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IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
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APPEAL FROM BEAUFORT COUNTY  
Court of Common Pleas  
Courtney Clyburn Pope, Circuit Court Judge

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Civil Action No. 2023-000581

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James Ware, Alisa Ware, Henry Spahr, Elaine Spahr, Julie Sanders,  
William Craig Denny, Jeff Toomer, Allyson Toomer, Louise E. Davis,  
Donna Nutty, Thomas J. MacDonald, Michael G. MacDonald,  
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Theodore Brammer, Allison Brammer, Waymon W. Durden,  
Constance C. Durden, David C. Powell,

Respondents-Appellants,

v.

Beaufort County, HPCCA Ferry Company, Inc., and  
The Daufuskie Island Ferry Service, LLC,

Defendants,

Of which Beaufort County is the

Appellant-Respondent.

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I certify that I have served the Initial Brief of Appellant-Respondent and Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal on Respondents-Appellants and Defendants by electronic mail to tom@thomastaylorlaw.com and rdeeb@ns-lawfirm.com, and by having a copy of it deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, on June 7, 2023, addressed to their attorneys of record as follows: Thomas C. Taylor, Esquire, Law Offices of Thomas C. Taylor, LLC, P.O. Box 1808, Bluffton, SC 29910-180; and Robert M. Deeb, Jr., Esquire, Novit & Scarminach, P.A., 52 New Orleans Road, Suite 400, Hilton Head Island, SC 29938.

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Re: James Ware, et al. v. Beaufort County, et al.  
Appellate Case No. 2023-000581

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

Please find enclosed for filing the Initial Brief of Appellant-Respondent, Designation of Matter to be Included in the Record on Appeal, and Proof of Service relative to the above-referenced matter.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached by calling (803) 724-5728 or by email at [danny@crowelafave.com](mailto:danny@crowelafave.com).

With kind regards,

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