RESOLUTION #13-16

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF NEWBERRY

RESOLUTION HONORING FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH SECURITY TEAM

WHEREAS, Fairview Baptist Church recently formed a Security Team, after Pastor Osborne and several Deacons and other church members attended a "Safety in the Sanctuary" seminar administered by the Newberry County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, after the training the church acquired an automated external defibrillator (AED), and members attended CPR/AED training on August 6, 2016; and

WHEREAS, a longtime member of the church finished a solo song and collapsed, and the pastor and security team quickly put into action the training they had learned by administering CPR and activating the AED at least three different times, and they were able to resuscitate the congregation member and he regained a pulse and EMS arrived and was able to transport him to a medical facility in Columbia; and

WHEREAS, the congregation member was able to talk with the EMS crew during the transport and with his family and friends that evening while at the hospital, even though he subsequently passed away the next morning

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT NEWBERRY COUNTY COUNCIL HEREBY RECOGNIZES THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE CHURUCH DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE ADMINSTRAION OF THE LIFE SAVING PROCEDURES:

Pastor Monty Osborne	Jeri Powtak	Allison Moore
Jason Watson	Dannette Poole	

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be published in the official minutes of the Newberry Council and a framed copy of this Resolution shall be presented to Fairview Baptist Church.

AND IT IS SO RESOLVED this 5th day of October 2016.

NEWBERRY COUNTY COUNCIL

BY:

Henry H. Livingston, III, Chairman

Attest:

Laurie N. Renwick, Clerk to Council