



## Charleston County News Release

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### **James Island Residents May Contact County for Service Needs**

*Charleston County Government assumes responsibility for town residents*

Effective immediately, [Charleston County Government](#) will assume responsibility for all services previously provided to Town of James Island residents.

Residents may call the County for needs formerly performed by the Town, such as building permits, planning and zoning issues, public works requests (roads, ditches, etc.), business license applications, etc. Town employees are still working at the James Island Town Hall located at [1238 Camp Road](#), and can help direct the public to the County if anyone has questions or service requests.

“[Charleston County Council](#) wants residents to know that services will not be interrupted during this transitional period,” said [Teddie E. Pryor, Sr., Charleston County Council Chairman](#). “I will reiterate what we said in a [June 20, 2011 statement](#), which is that Council promises the citizens that the County will deliver all necessary services to the people of James Island throughout this process.”

The two County Council members who represent the James Island area and who are available for citizens who have any questions are [Anna Johnson](#) and [Joe Qualey](#).

“Ms. Johnson and Mr. Qualey were involved in keeping the Town’s employees in place to assist the County during this transition,” Pryor said.

#### **How to Contact Charleston County Government:**

- Website: [www.charlestoncounty.org](http://www.charlestoncounty.org)
- Office locations: <http://charlestoncounty.org/maps/locate.htm>
- Departments and services (see drop-down menu):  
<http://charlestoncounty.org/departments/index.htm>
- Phone directory: <http://charlestoncounty.org/PhoneDir.htm>
- Permits and licensing: [http://charlestoncounty.org/Info/permits\\_licensing.htm](http://charlestoncounty.org/Info/permits_licensing.htm)
- Public Works service request form:  
<http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/PublicWorks/publicWorkServiceRequest.asp>
- Charleston County Council: <http://charlestoncounty.org/departments/Council/index.htm>
- County news: <http://charlestoncounty.org/News/index.htm>

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