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REVISION TO EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-16, SECTION 1(C)

WHAT DOES THIS REVISION TO EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-16, SECTION 1(C) MEAN?

Public landings have reopened statewide effective April 17 at 12 p.m. and are available for launching and/or retrieving boats by the public. However, the revision also authorizes the managing authority of said public boat landings and ramps to keep them closed if they feel it is necessary to protect public health.

WHAT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH THIS REVISION?

- The Governor's previous executive orders enforcing social distancing guidelines still apply. Boats are limited to groups of no more than two people, with the exception of family members from the same household.
- Beaching or rafting of boats, whether on a sandbar, lakeshore, riverbank, or island is prohibited. Vessels must remain underway at all times unless exigent circumstances exist or anchoring to fish.
 - Piers, docks and wharfs remain closed.
 - Public beach accesses also remain closed.





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While most of our staff is working remotely we want you to know that everyday we are diligently working for you the citizens of the state of South Carolina.

We appreciate our Community Relations Council members who are the eyes and ears of the South Carolina Human Affairs Commission.

During this time of social distancing because of the COVID-19, we must still look out for our family, friends and neighbors.

The South Carolina Human Affairs Commission is here to assist employees and employers navigate issues related to COVID-19 and employment.

If you have employment related questions, please call the South Carolina Human Affairs

Commission at

803-737-7800 or 1-800-521-0725.

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An Example of a Kind, Selfless Act!

A number of years ago, SC Human Affairs Commission Intake Officer Cindy Cooke, was an advocate for the homeless population in Colorado. So, when the COVID-19 pandemic began, Cindy immediately thought about all of the seniors who get meals delivered and those who live alone with their pets and have a hard time feeding them.

"It was nothing fancy or spectacular, I just put out a couple of boxes in the office," Cindy said. She thought if a few friends, family members and staff all pitched in *a little* we would end up with *a lot* of donations. How right she was! In no time, *over 20 boxes* were ready to be donated to the Senior Resources Meals on Wheels Program.

Thank you Cindy and everyone who made donations to this worthy cause!



Annual Event Calendar for COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCILS

February African American History

March Women's History/End Racism Day

April Fair Housing

May Law Enforcement/ Community Relations

June
Disaster Preparedness/
Emanuel 9
Remembrance Day, Peace & Reconciliation

July Employment Discrimination/ Economic Opportunity

> August Youth Project/ Back to School

September Hispanic Heritage/ Cultural Diversity

October Disability Employment Awareness

November American Indian Heritage/ Veterans' Appreciation

December Aging & Poverty Issues