



County Hospital in maintaining its facilities and continuing to provide services to the citizens of Newberry County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Newberry County Council affirms its opposition to Parkridge Hospital expressed in Council Resolution No. 16-06.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that Newberry County Council clarifies, ratifies, and affirms its consent to Newberry County Hospital and its Board of Directors taking all administrative and legal steps necessary to oppose Parkridge Hospital, including Newberry County Hospital initiating and participating in the Certificate of Need project review process and the Administrative Law Court's contested case process, including all appeals therefrom.

**BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED** that Newberry County Council, in order to ensure that no legal technicalities deprive the County and its citizens of the right to protect the Hospital through the contested case review process, hereby authorizes and directs the Hospital's legal counsel to take all steps to accomplish the intervention of the County as a named party in any or all contested case proceedings currently pending concerning the Parkridge Hospital project.

**AND IT IS SO RESOLVED IN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED AT NEWBERRY, SOUTH CAROLINA, THE 3<sup>rd</sup> DAY OF Dec., 2008.**

(SEAL)

**NEWBERRY COUNTY COUNCIL**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Henry B. Summer, Chairman**

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

**Clerk to Council**