

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF EDGEFIELD)

RESOLUTION NO: 20-21-1135

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING WILL WILLIAMS

WHEREAS, Edgefield County Council wishes to recognize those persons who have distinguished themselves in the service to Edgefield County;

WHEREAS, Will Williams has served as the President and CEO the Economic Development Partnership since May 2010 and continues to serve the Partnership and Edgefield County by assisting existing industries and recruiting additional industries for Edgefield County, both of which are crucial for Edgefield County’s growth and prosperity;

WHEREAS, Will Williams just recruited to Edgefield County the largest industrial prospect in at least 50-plus years with the announcement of Generac Power Systems;

WHEREAS, Generac is a leading global power and energy technology company serving the residential, commercial and industrial markets and will establish operations in Edgefield County;

WHEREAS the multi-million dollar Generac investment will create 450 new jobs in this new manufacturing facility for Edgefield County citizens;

WHEREAS, Will Williams has amassed many awards for his professional economic development endeavors, including the professional designation of Certified Economic Developer and awarded the 2017 Local Developer of the Year by the SC Economic Development Association; the William D. Workman III Buffalo Hunter Award by the Greenville Area Development Corporation, their highest honor; and just recently named one of North America’s Top 50 Economic Developers by Consultant Connect; and

WHEREAS Will Williams continues to be successful in bringing new developments to Edgefield County and continues to support and encourage existing industry expansions;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Edgefield County Council in session duly assembled this 2nd day of March, 2021 that Will Williams be honored for his services to the citizens of Edgefield County.

Adopted this 4th day of May, 2021.

Edgefield County Council

Scott Cooper, Chairman

Albert Talbert, Vice Chairman

Dean Campbell, Council Member

Jackie Kennion, Council Member

Tiffani Ireland, Council Member

ATTEST

Taz Potts, Clerk to Council