

City of Greensboro

Melvin Municipal
Office Building
300 W. Washington Street
Greensboro, NC 27401

Agenda Report

File Number: 2022-427

Agenda Item# H.1.

Agenda Date: 5/23/2022. **Department:** Planning

Meeting Type: Council Meeting Category: Public Hearing Agenda

Title: 2022-427 Public Hearing for an Ordinance Annexing Territory into the Corporate Limits for Property Located at 5835 West Gate City Boulevard – 9.96-Acres (Goodwill Industries of

Central North Carolina, Inc.)

Council Priority: Place an 'x' in the box.

⊠Create an Environment to Promote Economic Development Opportunities and Job Creation

☑ Maintain Infrastructure and Provide Sustainable Growth Opportunities

□ Promote Public Safety & Reduce Crime

□ Exceptional Customer Service and a Diverse City Government Workforce

☐ Ensure Fiscal Stewardship, Transparency, & Accountability

Council District: Proximate to District #5

Public Hearing: Yes

Advertising Date/By: 5/12/2022/by City Clerk

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PURPOSE:

Goodwill Industries of Central North Carolina, Inc. is requesting annexation of the property located at 5835 West Gate City Boulevard, generally described as southeast of West Gate City Boulevard and north of Queen Alice Road. The portion of right-of-way containing West Gate City Boulevard is located between the site and Greensboro's current city limits and is annexed as part of this request.

As this request is a voluntary annexation petition, the City Council will conduct a public hearing to consider and take action on this request at its May 23, 2022 meeting.

BACKGROUND:

This contiguous annexation is within the boundary of Growth Tier 1 on the Anticipated Growth Maps in the Comprehensive Plan.

City water will be available by connecting to the 8-inch line located within West Gate City Boulevard. In order for this site to be served with water the owner would be responsible for all costs associated with extending and connecting to the public line.

City sewer will be available by connecting to the 8-inch outfall located to the east of the site. In order for this site to be served with sanitary sewer the owner would be responsible for all costs associated with extending and connecting to the public line.

The City's Fire Department notes that this site is currently served by Pinecroft Sedgefield Fire Department Station #23 located on Mackay Road (to the north of the site). Upon annexation, Pinecroft Sedgefield Fire Department Station #23 will continue to serve the site due to the contract with the Greensboro Fire Department. Service to this location should remain the same if annexed.

The Police Department can provide comparable response service to the property under consideration as of the date of annexation. Additional resources may be required as development on the subject property and/or additional annexation in the general area occurs.

Field Operations could service this property for sanitation services if requested. Commercial properties are not eligible for curbside cart services and would need to have a subscription service with either the City or a private provider.

Provision of other City services will involve a travel distance almost equal to that necessary to provide service to the previously-annexed property located to the north.

BUDGET IMPACT:

Initial service will be absorbed in the budget; future services will have an incremental effect on future budgets..

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION / ACTION REQUESTED:

The Technical Review Committee (TRC) recommended this annexation to the Planning and Zoning Commission and to City Council.

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of this annexation at its April meeting on a vote of 8-0.

Accordingly, it is recommended that City Council hold a public hearing to receive public comment and to consider adoption of an ordinance annexing the above-mentioned property into the City of Greensboro.