

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
COUNTY OF)

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-12-350

WHEREAS, Allendale, Bamberg and Barnwell Counties have entered into a joint effort to improve health care within the three Counties, hereinafter referred to as the Tri-County Health Care Initiative, and

WHEREAS, the Tri-County Health Care Initiative has resulted in letters of intent that reflect the sum and substance of the Community Objectives as developed by interviews with citizens and residents of all three Counties, and

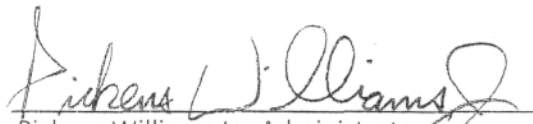
WHEREAS, there were several excellent candidates who chose to respond to the Tri-County Health Care initiative, and

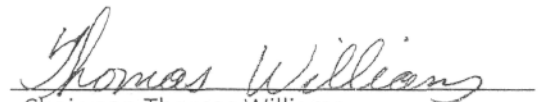
WHEREAS, the three Counties created a sub-committee made up of County Councilpersons, hospital board administrators, legal and health care providers to review the proposals received, and

WHEREAS, the Letter of Intent from Health Management Partners, LLC appears to be the best proposal closest to meeting the Community Objectives;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that Barnwell County authorizes its Chairperson to execute the Letter of Intent from Health Care Management Partners, LLC and to begin the negotiations for a definitive agreement to provide healthcare on a Regional basis within the above three Counties.

AND IT IS SO RESOLVED, by a majority of County Council on this the 15th day of December, 2010.


Pickens Williams Jr., Administrator


Chairman Thomas Williams

Voting For:
Voting Against:
Abstain

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