



# A Guide to **Annexation** *Residential*

## What is Annexation?

Annexation is the process of transferring property from unincorporated areas of Berkeley County into the service area and jurisdiction of the City of Goose Creek. To qualify for annexation, your property must be adjacent to property already located in the City of Goose Creek.

## Why Annex?

Property owners who annex into the City of Goose Creek gain access to valuable, high-quality services, programs and benefits.

## What are the Benefits?



Save \$6/month on administration fees  
Save nearly 50% on monthly water rates



No yearly County Fire Fee  
ISO Class 2 rating, which could save \$\$ on homeowners insurance premiums



Average police response time of **6 minutes** versus 13 minutes  
In the unincorporated areas Berkeley County.

- Weekly residential trash, yard debris, and bulk pick up.
- Reduced rates at our award-winning City Recreation facilities.
- Additional representation in local government!
- Increased community pride and sense of place.



## How do I Annex?

If you're interested in annexation,  
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