

## **Annexation timeline as of 8/4/2019**

- 1963 Greater Juneau Borough was incorporated. LBC approved petition, and also stated that Admiralty should be within a borough, either Juneau or Sitka. (As explained in the 1990 *Model Borough Boundaries Review, Central Southeast Alaska*).
- 1965 Greater Juneau Borough petitions to annex all of Admiralty Island and mainland south of Juneau. Sitka also sought parts of Admiralty Island. Due to the competing annexation petitions the LBC denied both. (As explained in the 1990 *Model Borough Boundaries Review, Central Southeast Alaska*).
- 1970, Greater Juneau Borough, City of Juneau, and City of Douglas unified to form the CBJ.
- 1990, CBJ petitions to annex the area of Greens Creek mine. LBC approved the petition. At that time, the Department of Community and Regional Affairs also recommended that CBJ annex Mansfield Peninsula, Horse and Colt Island, Glass Peninsula, eastern half of Seymour Canal, and south of Juneau to Hobart Bay. *Report and Recommendation to the Local Boundary Commission Concerning the: 1) Proposed Annexation of the Greens Creek Mine to the City and Borough of Juneau, 2) Ideal Boundaries of the City and Borough of Juneau*, Department of Community and Regional Affairs, June 1990.
- Also in 1990, the LBC completes a review of Model Borough Boundaries in central SE Alaska, and includes Funter Bay, Horse Island, Colt Island, the Glass Peninsula, Windham Bay, and Hobart Bay as part of CBJ's model boundaries. *Model Borough Boundaries Review, Central Southeast Alaska*, August 1990.
- 1991 LBC reported to the legislature their model boundaries as above. *LBC 1991 Annual Report to the Alaska State Legislature*.
- 1997 Alaska Department of Community and Regional Affairs completes the model borough boundary report, to be considered when existing organized boroughs seek to annex unorganized territory. This report discussed the 1990-1991 findings, and explained that the LBC defined the model boundaries for CBJ to include Mansfield Peninsula, Glass Peninsula, and Seymour Canal areas of Admiralty, and south to Hobart Bay. *Model Borough Boundary Study*, Revised 1997.
- 2003 LBC made a report to the legislature which included the same areas in the model borough as discussed above, plus the Hobart Bay settlement. *Unorganized Areas of Alaska that Meet Borough Incorporation Standards, A Report by the Alaska Local Boundary Commission to the Alaska Legislature Pursuant to Chapter 53, Session Laws of Alaska 2002, February 2003*.

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- 2006 Mayor Botelho commissions CBJ Annexation Study Commission. In January 2007, after substantial analysis, the Commission recommends the CBJ annex the four areas currently contemplated. The Commission also recommended the CBJ include a larger area of Admiralty Island, south of Area C to Mitchell Bay, if Angoon had not created a borough to include that area.
- 2012 CBJ filed petition for the area near Tracy Arm and south to include Hobart Bay. The LBC decides to grant most of it to Petersburg, but leaves the area that is currently part of Area A. The Alaska Supreme Court affirms the LBC decision in December 2015.
- February 22, 2016 CBJ Assembly Committee of Whole approved a motion moving ahead with the petition that had been previously filed for the remaining Tracy Arm Area (what is now Area A).
- December 2016-2017, CBJ assembly and committees considered adding additional areas to the annexation petition and seek more information.
- January 30, 2017 Assembly Lands Committee: Unanimously approved forwarding annexation to the Assembly Committee of the Whole, with the recommendation of expanding CBJ's annexation application to match the areas identified as A, B, D (which at that time included Funter Bay).
- January 3, 2018, the CBJ Assembly Committee of the Whole approved moving forward with Areas A, B, C, and D, including Funter Bay.
- January 22, 2018, Assembly held a public hearing on the annexation and Resolution 2817, authorizing the filing of an annexation petition to the LBC, to include Areas A, B, C and D, including Funter Bay.
- February 12, 2018, in Resolution 2817-am, Assembly amended the resolution to remove Funter Bay from Area D from the annexation petition to be submitted to the Local Boundary Commission.
- 2018 to early 2019, CBJ staff gathers evidence and documentation from agencies in order to prepare petition.
- April 2019-June 2019, CBJ Law prepares petition, accompanying legal brief, and attachments, and submits for informal review.
- Early July 2019, CBJ Law receives minor comments from LBC that require fixing before formal filing. CBJ Law works with staff to address these comments and updates the draft petition.
- July 22, 2019, Assembly evaluates whether to continue with annexation or evaluate further at a future Assembly meeting. Assembly approves moving forward with the annexation and the filing for the petition for formal review by the LBC.