



SENATE BILL 286: Amend Fire Prot. Fees/Union/Brunswick.

2019-2020 General Assembly

Committee:	Senate Finance. If favorable, re-refer to Rules and Operations of the Senate	Date:	April 10, 2019
Introduced by:	Sens. Rabon, Johnson	Prepared by:	Nicholas Giddings
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OVERVIEW: *Senate Bill 286 would provide that when a portion of a fee-supported fire district in Brunswick or Union County is annexed as a non-contiguous area by a municipality furnishing fire protection to its citizens, the annexed portion will continue to remain in and pay fees to the fee-supported fire district.*

CURRENT LAW: Under current law, when any portion of a fee-supported fire district in Brunswick or Union County has been annexed by a municipality furnishing fire protection to its citizens, and the municipality has not agreed to allow territory within it to be in the district, then that portion of the district annexed is no longer a part of a fee-supported district.

BILL ANALYSIS: **Section 1** of Senate Bill 286 would provide that when a portion of a fee-supported fire district in Brunswick County is annexed as a non-contiguous area by a municipality furnishing fire protection to its citizens, the annexed portion will continue to remain in, and pay fees to, the fee-supported fire district.

Section 2 of Senate Bill 286 would provide that when a portion of a fee-supported fire district in Union County is annexed as a non-contiguous area by municipality furnishing fire protection to its citizens, the annexed portion will continue to remain in, and pay fees to, the fee-supported fire district.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This act is effective when it becomes law and expires on June 30, 2049.

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