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**Open government is good government.**



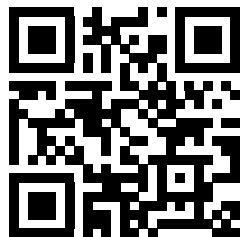
It's Sunshine Week, the annual celebration of access to public information and what it means for you and your community. South Carolina's Freedom of Information Act – also known as the Sunshine Law – gives you access to government meetings and public

records. It is crucial to be aware of the important decision-making in your community. Journalists use the Sunshine Law to fight for access to government activity to help keep you informed. But as a citizen of South Carolina, you also have a right to attend meetings of public bodies, access public records and hold public officials accountable.

**It's your right to know.**

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