Dear fellow South Carolinian,

We recognize that receiving diverse feedback is critical to improving the future of health and environmental services in our state. The Task Force to Strengthen the Health and Promote the Environment of South Carolina (SHaPE SC) is seeking your feedback on how we can help shape a better future for the health of the public and the environment in South Carolina.

To support this effort, the task force is requesting your input on three questions:

1. How is our state doing now when it comes to delivering health and environmental services?
2. What are our state's greatest challenges to delivering effective, efficient, and accessible health and environmental services in the future?
3. If you could improve one to three things about our state's health and environmental services, what would they be and how do you recommend they be implemented to best serve our residents?

We Want to Hear from You

If you’re interested in sharing your constructive input with the task force, you can:
- Submit your written comments as an identified group or individual to shapesc@dhec.sc.gov, or
- Share your answers to the questions above by clicking here to participate in an anonymous, online survey.

Please note, for the purpose of this task force, health refers to both physical and behavioral health. All comments will be available to the public under the Freedom of Information Act. If you wish to remain anonymous, use the survey and do not send your comments by email. To help the task force in their evaluation process, please submit your comments by Aug. 30, 2021.
We appreciate your honest and thoughtful feedback as we work together to improve health and environmental services for all South Carolinians. In addition to sharing your thoughts, please also help us get the word out by sharing this email with others in your networks.

About SHaPE SC

SHaPE SC is comprised of a diverse group of stakeholders from various organizations, such as colleges, hospitals, advocacy groups, and other entities in South Carolina. It also includes leaders from each of the state’s health and environmental agencies. The task force was established earlier this year by the Director of the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control. Its members are charged with collaborating on recommendations to ensure that health and environmental protection services are delivered and accessible to all South Carolinians in the most effective, efficient, and meaningful way.

To learn more about SHaPE SC, click here.

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