

RESOLUTION COMMITTING THE TOWN OF MCCLELLANVILLE TO PROVIDING A LOCAL MATCH FOR A MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH CAROLINA BIG IDEA GRANT AND FOLLOWING ITS PROCUREMENT POLICY

WHEREAS the Town of McClellanville aims to preserve and stabilize the McClellanville Community Center, a vital community asset located at 711 Pinckney Street; and

WHEREAS the Municipal Association of South Carolina offers Big Idea Grants to support bold, creative municipal projects with long-term community impact; and

WHEREAS, the Town has adopted a procurement policy in accordance with SC Code Section 11-35-50 that embodies sound principles of competitive procurement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MCCLELLANVILLE, here assembled on this 2nd day of September 2025, that:

1. The McClellanville Town Council commits to providing a local match of at least \$5,000 from funds obtained from the State Budget which meets the minimum 5% local match required by the Municipal Association of South Carolina, to support the Town's application for a Big Idea Grant of \$100,000.
2. The Council acknowledges that the grant operates on a reimbursement basis and commits to expending funds before seeking reimbursement.
3. The Council will adhere to its procurement policy adopted in accordance with SC Code Section 11-35-50 when acquiring all services and products purchased with funds awarded from the Big Idea Grant.
4. The Council agrees to finish the project and use all grant funds within 24 months of the award, as required by the grant program.

This resolution is adopted to support the Town's application for Big Idea Grant funds, which will be submitted to the Municipal Association of South Carolina on or before September 26, 2025.

ATTEST:

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Rutledge B. Leland III, Mayor

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Michelle McClellan, Clerk of Council

Approved as to form:

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W. Andrew Gowder Jr., Town Attorney