

## House Bill 663

By: Representatives Drenner of the 85<sup>th</sup>, Jacobs of the 80<sup>th</sup>, Henson of the 86<sup>th</sup>, Anderson of the 92<sup>nd</sup>, Kendrick of the 93<sup>rd</sup>, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing a new charter for the City of Decatur, approved April 13, 2001  
2 (Ga. L. 2001, p. 4351), as amended, so as to change the corporate limits of the city; to  
3 provide for related matters; to provide for a referendum and contingent effective dates; to  
4 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 An Act providing a new charter for the City of Decatur, approved April 13, 2001  
8 (Ga. L. 2001, p. 4351), as amended, is amended by adding a new Section 1.13 to read as  
9 follows:

10 "SECTION 1.13

11 In addition to all other territory included within the boundaries of the city, the city shall also  
12 include the following described real property identified by the following DeKalb County tax  
13 parcel identification numbers:

14 15 248 01 001, 15 248 02 001, 15 248 02 002, 15 248 02 003, 15 248 30 003, 15 248 30 004,  
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98 13 006, 15 248 08 001, and 15 248 09 020."

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**SECTION 2.**

100 The election superintendent of DeKalb County shall call and conduct a special election as  
101 provided in this section for the purpose of submitting this Act to the electors of the territory  
102 sought to be annexed into the City of Decatur under this Act for approval or rejection. The  
103 election superintendent shall conduct such election on the Tuesday next following the first  
104 Monday in November, 2015, and shall issue the call and conduct such election as provided  
105 by general law. The election superintendent shall cause the date and purpose of the election  
106 to be published once a week for two weeks immediately preceding the date thereof in the  
107 official organ of DeKalb County. The ballot shall have written or printed thereon the words:

108 "( ) YES Shall the Act which annexes certain land into the City of Decatur be  
109 ( ) NO approved?"

110 All persons desiring to vote for approval of the annexation shall vote "Yes," and all persons  
111 desiring to vote for rejection of the annexation shall vote "No." If more than one-half of the  
112 votes cast on such question are for approval of the annexation, then this Act shall become  
113 effective on January 1, 2016. If more than one-half of the votes cast on such question are for  
114 rejection of the annexation, this Act shall not become effective and shall be automatically  
115 repealed on the first day of January immediately following such election date. The expense  
116 of such election shall be borne by the City of Decatur. It shall be the election  
117 superintendent's duty to certify the result thereof to the Secretary of State.

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**SECTION 3.**

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