

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND
THE TEXT OF THE SUMTER COUNTY
COMPREHENSIVE PLAN ORDINANCE (99-371)**

WHEREAS, the request by the Planning Commission Staff to amend the text of the County Comprehensive Plan Ordinance, has been duly considered by the Planning Commission and all requirements of Ordinance have been complied with; and

WHEREAS, the request has been forwarded to County Council with a recommendation for approval from the Planning Commission and County Council concurs with their recommendation;

Now Therefore, Be It Ordained by the County Council of the County of Sumter, South Carolina, at its regular meeting duly assembled and by the authority thereof the Comprehensive Plan is amended as follows: :

Make the following changes to Part III, Economic Development, page 55:

The term “*entrepreneur*” applies to a few people (but not most people) who possess a unique set of traits that leads them to believe that they are in control of their own economic destiny. The entrepreneur is a key player in the American economy because these individuals tend to possess an *unborrowed vision* for innovation that transcends any given business sector within the present economy. The Sumter County Career Center and Central Carolina Technical College could be ~~that organization~~ *the organizations* in the community that inspires budding entrepreneurs to pursue their ideas and dreams. A course and curriculum at the Career Center and Central Carolina Technical College should be developed that expounds upon the nature of entrepreneurship and attempts to show how to pursue good ideas. If the Career Center is to champion the cause of entrepreneurship, the course should be made available to all interested parties regardless of age or education.

Make the following changes to Part III, Economic Development, page 58 (add recommendation 15):

RECOMMENDATION #15:

PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR SMALL BUSINESSES THROUGHOUT THE CITY AND COUNTY.

Provide support for small businesses throughout the City and County so they may grow and support the entire Community.

Make the following changes to Part VI, Community Facilities, page 82:

Alternative Education

PAL Academy

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Sumter County Career Center

Make the following changes to Part VII, Land Use, page 100:

- (e) Develop measures to gage the accuracy of the long-range plan and Zoning Ordinance and to guide the updates to the plan and Zoning Ordinance.

All other sections of the Comprehensive Plan Ordinance of the County of Sumter, South Carolina, and subsequent amendments, shall remain as previously adopted.

Adopted by County Council, this ____ DAY OF _____, 2002 to take effect immediately.

SUMTER COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA



Frank E. Williams, Jr., Chairman

ATTEST:

Mary W. Blanding
Clerk to County Council

First Reading: **December 11, 2001**
 Second Reading: **January 8, 2002**
 Public Hearing: **January 8, 2002**
 Third Reading and Adoption: **January 22, 2002**

cc: Planning Director
 Assessor's Office
 Clerk To Council