

HOUSE BILL 226: City of Greensboro/Deannexations.

2025-2026 General Assembly

Committee:	House State and Local Government. If	Date:	April 15, 2025
	favorable, re-refer to Finance. If favorable, re-		
	refer to Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the		
	House		
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OVERVIEW: House Bill 226 would remove two parcels of land from the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro. The PCS would remove an additional parcel of land from the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

CURRENT LAW: Under Section 1 of Article VII of the NC Constitution, the General Assembly is empowered to "provide for the organization and government and the fixing of boundaries of counties, cities and towns, and other governmental subdivisions, and, except as otherwise prohibited by this Constitution, may give such powers and duties to counties, cities and towns, and other governmental subdivisions as it may deem advisable." Pursuant to this Section, the General Assembly enacted Article 4A of Chapter 160A of the General Statutes which governs municipal annexations. In addition, the General Assembly may annex property by local act. However, the General Assembly has not enacted any method for municipalities to deannex property. Only the General Assembly may deannex property.

BILL ANALYSIS: The PCS to House Bill 226 would remove three parcels of land from the corporate limits of the City of Greensboro.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The bill would become effective June 30, 2025, and apply to tax years beginning on or after July 1, 2025.

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