RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF SC HOUSE BILL #3661 REGARDING CONTIGUITY

WHEREAS; the Town of James Island supports self-determination for the residents of the unincorporated area of James Island and that residents of unincorporated area should be able to choose whether to annex to the Town of James Island or the City of Charleston on an equal basis; and

WHEREAS; the Town of James Island is entirely within the James Island Public Service District and past patterns of annexation on James Island have created narrow breaks in the contiguity of the James Island Public Service District;

THEREFORE, the Town Council of James Island calls for the passage of House Bill #3661 to make properties within the same special purpose district as a municipality contiguous to that municipality if they would be contiguous but for a break in the contiguity of the special purpose district. We ask that those representing James Island in the South Carolina Legislature co-sponsor or file companion legislation and work for its passage.

Bill Woolsey

Mayor

ATTEST

Frances Simmons

Town Clerk

Adopted and approved this 17th January, 2019