

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF PICKENS)

RESOLUTION # 2021-23

RESOLUTION 2021-22 DECLARING OCTOBER 2021 FIRST RESPONDER MONTH IN PICKENS COUNTY.

WHEREAS, an estimated 4.6 million career and volunteer firefighters, police, emergency medical technicians, and paramedic workers serve communities all across the nation, according to the Department of Homeland Security; and

WHEREAS, in 2017 Congress designated October 28th as National First Responders Day; and

WHEREAS, in Pickens County there are 481 individuals who serve as first responders, including all part-time and full-time employed men and women in our fire service, emergency medical services, sheriff office, and rescue squad volunteers; and

WHEREAS, Pickens County first responders have served faithfully throughout the unprecedented public health crisis and ongoing coronavirus pandemic, and

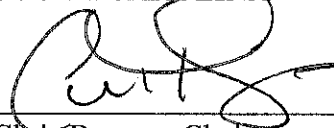
WHEREAS first responders put their lives on the line and make sacrifices every day to serve the people of Pickens County and keep us all safe; and

WHEREAS, these individuals, who are devoted to protecting our communities, are deserving of recognition for the service they provide;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Pickens County Council does hereby recognize October 28th as National First Responders Day and designates October as First Responder Month in Pickens County.

Passed and approved, this 4 day of October, 2021.

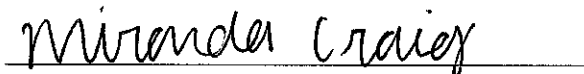
COUNTY COUNCIL OF PICKENS COUNTY,
SOUTH CAROLINA



Chris Bowers, Chairman of County Council
Pickens County, South Carolina

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Attest:



Deputy Clerk of County Council
Pickens County, South Carolina