

MORE ON MOORE

OCTOBER 2017

Monthly Update from the Moore County Board of Commissioners



Upcoming Meetings

November 7, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting

November 21, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting

December 4, 2017, 5:30 p.m.

Organizational/Regular Meeting

January 9, 2018, 5:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting



Happy wishes to Commissioner Jerry Daeke who celebrated his birthday October 6.

Our News

Project Santa

The commissioners recognized Earl Wright during their October 17 regular meeting and presented to him a certificate of honor for his work on behalf of children in Moore



County. For over twenty years, Mr. Wright has refurbished and distributed bicycles to children for Christmas. To support his "Project Santa" efforts, on October 23, Moore County Solid Waste began collecting bicycles from citizens at the County's seven solid waste convenience centers.

If you have a bicycle your child has outgrown or one you are planning to discard, please consider bringing it to one of the solid waste facilities to not only be recycled, but to bring a smile to the face of a Moore County child this Christmas. If you would like more information, please contact Solid Waste Division Manager Chad Beane at 910-947-3637.

Board/Committee Updates

Moore County Airport Authority members Pat Corso and Thomas McPherson took their oaths of office in early October. Mr. Corso was recently reappointed to a full four-year term after completing a partial term left vacant by a previous member. Mr. McPherson is a new member. Both are appointed to serve through September 2021.

The Facilities Task Force (Graham/Daeke) met October 18 to discuss the new courthouse project and the Utilities Task Force (Ritter/Daeke) met the same day to discuss a Robbins water connection.

Our News

Tarheel 2



Tarheel 2, a Carolina Air Care helicopter formerly based at Cape Fear Valley Hospital, is now located in Moore County. At the Board's October 3 meeting, Public Safety Director Bryan Phillips introduced the base supervisor and project manager to the commissioners. The helicopter was relocated to Aberdeen the following day, as pictured at right.

Upcoming Appointments

NOVEMBER

- Aging Advisory Council
- Fire Commission
- Juvenile Crime Prevention

DECEMBER

- CVB Board
- Juvenile Crime Prevention

OTHER VACANCIES

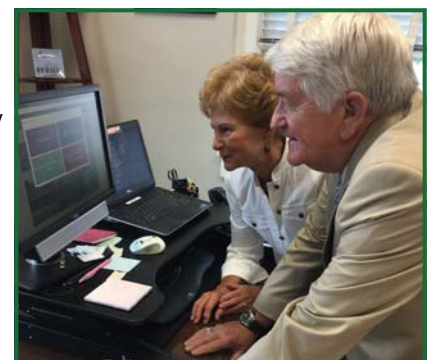
- Board of Health (Engineer)

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Residents Rights Month

October is National Long-Term Care Residents' Rights Month, the theme of which this year is, "It's All About Me: My Life, My Care, My Choices." In Moore County, there are eight adult care/assisted living homes (637 beds), seven skilled nursing facilities (441 beds), eight facilities that offer memory care (224 beds), and six family care homes (36 beds). The Moore County Nursing and Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee (CAC) provides a wonderful service to long-term care residents, visiting the facilities monthly and reporting concerns to a regional ombudsman. The members promote community involvement and cooperation with the homes to ensure quality care is provided. Sandy Nusbaum, CAC Chair, says, "By listening to residents' voices, we honor their lives and experiences as well as treat them with dignity and respect; staff and residents can enjoy relationships that enhance their daily lives; and the long-term care facility can operate more effectively in its daily activities when based on and developed with consumer involvement.

Commissioners Vice Chair Otis Ritter serves as liaison to the CAC.



Otis Ritter & Sandy Nusbaum



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**12TH ANNUAL MOORE COUNTY
VETERANS MEMORIAL
PROGRAM**

NOVEMBER 4th, 2017 at 11:00 am

**CARRIAGE OAKS
MEMORIAL SITE, CARTHAGE, NC**

**THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
WILL BE SUNG BY TONI LYNN ROSS**

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER

**RETIRED AIR FORCE MASTER SGT. AND
PARARESCUEMAN SCOTT FALES**

**COLORS WILL BE POSTED BY THE
UNION PINES NJROTC**

FOOD AND REFRESHMENTS FOLLOWING