

**AN ORDINANCE TO EXTEND THE CORPORATE LIMITS
OF THE TOWN OF LANDIS, NORTH CAROLINA**

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has been petitioned under G.S. 160A-58.1 to annex the area described below; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has by resolution directed the Town Clerk to investigate the sufficiency of the petition; and

WHEREAS, the Town Clerk has certified the sufficiency of the petition and a public hearing The question of this annexation was held at 312 S. Main Street, Landis, NC at 6:00 PM on October 12, 2026, after due notice by Salisbury Post on September 1, 2026, and September 8, 2026.

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen finds that the area described therein meets the standards of G.S. 160A-58.1(b), to wit:

- a. The nearest point on the proposed satellite corporate limits is not more than three (3) miles from the corporate limits of the Town;
- b. No point on the proposed satellite corporate limits is closer to another municipality than to the Town.
- c. The area described is so situated that the Town will be able to provide the same services within the proposed satellite corporate limits that it provides within the primary corporate limits;
- d. No subdivision, as defined in G.S. 160A-376, will be fragmented by this proposed annexation;
- e. The area within the proposed satellite corporate limits, when added to the area within all other satellite corporate limits, does not exceed ten percent (10%) of the area within the primary corporate limits of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen further finds that the petition has been signed by all the owners of real property in the area who are required by law to sign; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen further finds that the petition is otherwise valid, and that the public health, safety and welfare of the Town and of the area proposed for annexation will be best served by annexing the area described;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Landis North Carolina that;

Section 1. By virtue of the authority granted by G.S. 160A-58.2, the following described non-contiguous territory is hereby annexed and made part of the Town of Landis, as of October 12, 2026.

Lots Nos. 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109 and 110 as shown of Map No. 5 of Property of O.L. & D.C. Linn, made by G. Sam Rowe, Reg. C.E., dated 5-10-50, Recorded in Book of Maps 9995 at Page 775, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Towan County, North Carolina.

Section 2. Upon and after September 14, 2026, the above-described territory and its citizens and property shall be subject to all debts, laws, ordinances and regulations in force in the Town of Landis and shall be entitled to the same privileges and benefits as other parts of the Town of Landis. Said territory shall be subject to municipal taxes according to G.S. 160A-58.10.

Section 3. The Mayor of the Town of Landis shall cause to be recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County, and in the office of the Secretary of State at Raleigh, North Carolina, an accurate map of the annexed territory, described in Section 1 above, together with a duly certified copy of this ordinance. Such a map shall also be delivered to the County Board of Elections, as required by G.S. 163-288.1.

Adopted on this 12th day of October 2026

S/ _____
Victoria Martin, Town Clerk

S/ _____
Meredith Bare Smith, Mayor

