

Senate Bill 566

By: Senators Weber of the 40th, Johnson of the 1st and Williams of the 19th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating a new charter for the City of Chamblee, approved March 28, 1935
2 (Ga. L. 1935, p. 976), as amended, so as to change the corporate boundaries of such city; to
3 provide for a referendum; to provide for automatic repeal under certain circumstances; to
4 provide for effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 An Act creating a new charter for the City of Chamblee, approved March 28, 1935 (Ga. L.
8 1935, p. 976), as amended, is amended by adding a new Section 2.1 to read as follows:

9 "SECTION 2.1.

10 In addition to the territory included within the existing corporate boundaries of the City of
11 Chamblee pursuant to previous acts of the General Assembly of the State of Georgia, the
12 following described territory shall also be included within the corporate boundaries of the
13 City of Chamblee:

14 **PARCEL ONE**

15 Beginning on the southeastern right of way of Peachtree Road at the point where the
16 present northeastern corporate limit line intersects the southeastern right of way of
17 Peachtree Road, and running thence easterly and northerly along the eastern right of way
18 line of Peachtree Road to the intersection of the eastern right of way line of Peachtree Road
19 and the southerly right of way line of Peachtree Industrial Boulevard; and continuing along
20 said southerly right of way line of Peachtree Industrial Boulevard to the point where the
21 southerly right of way line of Peachtree Industrial Boulevard intersects a line constituted
22 of the east boundary line of Land Lot 323 and the east boundary line of Land Lot 334, 18th
23 District; running thence in a northerly direction along a line constituted of the east
24 boundary line of Land Lot 323 and the east boundary line of Land Lot 334 to a point where
25 the east boundary line of Land Lot 334 intersects the southerly right of way line of

1 Interstate Highway 285; running thence in a northwesterly and westerly direction along the
 2 southern right of way line of Interstate Highway 285 to a point where the southern right of
 3 way line of Interstate Highway 285 intersects the western right of way line of
 4 Chamblee-Dunwoody Road; running thence southerly along the western right of way line
 5 of Chamblee-Dunwoody Road to a point where said right of way line would intersect the
 6 northern right of way line of Harts Mill Road, if the northern right of way line of Harts Mill
 7 Road was extended; thence easterly across Chamblee-Dunwoody Road and easterly,
 8 southeasterly and southerly along the present northern and eastern corporate limit line of
 9 the City of Chamblee to the southeaster right of way of Peachtree Road and the point of
 10 beginning.

11 **PARCEL TWO**

12 Beginning at the point where the northern right of way line of Harts Mill Road intersects
 13 the western line of Land Lot 307 of the 18th District, running thence westerly along the
 14 northern right of way line of Harts Mill Road to the point where the northern right of way
 15 line of Harts Mill Road would intersect the western right of way line of
 16 Ashford-Dunwoody Road, if the northern right of way line of Harts Mill Road was
 17 extended; thence southerly and southeasterly along the western right of way line of
 18 Ashford-Dunwoody Road to a point where the western right of way line of
 19 Ashford-Dunwoody Road would intersect the southern right of way line of Peachtree Road,
 20 if the western right of way line of Ashford-Dunwoody Road was extended; running thence
 21 northeasterly along the southern right of way line of Peachtree Road to that point on the
 22 southern right of way line of Peachtree Road which is at present the westernmost corporate
 23 limit line; thence northeasterly across Peachtree Road along the present western corporate
 24 limit line to the point where the west line of Land Lot 278 of the 18th District of DeKalb
 25 County intersects the northwestern right of way line of Peachtree Road, thence northerly
 26 along the west line of Land Lot 278 of the said 18th District; continuing northerly along
 27 the west line of Land Lot 300 of said 18th District, and continuing northerly along the west
 28 line of Land Lot 307 to the point where the west line of Land Lot 307 intersects the
 29 northern right of way line of Harts Mill Road and the point of beginning."

30 **SECTION 2.**

31 Unless prohibited by the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended, the election
 32 superintendent of DeKalb County shall call and conduct an election as provided in this
 33 section for the purpose of submitting this Act to the electors of DeKalb County who reside
 34 in the area proposed to be annexed into the City of Chamblee pursuant to Section 1 of this
 35 Act for approval or rejection. The election superintendent shall conduct that election on the

1 third Tuesday in March, 2007, and shall issue the call and conduct that election as provided
2 by general law. The superintendent shall cause the date and purpose of the election to be
3 published once a week for two weeks immediately preceding the date thereof in the official
4 organ of DeKalb County. The ballot shall have written or printed thereon the words:

5 "() YES Shall the Act be approved which annexes certain territory into the corporate
6 () NO limits of the City of Chamblee?"

7 All persons desiring to vote for approval of the Act shall vote "Yes," and all persons desiring
8 to vote for rejection of the Act shall vote "No." If more than one-half of the total votes cast
9 on such question are for approval of the Act, it shall become of full force and effect
10 immediately. If the Act is not so approved or if the election is not conducted as provided in
11 this section, the remaining sections of this Act shall not become effective and this Act shall
12 be automatically repealed on the first day of January immediately following that election
13 date. The expense of such election shall be borne by the City of Chamblee. It shall be the
14 election superintendent's duty to certify the result thereof to the Secretary of State.

15 **SECTION 3.**

16 Except as otherwise provided in Section 2 of this Act, this Act shall become effective upon
17 its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

18 **SECTION 4.**

19 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.