

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF YORK) RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY
MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE
TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT UNIT

There is evidence that motor vehicle violations, driving under the influence, and other traffic violations in York County have a substantial and detrimental effect on the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of the municipalities of Rock Hill, Tega Cay, and York, the towns of Clover, and Fort Mill, the County of York and the State of South Carolina. In an effort to provide for a more comprehensive and coordinated regional approach to traffic enforcement and to provide for a more effective use of public resources, various agreements have been entered into between York County (to meet statutory requirements), the York County Sheriff's Office and the police departments of the municipalities of York, Rock Hill, Clover, Fort Mill, and Tega Cay. These agreements have provided for the transfer of municipal officers to the York County Sheriff's Office for selective traffic enforcement on a temporary basis and to confer county jurisdiction to those officers so transferred. Each agency has participated with the knowledge, approval and funding provided by York County Council and each respective municipal council. Each agency has transferred officers to the York County Sheriff's office, on a temporary basis, for assignment to the York County Multi-Jurisdictional Selective Traffic Enforcement Unit.

The York County Multi-Jurisdictional Selective Traffic Enforcement Unit has the following responsibilities:

- A. To gather and compile data relating to traffic enforcement needs;
- B. To devise plans for joint traffic enforcement actions, including coordination with court and detention services;
- C. To conduct briefings immediately preceding each joint traffic enforcement action to disseminate information regarding the operation;
- D. To conduct joint traffic enforcement actions and engage in public education efforts as necessary in order to effectively reduce traffic violations in York County; and
- E. To prepare after-action reports as necessary and appropriate to evaluate the success of each event.

Pursuant to any potentially applicable statutory requirements and the holding in *State v. Boswell*, Opinion No. 26941 of the Supreme Court of South Carolina filed March 14, 2011, the York County Council and each municipal council do hereby ratify, accept, approve and bind said councils to those prior agreements as if said councils had been

signatories on each of the prior agreements.

In witness whereof, the lawful representative of the parties hereto have set their hands and seals of their respective office by separate signature page.

Signature page for the **County of York** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

J. Britt Blackwell
Chairman, York County Council

Attest: James E. Baker
County Manager

Bruce M. Bryant
Sheriff of York County

Date

Signature page for the **City of Rock Hill** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

Name: _____
Title _____

Name _____
Title _____

John Gregory – Chief of Police

Date

Signature page for the **City of York** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

Name: _____
Title _____

Name _____
Title _____

Andy Robinson – Chief of Police

Date

Signature page for the **City of Tega Cay** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

Name: _____
Title _____

Name _____
Title _____

Rick Evelsizer – Chief of Police

Date

Signature page for the **Town of Fort Mill** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

Name: _____
Title _____

Name _____
Title _____

Jeff Helms – Chief of Police

Date

Signature page for the **Town of Clover** to sign RATIFICATION OF YORK COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL SELECTIVE TRAFFIC ENFORCMENT UNIT.

Name: _____
Title _____

Name _____
Title _____

Randy Grice – Chief of Police

Date