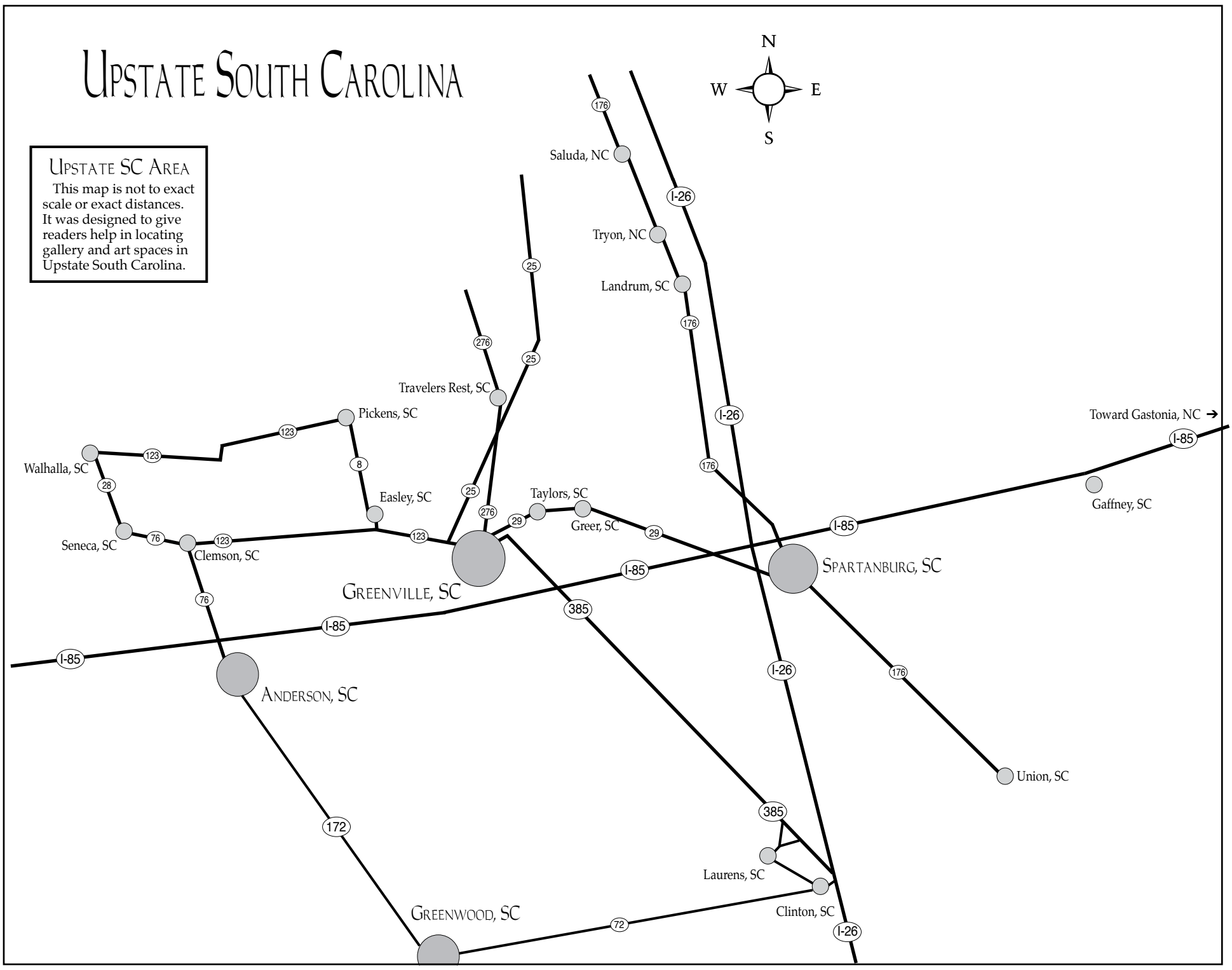

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ing it as pure medium, thereby redeeming it from apparent uselessness. Sometimes, I myself am the seemingly discarded material that is transformed through becoming a work of art. My work thrives on this transformation which causes the viewer to value the otherwise mundane material. Through this process I revitalize myself and my materials because my greatest fear is not death—it's irrelevance."

Benson is an international artist who has shown in Colorado, New York, Virginia, and Tennessee, where he was born. He has also had public commissions in Australia, Vermont, Colorado, and New York. His gallery work deals with the relationship between his personal faith and beliefs and his engagement with society while his public sculptures deal with the traditional relationship of scale and form.

Benson graduated in 2011 with his BFA in sculpture from The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and is pursuing an MFA in Studio Art at the University of Maryland. Previously, he lived and worked in the arts full time in New York, NY.

Work by Adam Hall

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