CHEROKEE COUNTY TAX SALE BIDDER REGISTRATION FORM

BIDDER INFORMATION

This section represents the individual or entity financially responsible for the bid. This will be the same name shown on your receipt, bid refunds or deed if applicable. Please write clearly and legibly.

DATE	
BIDDER NAME	ON OR ENTITY (Business) OFFERING BIDS
ENTITY (BUSINESS) OFFICER NAME	
BIDDER ADDRESS	
CITY, STATE AND ZIP	
EMAIL	
PRIMARY PHONE	SECONDARY PHONE
DRIVER'S LICENSE NO COPY REQUIRED	STATE ISSUED

By my signature below I acknowledge receipt of, have read and agree to the Cherokee County Tax Sale Procedures

PRINTED NAME

SIGNATURE

CHEROKEE COUNTY TAX SALE PROCEDURES BIDDER INFORMATION

I understand that all tax sales conducted pursuant to Title 12 Chaper 51 of the South Carolina Code of Laws are <u>"as is"</u>, with <u>no representation</u> as to the <u>nature or quality</u> of the property sold, <u>no representation</u> as of the <u>advisability of bidding</u> on or of purchasing any property sold therein.

I understand that anyone who bids on property offered for sale at a delinquent tax sale, bids <u>at his or her own risk.</u>

I understand that real property offered for sale at the delinquent tax sale may or may not have mobile homes, personal property or other property on it. I understand that the property being offered for sale, may not include the mobile home or personal property sitting thereon.

I have conducted whatever investigation I desire, or have had the opportunity to conduct whatever Investigation I desire prior to bidding on any property offered at tax sale, or I have not conducted any investigation at all and I nonetheless wish to participate in the tax sale and bid on property for which I may have limited, incomplete or no information whatsoever.

I understand that the property bid on may be different that the property I thought I was buying, whether or not I have conducted the investigation of the property described.

I understand that the interest earned on a bid, after redemption, can never exceed the opening bid of the property.

I understand that pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 12-51-150, "If the official in charge of the Tax sale discovers <u>before a tax title has passed</u> that there is a failure of any action required to be properly performed, the official may void the tax sale and refund the amount paid, plus interest in the amount <u>actually</u> earned by the county on the amount refunded, to the successful bidder."

I understand pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 12-51-70, If the bid amount I offered is not paid the day of the sale by 5:00 pm, I will be liable for a \$500.00, per bid, default fee, payable to the Tax Collector.

I understand that if I am the successful bidder at the sale, and I receive a receipt for the purchase bid, that I am to retain that receipt in a safe place. I understand it will be required for any applicable refunds.

I understand that during the redemption period, the successful bidder at the tax sale, has no ownership rights to the property and no right to enter the premises or contact the owner. Redemption is handled through the Cherokee County Tax Collector's Office and ownership rights are transferred only if the property is not redeemed. I understand that a Tax Title or Tax Deed is not a warranty deed and can be challenged.

I understand that <u>I am responsible for informing</u> the delinquent tax collector of <u>any</u> <u>changes</u> to my Registration form.

I understand these instructions and agree to abide by and to be bound by them during the Delinquent Tax sale and thereafter.

The original of every bidder registration form must be retained by the delinquent tax collector.

_Date__

Signature