January 4, 2024 10:00 AM – 1:45 PM Meeting No. 3 (Hybrid Format) Stanley Arts Center 105 Lee Avenue, Hampton, SC 29924

Lower Savannah-Salkehatchie River Basin Council

January 4, 2024 Meeting Agenda

Meeting Objectives:

	 Review and finalize the vision and goals Learn about the climatology of the Savannah and Salkehatchie basins Learn about the Drought Response Act and drought management plans Learn about South Carolina water law and regulation Learn about land use, population growth, other characteristics of the basin 	٦٥
1.	 Call the Meeting to Order (John Boyer) a. Review of Meeting Objectives b. Approval of Agenda c. Approval of December 7th Minutes and Summary d. Housekeeping Items 	10:00–10:10
2.	Public Comment (John Boyer) a. Public Comment Period ¹ b. Agency Comment Period	10:10–10:15
3.	December Meeting Highlights	10:15–10:30
4.	Review RBC Vision and Finalize Goals (John Boyer)	10:30-11:00
	Break	11:00–11:10
5.	State and Lower Savannah-Salkehatchie River Basin Climatology (Hope Mizell, SCDNR)	11:10–11:35
6.	South Carolina Drought Response Act (Elliot Wickham, SCDNR)	11:35–12:00
	Lunch	12:00–12:30
7.	Review of Existing Drought Management Plans	12:30–12:45

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¹ To make a public comment you must be signed into the Zoom meeting to raise your hand, be unmuted, and formally recognized. Those who wish to make a public comment and are calling in must submit their public comment via e-mail to <u>tcwalke@clemson.edu</u> by December 14, 2023 to be read at the next meeting.

8.	SC DHEC's Role in Surface Water Quantity Permitting (Leigh Anne Monroe, SCDHEC)	12:45–1:15
9.	Land Use, Population Growth, and Other Characteristics of the Lower Savannah and Salkehatchie River Basins (John Boyer)	1:15–1:30
10.	Upcoming Meeting Schedule, Topics, and Field Trips (John Boyer)	1:30-1:45