## WHY LAURENS COUNTY?

Laurens County is a businesscentered community that provides economic advancement opportunities.

The Connexial Center is proud to call this area home because of its commercial and industrial potential along Interstate I-385. Located between I-85 and I-26, it is now being referred to as "the Main Street of the New South."

### UTILITIES:

Power:	Laurens Electric Cooperative
Water:	Laurens County Water and Sewer Commission
Sewer:	Laurens County Water and Sewer Commission
Natural Gas:	Clinton-Newberry Natural Gas

## **DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS**







Over 450 Developable Acres

# CONNECTING COMMERCE and INDUSTRY

to the MAIN STREET of the NEW SOUTH



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The Connexial Center is a great example of what Team South Carolina does to lay the foundation for future economic growth. This new resource will help us put our best foot forward as we seek to provide prospective industries with a strong inventory of available real estate.

> - SECRETARY OF COMMERCE BOBBY HITT

## **LOCATION & MARKET**

Strategically located on I-385 between Exit 19/SC-14 and Exit 16/SC-101

Site is in close proximity to ZF Transmissions, Woodfield Industrial Park, and Southchase Industrial Park

450 developable acres

All due diligence has been completed

Water and sewer are on site

Geographic location—close proximity to I-85, I-26, and I-385 industrial corridor

**Class A Industrial Park** 

Within 32 miles of the SC Inland Port Greer

Within 19 miles of the Clemson University International Center for Automotive Research (CU ICAR)

Within 8 miles of the Laurens Center for Advanced Manufacturing

### **WORKFORCE & TRAINING**

Stats based on **45 minutes** of the Connexial Center

2018 Population	1,091,098
Total labor force	533,302
Percent employed in manufacturing	32.4%
Percent employed in distributive occupations	8.5%
Underemployment	15.9% (79,184)
Projected 5 year population growth	6%
Workers willing to commute more than 30 minutes	62.2%
Labor force participation rate	75.5%

