A RESOLUTION OF BEAUFORT COUNTY COUNCIL TO COMMIT SUPPORT TO
THE HERITAGE CLASSIC FOUNDATION IN ORDER TO SECURE THE PGA
HERITAGE GOLF TOURNAMENT FOR 2011

WHEREAS, Hilton Head Island, Beaufort County, South Carolina, has hosted the PGA
Heritage Golf Tournament each year since 1969 and attracts golf enthusiasts and tourists from
locations across the United States as well as internationally; and

WHEREAS, the Tournament also provides economic benefit to the local and state
economies as well as reaching a worldwide audience through television broadcasts on network
and cable television channels, newspaper, magazines and other printing media reporting the
Tournament and further enables donations to worthy local not-for-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, Beaufort County Council recognizes that the Heritage Classic Foundation is
seeking a title sponsor, and other public/private funding support scenarios in order to meet its
obligations to the PGA to secure the 2011 Heritage Golf Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Beaufort County Council finds that it is in the best interests of the County
and its citizens to commit financial support and assistance to the Heritage Classic Foundation, a
South Carolina non-profit corporation, to ensure that the Tournament is held in 2011.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that Beaufort County Council
authorizes the commitment of its resources for a loan in an amount not to exceed One Million
Dollars ($1,000,000.00) to the Heritage Classic Foundation in order to assist the Foundation in
meeting its obligation to the PGA to secure the Heritage Golf Tournament for 2011.

Adopted this 9th day of August, 2010.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BEAUFORT COUNTY

BY: Wm. Weston J. Newton, Chairman

ATTEST:
Suzanne M. Rainey, Clerk to Council
August 13, 2010

Mr. Len Brown
PGA Tour
112 PGA Tour Blvd.
Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082

Dear Mr. Brown:

Beaufort County has committed a $1,000,000.00 loan to Heritage Classic Foundation. The money is available upon the request of the Heritage Classic Foundation to meet its obligations to the PGA Tour as the host sponsor for the 2011 Heritage Golf Tournament.

Very truly yours,

Wm. Weston J. Newton
Chairman

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cc: Gary Kubic, County Administrator
    Bryan Hill, Deputy County Administrator