NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION TOWN OF LINCOLNVILLE, SC NOVEMBER 02, 2021

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that The Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration will conduct a General Election for the Town of Lincolnville on Tuesday, November 02, 2021 to fill one (01) seat for the office of Mayor and three (03) Town Council Seats.

This is a non-partisan municipal election and no party affiliation shall be placed on the ballot. **Term of office will expire November 2025.**

Candidate filing opens 12:00 noon on Monday, August 09, 2021 and closes 12:00 noon on Friday, August 20, 2021.

A Statement of Economic Interest form must be filed electronically (on-line) at http://ethics.sc.gov prior to filing a Statement of Candidacy and or Petition. Those requiring electronic filing assistance may contact the South Carolina State Ethics Commission at (803) 253-4192.

Residents desiring to file as a candidate for the office of Town Council Seat must file a Statement of Candidacy with the Town Clerk/Treasurer at the Town of Lincolnville, Charles Ross Municipal Complex, 141 West Broad Street, Lincolnville, South Carolina. The filing fee for the office of Mayor is one hundred dollars (\$ 100.00) and fifty dollars (\$ 50.00) for the office of Town Council. **All filing fees are non-refundable**. Please make checks payable to the Town of Lincolnville. Business hours are Monday ~ Friday, 12:00 Noon to 5:00 P. M. **Face Coverings Must Be Worn At All Times.** You may call the Town Hall at (843) 873-3261 to obtain additional information.

The last day that persons may register to be eligible to vote in this election (In Person) is October 1, 2021. (Online deadline is Sunday, October 3, 2021). If submitting a voter registration application by mail or fax, it must be post marked no later than Monday, October 4, 2021.

Registered voters who cannot vote in person may be eligible to vote by Absentee Ballot. Absentee Ballots may be obtained from the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration. You may call (843) 744-8683 or send an email to absentee@charlestoncounty.org to inquire about the availability of absentee ballots.

At 9:00 a.m., on Monday, November 01, 2021 the Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration will begin the examination of the absentee ballot return envelopes. This process will take place at the elections office, 4367 Headquarters Road, North Charleston, South Carolina.

On Thursday, November 04, 2021 at **2:00 P.M.**, the **Municipal Election Commission** will hold a public hearing at the Charles Ross Municipal Complex, 141 West Broad St., Lincolnville, South Carolina to determine the validity of all ballots challenged in this election, and certify election results.

Any runoff election will be held on Tuesday, November 16, 2021 at the precinct fixed by law indicated below.

This Municipal Election will be held under new rules for providing Photo ID at the polling place. The following precinct and polling place will open from 7:00 AM until 7:00 PM.

Lincolnville
Lincolnville Public Safety Building
143 West Pine Street, Lincolnville, South Carolina