State of South Carolina *

* Ordinance 2024-016

County of Lancaster

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Town of Kershaw

AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT A POLICY AND FEE SCHEDULE FOR REQUESTS FOR PUBLIC RECORDS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

WHEREAS, Town of Kershaw Town Council ("Council") hereby duly assembled, recognizes pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act ("*FOIA*"), as codified at Sections 30-4-10 *et seq.* of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended, the General Assembly finds that it is vital in a democratic society that public business be performed in an open and public manner so that citizens shall be advised of the performance of public officials and of the decisions that are reached in public activity and in the formulation of public policy;

WHEREAS, the Council of the Town of Kershaw, desires to adopt a policy regarding requests for public records under the Freedom of Information Act;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 30-4-30 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, as amended, the Council of the Town of Kershaw has established the fee schedule below referenced as Freedom of Information Act Fee Schedule for Public Records;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and Town Council adopt the attached policy and fee schedule for requests for public records under the Freedom of Information Act;

AND IT IS SO ORDAINED this ordinance is effective this 19TH day of August, 2024 in meeting duly assembled in the Town of Kershaw, South Carolina.

First Reading: July 15, 2024

Mayor H. Mark Dorman

Second Reading: August 19, 2024

Attest: Town Clerk Alicia DeBruhl

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