

State of South Carolina }
County of Sumter }

Resolution

National Association Of Counties Month

WHEREAS, the nation's 3,068 counties provide a variety of essential public services to communities serving 300 million Americans; and

WHEREAS, Sumter County and all counties take seriously their responsibility to protect and enhance the health, welfare, and safety of its residents in sensible and cost-effective ways; and

WHEREAS, as employers, counties throughout this nation provide health insurance benefits to nearly three million county employees and their retirees nationwide; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Counties is the only national organization that represents county governments in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Counties and Sumter County are working together to **Restore the Partnership** among all levels of government to better serve American communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, Vivian Fleming McGhaney, Chairman, do hereby proclaim April 2010 as National County Government Month and encourage all County officials, employees, and residents to join hands to continue making Sumter a better place to live, learn, work, play, and worship.

DONE AND RATIFIED, in the County Council regular meeting held this 13TH of April 2010.
Sumter County Council



Vivian Fleming McGhaney

Its: Chairwoman, Vivian Fleming-McGhaney

ATTEST

Mary W. Blanding

Its: Clerk, Mary W. Blanding