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Submittal Requirements for Annexations

Required	Please use this as a checklist to assemble the materials required for your application when submitting the application through the <u>Accela Citizen Access</u> (ACA) portal. The following items must be submitted in order to process your application. Please follow ALL hyperlinks for complete checklist. <u>If the plans are not legible, or do not contain the information listed below, your application will be deemed incomplete and rejected.</u>		
	Instructions:		
	 All exhibits and documents <u>must</u> be uploaded in PDF format. A separate PDF document is required for <u>each</u> plan type (i.e., one PDF required for <i>all</i> site plan documents; one PDF for <i>all</i> elevation plans; etc.). If ACA portal requires a document type not included on this checklist, upload blank PDF document called "Dummy Document". Make sure you select the required document "Type" from the dropdown list. 		
	Complete Application in <u>ACA</u> portal. Under Planning/Land Division, choose the following Record Type: Annexation		
	 Provide full contact information including email addresses for all applicants and/or owners who are stakeholders of the project. 		
	All Required Fees Paid		
	Fees will be invoiced after application is submitted. All fees must be paid before application is deemed complete. Fees must be paid within three days of fees being invoiced (e-mail will be sent). Please note fees are updated annually on July 1 st .		
	Environmental Assessment Form (Electronic)		
	Please complete entire application, responding to all questions.		
	Additional Studies and Information required based on response to the Environmental Assessment Form.		
	If the project is not exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act a Three Party Agreement is required. The Developer will be required to obtain a Consultant to prepare the environmental assessment. The Three Party Agreement shall be executed prior to formal acceptance of the project.		
	Preliminary Title Report and Supporting Deed Documents for all parcels included in proposal (prepared within 30 days of submittal of the application; includes legal description) (Electronic)		
	Legal Description for the Proposed Annexation Boundary (Include a written description in Metes and Bounds and an engineered exhibit with dimensions. Both descriptions shall match.) (Electronic)		
	Letter of Owner Authorization (If Owner is not the Applicant) (Electronic) Shall include name phone, address and email.		



Fiscal Analysis indicating revenue neutrality		
Exhibit (clearly depicting subject and adjacent properties)		
\Box Date of preparation	Existing and proposed planned land use	
	designation	
□ Title block	Existing and proposed zone district	
□ North arrow	□ APN(s)	
 Vicinity map depicting four major streets (1/2 square mile) 	Project site address	
□ City limits	Planning area boundaries	
Operational Statement (Electronic) Unless adequate operational statement provided in Environmental Assessment Form required above, include the following:		
Project Site Address	□ APN(s)	
\Box Acreage to be annexed	□ Existing use(s)	
Existing and proposed General Plan land use designation	Description of proposed future use and buildings	
□ Identify the Community Plan	Proposed zone district	
Description of how the proposal helps implement the Fresno General Plan	□ Identify the Specific Plan (if applicable)	
Description of how the proposal is complementary to the surrounding neighborhood		
Neighborhood Meeting (Electronic)		
Provide a copy of the agenda, mailing lis neighborhood meeting shall comply with <u>Section</u>		
Other:		

The application completeness review process is up to a 30-day process. If all items on this checklist are not submitted, the application will be deemed incomplete and rejected. If all required items on this checklist are submitted and determined to meet all requirements outlined in this document, the application shall be deemed complete and accepted for processing. Within five days of project acceptance, the project applicant will be sent an Introduction Letter (via e-mail) from the assigned Planner discussing the process and the target completion date.