

Board Bulletin for September 8, 2025



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Clerk's Office Seeks Applicants to Fill Vacancies on the Region F Aging Advisory Committee



The [Region F Aging Advisory Committee](#) was established by legislative authority to assist the [Centralina Area Agency on Aging](#) staff to provide direction for programming and services for the population over 60. The Committee consists of representatives from the counties of Anson, Cabarrus, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly and Union.

Members are charged with developing and administering the established area plan, conducting public hearings when necessary, representing the interest of older persons, as well as reviewing and commenting on all community policies, programs and actions which affect older persons.

To apply, visit BOCC.MeckNC.gov/Clerk or contact the County Clerk's Office at 980-314-2939 or Clerk@MeckNC.gov. Applicants must reside in Mecklenburg County to qualify for an appointment.



BOCC to Hold Public Hearing and Vote on Resolution to Establish the Metropolitan Public Transportation Authority at Sept. 16 Meeting

The Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, Sept. 16, 2025, to receive public input on whether to authorize the organization of a Metropolitan Public Transportation Authority (MPTA). In addition to receiving input and voting, the board will also discuss the application and qualification process for interested residents.

The hearing will be held during the Board's 6 p.m. meeting in the chamber of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, and members of the public are invited to attend in person or [virtually](#). If the resolution is approved, residents interested in serving on the MPTA can submit an application between Sept. 17 and Oct. 13, 2025.

County residents interested in addressing the Board at this meeting can sign up to speak by visiting [BOCC.MeckNC.gov/Clerk](#) or by calling the County Clerk's Office at 980-314-2912. Residents unable to attend the hearing are encouraged to submit comments by email to Clerk@MeckNC.gov. Special accommodations can be requested by contacting the Clerk's Office at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.



Chairman Jerrell and County Manager Bryant Set to Convene Partners to Address Impact of Federal Cuts on Residents

On Wednesday, September 10, 2025, at the Charlotte Mecklenburg Government Center, Mecklenburg County Board Chairman Mark Jerrell and County Manager Mike Bryant will convene community partners to discuss the impact that federal cuts and new benefit eligibility requirements will have on county residents as a result of the passage of the One Big Beautiful Bill Act (OBBBA).

Community participants will also have an opportunity to explore collective advocacy opportunities and identify gaps in services to mitigate anticipated impact, especially as it pertains to SNAP and Medicaid benefits. Early analysis of the legislation indicates that vulnerable populations including children, older adults, people with disabilities, and low-income households will be disproportionately affected by the current and future cuts. Given that Mecklenburg County has the highest overall number of beneficiaries of SNAP and Medicaid in North Carolina, the projected impacts will influence how the County and community partners serve residents.



Environmental Stewardship Committee Set to Convene Sept. 9

The Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners' [Environmental Stewardship Committee](#) will convene Tuesday, Sept. 9, at the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, in Room 280, from 12:30-2 p.m. This meeting is open to the public, and residents are encouraged to attend in person or via [Zoom](#). The Committee is scheduled to receive updates on the County's education and outreach efforts related to air quality, along with a presentation on the FY24 and FY25 Mecklenburg County Environmental Sustainability Report.

The Environmental Stewardship Committee, chaired by [Commissioner Elaine Powell](#), is responsible for making recommendations that sustain and enhance the environment in a manner that conserves and protects the air, water, land, and biological resources.

This committee meets the second Tuesday of each month from 12:30-2 p.m. unless otherwise communicated. For presentation materials, special accommodations, or additional information, please contact [Kathleen Reed](#).



County to Co-Host Opioid Conference Sept. 15: Bringing Collaboration and Care to The Opioid Crisis

As part of Mecklenburg County's ongoing efforts to address the Opioid Crisis, the meeting will be focused on improving the coordination of care as well as addressing existing gaps in services. The conference is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 15, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Charlotte Convention Center, located at [501 S. College St](#) in Charlotte.

As part of the conference, the County will present the latest data on the [Opioid Settlement work and spending plan](#), now in its fourth year of funding. There will also be updates in the areas of evidence-based addiction treatment, employment-related services, early intervention, recovery support services, and housing support. The conference is free to Mecklenburg County residents. [Registration is now open.](#)



Celebrate Historic Rosenwald School #2 (Little School) at Sept. 20 Event in Huntersville

Mecklenburg County will join with community partners to celebrate the 100-year anniversary of [Huntersville Rosenwald School #2](#) on Sept. 20 from 1 to 5 p.m., at the school, located at 508 Dellwood Dr. in Huntersville. During the anniversary celebration, attendees will get to hear directly from alumni and commemorate the unveiling of a historic marker.

Rosenwald School #2 is one of Mecklenburg County's six surviving Rosenwald schools. From 1925 – 1958, the school educated generations of African American children while serving as symbol of local resistance to segregation. Today, it remains an important community center and gathering space.

This event is being hosted in collaboration with Mecklenburg County's Historic Landmarks Department, the Torrence-Lytle High School Alumni Association, Pottstown Heritage Group, North Mecklenburg Communities United, the Town of Huntersville, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Historic Landmarks Commission and the Charlotte Mecklenburg Library. [Register to attend.](#)



Residents Invited to Public Information's Sept. 11 Coffee with Commissioners Pop-Up

Coffee with Commissioners is a drop-in engagement opportunity for County residents to connect with Commissioners in a semi-formal setting, without a set agenda.

The September session is scheduled to take place on Thursday, Sept. 11, from 9 to 10 a.m., at Amélie's French Bakery & Café, located at 7715 Pineville-Matthews Road, Charlotte. Registration is encouraged via the County's [Community Relations Portal](#).



County Applauds Deputy Clerk Eason's International Certification

Arlissa Eason, Deputy Clerk to the Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners, recently earned the designation of Certified Municipal Clerk (CMC) from the [International Institute of Municipal Clerks](#) (IIMC), Inc.

Arlissa has been with the County for three years. Prior to joining the County, she served as Deputy Clerk of Court for the City of Duluth, Georgia and Senior Judicial Clerk for the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia.

The International Institute of Municipal Clerks, founded in 1947, has 14,000 members throughout the United States, Canada, and 15 other countries. The mission of this global non-profit corporation is to enhance the educational opportunities and professional development of its diverse membership.

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- [Tax Collector's Office Achieves Milestones in Collecting Mecklenburg Revenue](#)
- [Mecklenburg County to Co-Host Opioid Conference: Bringing Collaboration and Care to The Opioid Crisis](#)

Calendar Reminders

- Tuesday, Sept. 9**
[BOCC Environmental Stewardship Committee](#)
12:30 - 2 p.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 9**
[BOCC Budget/Public Policy Workshop](#)
2:30 - 4:30 p.m.
- Thursday, Sept. 11**
[Coffee with Commissioners](#)
9 - 10 a.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 16**
[BOCC Health and Human Services Committee](#)
1 - 2:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 16**
[BOCC Economic Development Committee](#)
3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 16**
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