AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 30-31 OF THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA TO CHANGE THE TYPE OF WARNING PROVIDED BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT OR OTHER OFFICER FOR UNLAWFUL AMPLIFICATION AND TO AMEND SECTION 30-32 OF THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA TO CHANGE THE TYPE OF WARNING PROVIDED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OR OTHER OFFICIAL TO ABATE OR REDUCE NOISE.

WHEREAS, Section 30-31 of the Code of the County of Spartanburg contains provisions regarding unlawful amplification and requires certain notice be provided regarding operation or allowing operation of sound amplification equipment; and

WHEREAS, Section 30-32 of the Code of the County of Spartanburg contains provisions regarding a warning or request for abatement and requires certain notice be provided before a charge of violation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY SPARTANBURG COUNTY COUNCIL:

SECTION 1. Unlawful Amplification. Section 30-31 (1) of the Code of the County of Spartanburg, South Carolina is hereby amended by deleting the language “warning, written or oral,” and by substituting in its place the language “a written warning”.

SECTION 2. Warning or Request for Abatement. Section 30-32 (b) of the Code of the County of Spartanburg, South Carolina is hereby amended by deleting the language “The warning may be oral or in writing” and by substituting in its place the language “The warning must be in writing”.
SECTION 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect upon third reading approval.

SPARTANBURG COUNTY COUNCIL

By: [Signature]

Jeffrey A. Horton
Chairman

ATTESTED:

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James H. Hipp
Deputy County Administrator

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