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State of South Carolina

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*1 Mr. Jimmy Green
James Island Parks & Playgrounds Commission
1058 Renwood Drive
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Dear Mr. Green:

In response to your request for an opinion from this Office as to whether or not an individual who is a resident of that portion of James Island which is within the incorporated limits of the City of Charleston is eligible for membership on the James Island Park & Playground Commission, my opinion is that he is eligible. Act No. 1604 of 1972 [57 STAT. 3135 (1972)] provides that:

. . . All members of the commission shall be residents of James Island . . .

If the individual is in fact a resident of James Island, the fact that he is a resident of a portion of James Island which is not within the service area of the James Island Public Service District is not significant inasmuch as the statute requires only residence on the island itself.

With kind regards,

Karen LeCraft Henderson
Senior Assistant Attorney General

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