

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A FEE FOR ANNEXATION APPLICATIONS

WHEREAS: Section 1.03(a) of the Charter of the City of Stonecrest provides that the City has all powers under the laws of this state; and

WHEREAS: Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-36-1, the City has the authority to annex property into the incorporated boundaries of the City of Stonecrest; and

WHEREAS: It is necessary that the city impose certain fees to cover expenses associated with the processing of annexation applications.

SECTION 1:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Stonecrest, Georgia, the Fee for Annexation Applications shall be follows:

\$350 - Application Fee for Annexation, per parcel

SECTION 2.

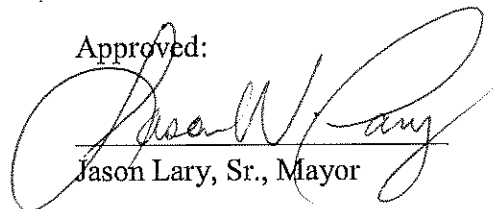
1. For any tax parcel located partially within the incorporated boundaries of the City of Stonecrest and partially within the unincorporated boundaries of DeKalb County as depicted by the boundaries contained in the Charter of the City of Stonecrest, the City shall waive the Application Fee for Annexation until December 31, 2017.
2. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and City Council that all sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are and were, upon their enactment, believed by the Mayor and City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and constitutional.
3. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Mayor and City Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is severable from every other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance. It is hereby further declared to be the intention of the Mayor and City Council that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, no section, paragraph, sentence, clause

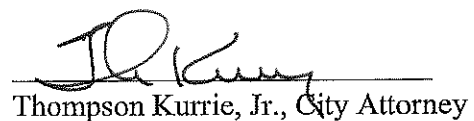
or phrase of this Ordinance is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance.

4. In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the Mayor and City Council that such invalidity, unconstitutionality, or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of the Ordinance and that, to the greatest extent allowed by law, all remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of the Ordinance shall remain valid, constitutional, enforceable, and of full force and effect.
5. All ordinances or resolutions and parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.
6. The within ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.
7. The provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made part of The Code of the City of Stonecrest, Georgia, and the sections of this Ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention.

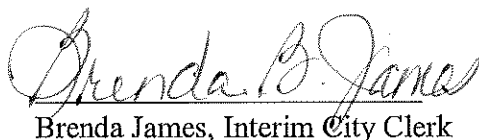
SO ORDAINED AND EFFECTIVE this the 18 th day of Sept., 2017.

Approved:


Jason Lary, Sr., Mayor


Thompson Kurrie, Jr., City Attorney

Attest:


Brenda James, Interim City Clerk