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## **Groundbreaking Ceremony to Start Exterior Beautification Project at The Greenville Rescue Mission**

**Greenville, SC. May 16, 2023-** Miracle Hill Ministries is the Upstate's largest, most comprehensive provider of services to homeless children and adults. Nestled in the heart of downtown, is the ministry's oldest residential facility, the Greenville Rescue Mission. It has the capacity to house 140 men and offers 6 apartments onsite for men living in transition.

The exterior of the 22-year-old property has become outdated in the face of extensive growth in the downtown area and improvements are needed to adapt to a changing cityscape while providing safety and security to Miracle Hill's guests. Miracle Hill is renovating its property grounds, to include parking lot modifications, drainage solutions, pedestrian connectivity, and landscape beautification.

The Greenville Rescue Mission's Exterior Beautification project will also improve ADA-compliant accessibility for Mission guests with disabilities, and address deficits in current site conditions, including overgrown plantings, to improve plant health and long-term maintenance.

The mayor of the city of Greenville, Knox White, along with city counselors Lillian Brock-Flemming and Dorothy Dowe attended the groundbreaking ceremony. The event also featured Miracle Hill's representatives, donors, and community partners.

The conceptual design of the project was developed by Arbor Engineering and is promised to be completed by the Fall. Miracle Hill is still pursuing approximately \$100,000.00 in in-kind and financial donations to completely fund the project.

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## ABOUT MIRACLE HILL MINISTRIES

Miracle Hill Ministries is the Upstate's largest, most comprehensive provider of services to homeless children and adults. Serving the Upstate since 1937, Miracle Hill's programs include rescue shelters for the homeless, residential addiction recovery, transitional housing, and foster care. Miracle Hill's eight thrift stores provide employment opportunities for the community as well as former Miracle Hill guests. Miracle Hill has been awarded the Certificate of Excellence as a Certified Mission by [City Gate Network](#), a distinction given to fewer than 30 missions nationwide. Additionally, Miracle Hill's foster care program has been accredited by [CARF International](#). For more information about Miracle Hill, please visit [www.MiracleHill.org](http://www.MiracleHill.org) or call 864.268.4357. Find us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

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