

## **Charleston County Council Statement**

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## Council Releases Statement on S.C. Supreme Court Ruling on Town of James Island

"Charleston County Council has been made aware of the S.C. Supreme Court ruling filed this morning that reverses in part the order of the circuit court upholding the Town of James Island's most recent attempt at incorporation. County Council wants to reassure all citizens on James Island who were formerly in the Town that they should not be concerned about receiving services. Although it is early to comment on specific details about what effects the decision will have on Charleston County's role, such as planning, zoning, law enforcement and other governmental responsibilities, Council promises the citizens that the County will deliver all necessary services to the people of James Island throughout this process."

 Teddie E. Pryor, Sr., Charleston County Council Chairman, and Elliott Summey, Charleston County Council Vice-chairman