

AN ORDINANCE

TO AMEND THE 2021-2022 BUDGET ORDINANCE NO. 2161, TO PROVIDE FOR THE INCREASE OF ST. JOHN’S FIRE DISTRICTS GENERAL FUND BUDGET BY APPROPRIATING AN ADDITIONAL \$1,500,000 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2021, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2022, HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS FISCAL YEAR 2022; TO PROVIDE FOR BUDGETARY CONTROL OF SAID APPROPRIATIONS BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL AND THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AND OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO.

WHEREAS, Charleston County Council enacted Ordinance Number 2161 on June 22, 2021, which provided approval of the Fiscal Year 2022 budget for the St. John’s Fire District, and

WHEREAS, the District has requested a revision to the budget ordinance, and

WHEREAS, as provided in Ordinance Number 2161, County Council must approve an amendment to said Budget Ordinance when fund totals are adjusted,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY CHARLESTON COUNTY COUNCIL that Charleston County Ordinance No. 2161 is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 1:

Section 2 is amended by increasing the General Fund budget amount for the St. John’s Fire District by \$1,500,000 so that Section 2 shall read as follows:

That the General Fund budgets of the Agencies listed below are hereby approved for the corresponding amounts by Charleston County Council:

| <i>Agency</i> | <i>General Fund</i> |
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| Charleston County Park & Recreation Commission | \$36,471,678 |
| Cooper River Park & Playground Commission | 271,599 |
| North Charleston District | 1,266,185 |
| St. Andrew’s Parish Parks & Playground Commission | 3,827,892 |
| St. John’s Fire District | 16,805,994 |
| St. Paul’s Fire District | 7,565,000 |

SECTION 2: If any provision of this Ordinance or its applications to any circumstance is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid for any reason, this holding shall not affect other provisions or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are declared by Council to be severable.

SECTION 3: The remainder of the original Ordinance shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall take effect following approval of third reading.

First Reading: September 14, 2021
Second Reading: September 28, 2021
Third Reading: October 12, 2021