A RESOLUTION REGARDING THE PUBLIC EDUCATION SYSTEM AND TENURE

WHEREAS, higher education systems are failing to act in the public interest by promoting an unbalanced political climate on college campuses; and

WHEREAS, it has become increasingly obvious America's public schools and institutions of higher learning have disproportionately hired liberal, leftist instructors who promote the Marxist-indoctrination of our youth, infecting them with ideas that reject objective truth, history, and reality, thereby producing students who are persuaded to promote socialism without realizing the positive impact of capitalism on American culture; and

WHEREAS, capitalism is an economic and political system that embodies the liberties established in our Constitution by our Founding Fathers; and

WHEREAS, a government educating its citizens in morality raises serious philosophical questions regarding the state's role in supplying not just financial and material needs of education and specifying and delivering a program of study; and

WHEREAS, the South Carolina Republican Party supports requiring public schools to promote and celebrate America's founding principles: equality of all humans, equal protection under the law, liberty, self-reliance, and hard work; and supports the prohibition of teaching the 1619 Project Curriculum, Critical Race Theory (CRT), and Social Emotional Learning (SEL) in South Carolina public schools,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the South Carolina Republican Party respectfully calls on the state legislature to accomplish the following in the upcoming legislative session:

- Promote instilling values and resilience through experiential learning in clubs, athletics, drama, or other organic means during the normal course of school experiences, and through family, civil and religious institutions as selected by each South Carolinian family in accordance with their own values and traditions.
- Cease funding of SEL or Social Emotional Learning K-12.
- Create and pass legislation ending education tenure in South Carolina.
- Require curriculum to be transparent and available to taxpayers and families to view.
- Require civics be taught to all high school students to graduate.