

# PETITION FOR VOLUNTARY ANNEXATION

## Town of Apex, North Carolina



**ANNEXATION PETITION SUBMISSION:** Applications are due by 12:00 pm on the first business day of each month. See the "[Annexation Petition Schedule](#)" on the website for details.

**ANNEXATION FEE:** \$300; \$200.00 for well/septic failure

**VOLUNTARY ANNEXATION:** Upon receipt of a valid petition signed by all of the owners of real property in the area described therein, the Town may annex an area either contiguous or not contiguous to its primary corporate limits when the area meets the standards set out under North Carolina General Statutes 160A-31 and 160A-58.1. A petition submitted pursuant to North Carolina General Statute 160A-58.1 need not be signed by the owners of real property that is wholly exempt from property taxation under the Constitution and laws of North Carolina, nor by railroad companies, public utilities as defined in G.S. 62-3(23), or electric or telephone membership corporations.

### HARD COPY SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Town of Apex Petition for Annexation with original wet ink signatures. No photocopies or scanned images.
- Petition Fee by one of the following forms of payment:
  - Visa or Master Card (online only);
  - In person: Cash (exact amount only); or
  - Check payable to 'Town of Apex'

### ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS: [GEOCIVIX \(IDT\)](#)

- Town of Apex Petition for Annexation
- Written Metes and Bounds Legal Description: Submit original PDF. Scanned documents will not be accepted.
- Electronic plat submittal (18" x 24")

### REVIEW AND APPROVAL PROCESS:

- **SUBMITTAL:** Submit hard copy application with original wet signatures (no photo copies or scanned images) and fee to the Planning Department and upload an electronic copy of the application, legal description and Annexation Plat via [GeoCivix](#).
- **REVIEW BY STAFF:** The Planning Department and Development Services Department review the annexation submission. Comments will be sent to the applicant via email.
- **DESIGNATION OF ANNEXATION NUMBER:** The application is assigned an annexation number once the annexation petition is received.
- **ANNEXATION PLAT SUBMISSION:** After the map and legal description are deemed sufficient by the Town of Apex, the applicant is required to submit three (3) 18"x24" Mylar annexation plats to the Planning Department by the due date on the attached Annexation Schedule.
- **1<sup>ST</sup> TOWN COUNCIL MEETING:** This Town Council Meeting is typically held the second Tuesday of each month. The Town Council will pass a resolution directing the Town Clerk to investigate the annexation petition. The Town Clerk will present to the Town Council a Certificate of Sufficiency indicating that the annexation petition is complete. A resolution setting the date of the public hearing is then approved.
- **LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT:** A legal advertisement will be published on the Town of Apex's website no more than 25 days and no less than 10 days prior to the date of the public hearing.
- **2<sup>ND</sup> TOWN COUNCIL MEETING/PUBLIC HEARING:** This Town Council Meeting is typically held the fourth Tuesday of each month. The Town Council will either adopt or deny an ordinance to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Apex.
- **RECORDATION:** If the annexation is approved by the Town Council, the Town Clerk will have the Annexation Plats recorded at the Wake County or Chatham County Register of Deeds, as appropriate. Wake County or Chatham County will keep one of the recorded plats, one copy will be returned to the Planning Department, and the surveying company is given the remaining recorded Annexation Plat.

### FOR WELL AND/OR SEPTIC FAILURES:

If the purpose of the petition is to connect to public water and/or sewer, contact Water Resources Program Coordinator Jessica Sloan at 919-372-7478 or [jessica.sloan@apexnc.org](mailto:jessica.sloan@apexnc.org) to confirm that public water and/or sewer is available to the property. In order to receive public water and/or sewer services from the Town of Apex, refer to the checklist of items below to assist with obtaining one or both of these services:

- Apply for a plumbing permit with the Building Inspections and Permitting Department.
- The plumbing permit and associated costs for water and/or sewer will be included with the permit.

Please refer to the [Town of Apex Fee Schedule](#) for the list of current fees.

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This document is a public record under the North Carolina Public Records Act and may be published on the Town's website or disclosed to third parties.

Application #: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Submittal Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Check # \_\_\_\_\_

### TO THE TOWN COUNCIL APEX, NORTH CAROLINA

1. We, the undersigned owners of real property, respectfully request that the area described in Part 4 below be annexed to the Town of Apex, ☒ Wake County, ☐ Chatham County, North Carolina.
2. The area to be annexed is ☒ contiguous, ☐ non-contiguous (satellite) to the Town of Apex, North Carolina and the boundaries are as contained in the metes and bounds description attached hereto.
3. If contiguous, this annexation will include all intervening rights-of-way for streets, railroads, and other areas as stated in G.S. 160A-31(f), unless otherwise stated in the annexation amendment.

### OWNER INFORMATION

James L Lawrence

Owner Name (Please Print)

(252) 241-5511

Phone

0712810293

Property PIN or Deed Book & Page #

kathy@deegees.com

E-mail Address

Katherine L Lawrence

Owner Name (Please Print)

(252) 241-5511

Phone

0712810293

Property PIN or Deed Book & Page #

kathy@deegees.com

E-mail Address

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### SURVEYOR INFORMATION

Surveyor: Bob Zumwalt c/o BGE

Phone: 919-276-0111

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: bzumwalt@bgeinc.com

### ANNEXATION SUMMARY CHART

#### Property Information

Total Acreage to be annexed: 37.98

Population of acreage to be annexed: N/A

Existing # of housing units: 2

Proposed # of housing units: 57

Zoning District\*: PUD

#### Reason(s) for annexation (select all that apply)

Need water service due to well failure ☐

Need sewer service due to septic system failure ☐

Water service (new construction) ☒

Sewer service (new construction) ☒

Receive Town Services ☐

\*If the property to be annexed is not within the Town of Apex's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction, the applicant must also submit a rezoning application with the petition for voluntary annexation to establish an Apex zoning designation. Please contact the Planning Department with questions.



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Submittal Date: \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETE IF SIGNED BY INDIVIDUALS:

All individual owners must sign. (If additional signatures are necessary, please attach an additional sheet.)

James L Lawrence  
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James L Lawrence  
Signature

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Signature

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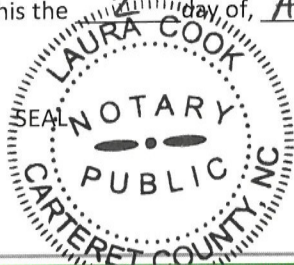
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF ~~WAKE~~ Carteret

Sworn and subscribed before me, Laura Cook, a Notary Public for the above State and County,  
this the 2 day of August, 2024.



Laura Cook  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 3-4-25

COMPLETE IF A CORPORATION:

In witness whereof, said corporation has caused this instrument to be executed by its President and attested by its Secretary by order of its Board of Directors, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Corporate Name \_\_\_\_\_

SEAL

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
President (Signature)

Attest:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary (Signature)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF WAKE

Sworn and subscribed before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public for the above State and County,  
this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

SEAL

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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Signature

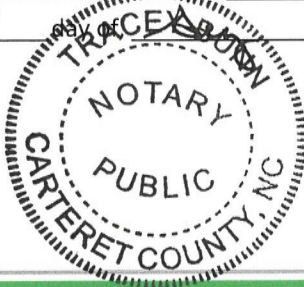
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Signature

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF WAKE

Sworn and subscribed before me, Tracey Bunn, a Notary Public for the above State and County,  
this the 2 day of August, 2024.

SEAL



Tracey Bunn  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Sept. 18, 2037

COMPLETE IF A CORPORATION:

In witness whereof, said corporation has caused this instrument to be executed by its President and attested by its Secretary by order of its Board of Directors, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

Corporate Name \_\_\_\_\_

SEAL

By: \_\_\_\_\_

President (Signature)

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary (Signature)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
COUNTY OF WAKE

Sworn and subscribed before me, \_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public for the above State and County,  
this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

SEAL

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_