RESOLUTION 06-23-05

APPROVAL FOR THE CITY OF HARTSVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT (HPD) TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) WITH THE SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACCREDITATION, INC. (SCLEA) FOR STATE ACCREDITATION.

WHEREAS, this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the South Carolina Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc. (SCLEA) and the City of Hartsville Police Department (HPD) will provide inspection, assessment and administrative tasks associated with state law enforcement accreditation; and,

WHEREAS, the SCLEA is the official South Carolina state accrediting body for law enforcement agencies; and,

WHEREAS, the voluntary accreditation initiative for professional improvement and commitment to professional law enforcement practices is developed from South Carolina state law, expertise and best practices focused on improving quality and delivery of law enforcement services to the citizens; and,

WHEREAS, SCLEA is responsible for assessing compliance with standards in order to determine eligibility for state accreditation and maintaining compliance for continued accreditation while HPD is responsible for conducting a self-assessment for compliance with applicable standards, providing proofs or other evidence to verify compliance for each standard to SCLEA and the purchase and maintenance of the PowerDMS software.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hartsville that the Memorandum of Understanding between the South Carolina Law Enforcement Accreditation, Inc. (SCLEA) and the City of Hartsville Police Department (HPD) in relation state law enforcement accreditation and any associated costs by the HPD is hereby approved.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Hartsville that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute all required documents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, in meeting duly advertised and assembled the 13th day of June 2023.

	Casey Hancock, Mayor	
ATTEST:		
Sherron L. Skipper, City Clerk		