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RESOLUTION NO.: R-2010-027

Authorizing Notice of Election to add City Council District 2

WHEREAS, a vacancy has occurred in City Council District 2, which term ends on June 30, 2012; and,

WHEREAS, such vacancy occurred on March 9, 2010; and,

WHEREAS, the vacancy occurred less than one hundred eighty (180) days prior to the City's next regular election to be held on April 6, 2010; and,

WHEREAS, the Notice of Election for Mayor, City Council District 1, City Council District 4 and one City Council at large seat, with terms ending on June 30, 2014, was published in the State Newspaper on December 21, 2009 and again on January 3, 2010 pursuant to Resolution R-2009-089 enacted on December 16, 2009; and,

WHEREAS, a copy of such notice has been provided to the South Carolina Ethics Commission and the South Carolina Election Commission; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Columbia, South Carolina this 10th day of March, 2010, that pursuant to S.C. Code of Laws §5-7-200 that the filing period to file as a candidate for the vacant City Council District 2 seat shall open at 8:30 a.m. on Monday March 15, 2010 and be closed at 12:00 p.m. on Friday, March 19, 2010; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the attached Notice of Election shall be published in <u>The State</u> Newspaper on or before March 14, 2010; and the City Clerk is directed to provide a copy of such notice to the South Carolina Ethics Commission.

Requested by:

Approved by:

City Manager

Approved as to form:

Attorney

Introduced: 3/10/2010 Final Reading: 3/10/2010 ATTECT.

City Clark

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL ELECTION

The Municipal Election Commission of the City of Columbia announces the general election for the City of Columbia to be held on Tuesday, April 6, 2010.

The following offices shall be included in this election:

Mayor for term ending 2014.

Councilmember from District 1 for term ending in 2014.

Councilmember for District 4 for term ending in 2014.

Councilmember for at-large seat for term ending in 2014.

Councilmember for District 2 for term ending in 2012.

The polling places for this election are:

Ward 1	Capital Senior Center, 1650 Park Circle
Ward 2	Marion Street Apartments, 1930 Marion St.
Ward 3/Ardincaple	Reformation Lutheran Church, 1118 Union St.
Ward 4	Park Street Baptist Church, 2204 Park St.
Ward 5/Bluff/Olympia	Pacific Memorial Park, 200 Wayne St.
Ward 6	Bradley Elementary School, 3032 Pine Belt Rd.
Ward 7	W.A. Perry Middle School, 2600 Barhamville Rd.
Ward 8	David H. Swinton Campus Center, 1616 Oak St.
Ward 9	Prince Hall Masonic Lodge, 2324 Gervais St.
Ward 10	A.C. Moore Elementary School, 333 Etiwan Ave.
Ward 11	Ben Arnold Recreation Center, 1100 S. Holly St.
Ward 12	Hand Middle School, 2600 Wheat St.
Ward 13	Rosewood Elementary, 3300 Rosewood Dr.
Ward 14	Sims Park, 3500 Duncan St.
Ward 15	Melrose Park, 1500 Fairview Dr.
Ward 16	Dreher High School, 3319 Millwood Ave.
Ward 17	Brennan Elementary, 4438 Devereaux Rd.
Ward 18	Old Watkins School, 2612 Covenant Rd.
Ward 19	Latimer Manor Community Center, 100 Lorick Circle
Ward 20	Earlewood Park Community Center, 1111 Parkside Dr.
Ward 21	Arden Elementary, 1300 Ashley St.
Ward 22/Dennyside/Monticello/Ridgewood	Eau Claire High School, 4800 Monticello Rd.
Ward 23	Shandon Fire Station, 2847 Devine St.
Ward 24	Kilbourne Park Baptist Church, 4205 Kilbourne Rd.
Ward 25	Kilbourne Park Baptist Church, 4205 Kilbourne Rd.

Ward 26
Ward 29
Alcorn Middle School, 5125 Fairfield Rd.
Ward 30
Arsenal Hill Park, 1800 Lincoln St.
Ward 31
Hyatt Park Elementary, 4200 Main St.
Ward 32
Drew Wellness Center, 2101 Walker Solomon Way

Ward 33 Martin Luther King Memorial Park, 2300 Green St.

Ward 34 Pinehurst Park, 2300 Pinehurst Rd.

Brandon Annie Burnside Elementary, 7300 Patterson Rd.
College Place John P. Thomas Elementary, 6001 Weston Ave.
Edgewood Burton-Pack Elementary, 111 Garden Dr.

Fairwold/Meadowlake Pendergrass-Fairwold Elementary, 5935 Token St.

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Greenview Greenview Park, 6700 David St.

Gregg Park/Woodfield Shandon Baptist Church, 5250 Forest Dr.

Hampton South Kilbourne Elementary, 1400 S. Kilbourne Rd. Harbison# 1/Harbison # 2/Oak Pointe Harbison Community Center, 106 Hillpine Rd. Keenan W.G. Sanders Middle School, 3455 Pine Belt Rd.

Lykesland/Caughman Road/Mill Creek/Pine Lakes Caughman Road Elementary, 7725 Caughman Rd.

Meadowfield Meadowfield Elementary, 525 Galway Lane
Parkridge/Riverwalk/River Springs Harbison Fire Station, 131 Lake Murray Blvd.

Pennington Asbury Memorial United Methodist, 1005 Asbury Dr.

Polo Road Park, 730 Polo Rd.

Pontiac Pontiac Elementary, 500 Spears Creek Rd.
St. Andrews/Riverside/Westminster St. Andrews Middle, 1231 Bluefield Rd.
Skyland Drive Bible Church, 901 Skyland Dr.
South Beltline VFW Post 641, 534 South Beltline Blvd.

Walden/Beatty Road/Kingswood/Pine Grove
Woodlands

Wrw Post 641, 534 South Beitime Blvd.

Pine Grove Elementary, 111 Huffstetler Dr.

Woodlands Park, 6500 Olde Knight Parkway

Quail Valley (Lexington) Harbison Community Center, 106 Hillpine Road

People desiring to vote in the upcoming election must have been registered with the County Board of Voter Registration by Friday, March 5, 2010.

Citizens desiring to be candidates for the City Council District 2 seat must file a statement of candidacy and completed Statement of Economic Interest with the City Clerk, 3rd floor, City Hall, 1737 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina. Books will be open for filing on Monday, March 15, 2010 and remain open during regular business hours (8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.) and will close at 12:00 p.m. on Friday, March 19, 2010. No statement of candidacy or Statement of Economic Interest will be accepted after 12:00 o'clock p.m., Friday, March 19, 2010.

The filing fee for the office of council is \$90.00.

This is a nonpartisan election and no party affiliation shall be placed on the ballot.

The polls shall open at 7:00 a.m. on Election Day and close at 7:00 p.m.

At 9:00 a.m. on said Election Day the commissioners will begin examination of the absentee ballot return envelopes. This examination will be held in the 4th Floor Conference Room, Richland County Administration Building, 2020 Hampton Street, Columbia, South Carolina.

On Thursday, Thursday, April 8, 2010, at 2:00 p.m. at Council Chambers, 2nd floor, Richland County Administration Building, 2020 Hampton Street, Columbia, South Carolina, the Municipal Election Commission shall hold a hearing to determine the validity of ballots challenged, if any, in this election.

Any run-off will be held two weeks after the election on Tuesday, April 20, 2010