cheeks

Murray Jones Jr. – Mayor Pro-Tem

Eugenia Fleeman

Curtis Todd

McCormick County

610 South Mine Street
McCormick, SC 29835
(864) 852-2231
FAX 852-2783
Website: www.mccormickcountysc.org

Population: 9,526

Land Area: 349.81 square miles

Form of Government: Council/Administrator

Meeting Date: 3rd Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 6 p.m.

Meeting Location: Law Enforcement Center

Office Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

County Administrator: James Hipp (Interim)
jhipp@att.net

Clerk to Council: Crystal Barnes

Council Members

David Morrah
Bernard Hamby – Chairman
Chuck Cook
Charles Jennings – Co-Chairman
Jackie Brown

Departments

Assessor, John Powell 852-2931
Auditor, Clarissa Parks 852-2107
Clerk of Court, Gwen Chiles 852-2195
Registration Board 852-2089
Magistrate, Patty Smith..... 852-2316
Sheriff, Chad Cox 465-2520
Treasurer, Mary Shirley 852-2332
Utilities Mgr. Julian Mears 852-2807
Judge of Probate, John H. Gray..... 852-2630
Finance Director, David Leathers..... 852-2231

McCormick County Municipalities

Town of McCormick

117 W. Augusta Street
P.O. Box 306
McCormick, S.C. 29835
(864) 852-2225
FAX 852-2476

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 2nd Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 7 p.m.

Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (8 a.m. -noon on Wednesdays)

Mayor: Roy Smith Jr.

Administrator: Vacant

Clerk: Sandra McKinney

Deputy/Clerk Treasurer: Michelle Chambers

Council Members

James “Calvin” Chiles – Mayor Pro Tem

Curtis Dansby

Dolly Franklin

Faye Hood

Alvin Jennings

Nathan Jones

Departments

Fire, Mike Barron 852-2150

Police, William Willis 852-2150

Public Works, Ben Lewis 852-2224

Town of Parksville

140 Parks Self Street
P.O. Box 4889
Parksville, SC 29844
(864) 333-5796

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Tuesday of each month
Meeting Time: 7:00 pm
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Frank Walker

Clerk: Lisa Jackson

Council Members

Donald Cartledge
Kerry Cartledge
Kristi C. Reed
Todd Self

Departments

Fire, Jacob Richard Knoop, Jr.

Town of Plum Branch

Main Street, Fire Department
P.O. Box 151
Plum Branch, SC 29845
(864) 443-5500

Form of Government: Mayor/Council

Meeting Date: 2nd Tuesday of each month

Meeting Time: 7 p.m.

Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Waymon Storey

Clerk: Kathy Massaro

Council Members

Margaret Dorn
Christopher Long
Marion Sturkey
E.M. Winn Jr.

Saluda County

400 W. Highland Ave.
Saluda, S.C. 29138
(864) 445-4500
FAX 445-9405
e-mail: k.whittle@saludacounty.sc.gov

Population: 18,862
Land Area: 455.87 square miles
Form of Government: Council
Meeting Date: 2nd Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: American Legion Building

Office Hours: 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.

County Administrator: Sandra G. Padget
Clerk to Council/Assistant Administrator: Regina Turner

Council Members

Jim Moore – Chairman
Carey Bedenbaugh – Vice Chairman
Justin Anderson
Jack Atkinson
Frank Daniel, Sr.

Departments

Auditor, Memmus Forest445-2521
Clerk of Court, Sheri Coleman445-4500
Dept. of Social Services445-2139
Emergency Preparedness, Joshua Morton.445-2529
Health Department.....445-2141
Probate Judge, Abigail Ridgell445-7110
Finance Coordinator, Heather Griffin445-2227
Sheriff, Josh Price445-2112
Tax Assessor, Justin Ridgell445-8121
Treasurer, Tiffany Shaw445-2875
Coroner, Angie Rita.....445-8020
Tax Collector, Angie Saxon.....445-4503

Saluda County Municipalities

Town of Ridge Spring

906 W. Main Street
P.O. Box 444
Ridge Spring, S.C. 29129
(803) 685-5511
FAX: (803) 685-7252

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Monday of each month
Meeting Time: 6:30 pm
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Mayor: Qwendolyn Etheredge

Administrator: Roger LeDuc

Town Clerk/Treasurer: Summer Brown

Council Members

Richard Christie
Denise Ruth Askin
Crys Lybrand
James E. Williams Jr.

Departments

Fire, Russell Derrick.....685-5511
County Attorney, Jennifer Sumner.....685-5511
Police, Gary Grenier.....685-5511

Town of Saluda

100 South Jefferson Street
Saluda, S.C. 29138
(864) 445-3522
FAX 445-4928

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Tuesday of each month
Meeting Time: 6 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Office Hours: 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., 2-5 p.m. (close at noon on Wednesdays)

Mayor: Miliken Matthews

Administrator: Vacant

Clerk/Treasurer: Nicole Maffett
Administrative Assistant: April Mowry

Council Members

Myranda Butler
Obie Combs
Lauren Yonce
John Mark Griffith

Departments

Commission of Public Works, Keith Berry.....445-2090
Fire, Edwin Riley445-6348
Police, Archie Hill Jr.....445-7336
Sanitation Supervisor, Steve Bindenegel.....554.0927
Municipal Judge, Bruce Horne.....445-4928

Town of Ward

P.O. Box 6
Ward, SC 29166
(803) 480-2260

Form of Government: Mayor/Council
Meeting Date: 1st Tuesday of each month
Meeting Time: 6:30 p.m.
Meeting Location: Town Hall

Mayor: Larry Lange
Clerk/Treasurer: Tonya Titus

Council Members

Bob Lathrop
James Priest
Jessica Priest
Bobby Pixley

Upper Savannah Council of Governments Staff Listing

Patricia C. Hartung Executive Director..... 941-8051
Sam Leaman Assistant Director..... 941-8056

Administrative (Accounting, Communications, Office Personnel)

Melissa Phillips Finance Director..... 941-8059
Christy Cannon Assistant Finance Director 941-8060
Sandra Moore..... Office Manager 941-8063
Shannon Hill Administrative and Project Specialist 941-8078
David Hays Communications Specialist..... 941-8064

Area Agency on Aging (Aging & Disability Resource Center)

Peggy Merritt Aging Program Director..... 941-8075
Langley Richardson..... Information & Referral Specialist.....941-8069
Aeriell Bowick..... Family Caregiver Advocate 941-8067
Ericca Livingston..... Regional Ombudsman..... 941-8070
Ashley Capps..... DDSN Ombudsman/Volunteer Coordinator.....941-8091
Christy Stroud..... Regional SHIP Specialist.....941-8093
Tonya Mann..... Senior Programs Specialist/Assessor.....941-8078
Christine Pyles..... Assessment Specialist.....941-8052
Latoya Wright..... Assessment Specialist.....941-8053

Community Development

Keith Smith..... Community Development Director 941-8068
Brittany Hallman.....Assistant Community Development Director...941-8055

Economic Development (Small Business Financing, Infrastructure Development)

Sam Leaman.....Assistant Director.....941-8056

Government Services (Planning, GIS, Grants Preparation)

Rick Green.....Government Services Director..... 941-8072
Cason Wright.....Government Services Project Manager.....941-8065

Workforce Development (Workforce Investment Act, Welfare-to-Work)

Kal Kunkel..... Workforce Development Director.....941-8074
Ashley Shaffer.....Workforce Operations Manager.....941-8061
Amber Bearden..... Workforce Board Coordinator941-8055
Toni Belton.....Workforce Partner Engagement Manager.....941-8095

South Carolina Regional Councils of Governments

- 1** Appalachian Council of Governments
30 Century Circle
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 242-9733
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Steve Pelissier, Executive Director
Anderson, Cherokee, Greenville, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg

- 2** Upper Savannah Council of Governments
P.O. Box 1366
Greenwood, SC 29648
(864) 941-8050
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Patricia C. Hartung, Executive Director
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- 3** Catawba Regional Council of Governments
P.O. Box 450
Rock Hill, SC 29731
(803) 327-9041
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- 4** Central Midlands Council of Governments
236 Stoneridge Drive
Columbia, SC 29210
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- 5** Lower Savannah Council of Governments
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FAX 649-2248
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- 6** Santee-Lynches Regional Council of Governments
P.O. Box 1837,
Sumter, SC 29151
(803) 775-7381
FAX 773-9903
Dennis Cyphers, Executive Director
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- 7** Pee Dee Regional Council of Governments
P.O. Box 5719
Florence, SC 29502
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FAX 669-0511
Johnny Brown, Executive Director
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- 8** Waccamaw Regional Council of Governments
1230 Highmarket Street
Georgetown, SC 29440
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Sarah Smith, Executive Director
Georgetown, Horry, Williamsburg
- 9** Berkeley-Charleston-Dorchester Council of Governments
5790 Casper Padgett Way
North Charleston, SC 29406
843-529-0400
FAX 529-0305
Ron Mitchum, Executive Director
Berkeley, Charleston, Dorchester
- 10** Lowcountry Council of Governments
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The Index-Journal
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Greenwood, SC 29648-1018
Phone: 223-1411 (FAX: 223-7331)
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Clinton Chronicle
513 N Broad St
Clinton, SC 29325
Phone: 833-1900 (FAX: 833-1902)
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The Twin City News
114 E. Columbia Ave.
Batesburg-Leesville, SC 29006
Phone: (803) 532-6203
Publish Date: Thursday

The State
1927 Thurmond Mall
Ste. 102 Columbia, SC 29201
Phone: (803) 771-6161
Publish Date: Daily

Newberry Observer
1716 Main St., PO Box 558
Newberry, SC 29108
(803) 276-0625 Phone (FAX: 276-1517)
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Laurens County Advertiser
P.O. Box 490 (218 West Laurens St)
Laurens, SC 29360
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The Journal Messenger & Reporter
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Anderson Independent
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