

Citizens Guide

*Dare County
North Carolina*

Your Guide to Community Services

2018



*prepared by the
League of Women Voters
of Dare County*

24-HOUR EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Fire, Police, Ambulance, Ocean Rescue: 911

EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Outer Banks Hospital: 252-449-4500

CAROLINAS POISON CENTER

1-800-222-1222

CRISIS COUNSELING (HOTLINE)

252-473-3366

**Family Crisis Intervention; Domestic Abuse;
Sexual Assault Response; HIV/AIDS Management**

DRUGS

**National Drug & Alcohol Information,
Treatment & Referral Hotline**

1-800-662-4357

OUTER BANKS COMMUNITY SERVICES COLLABORATIVE

Call 24/7 to find social services & community resources

211

USEFUL CONTACTS

NC Road Conditions: 511; ncdot.gov/travel

NC Ferry Division: 800-BY-FERRY; ncdot.gov/ferry

NC Highway Patrol: 252-752-6118

NC Highway Patrol(after 5PM): 800-441-6127

VA DOT: 800-367-7623

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CHAPTER 1 - VOTING AND ELECTED OFFICIALS

VOTING IN DARE COUNTY

Board of Elections, 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo 27954	475-5630 Fax 475-1223 Hours: 8:30AM-5PM Mon.-Fri.
Director: Michele Barnes	475-5631
Chairman: Donna Elms	
Secretary: Carole Warnecki	
Member: Lynda Midgett	

You may register to vote in Dare County if you are:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A citizen of the United States. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 18 years of age or older by the date of the next general election (Preregister to vote if you are 16 or 17 years old) 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A legal resident of Dare County for 30 days by the date of the next election. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A person convicted of a felony whose citizenship rights have been restored and who meets the above requirements. 	

WHERE TO REGISTER

Board of Elections Office 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr. Manteo, 27954	475-5630 Fax 475-1223 Hours: 8:30AM-5PM Mon.-Fri.
Division of Motor Vehicles	2808 S. Croatan Hwy. Nags Head, when applying for a driver's license
Registration forms can be downloaded from www.darenc.com/departments/board-of-elections/voter-information/registration or picked up at town halls and libraries, completed, and returned to the Board of Elections. P.O. Box 1000, Manteo, NC 27954.	

Note: To vote, you must be registered 25 days before the election.	
Your registration must be updated if	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your name has changed or you have moved to another address in Dare County. • You change your party affiliation.
Using a mail-in registration form	Forms are available at the Board of Elections Office, libraries, and town halls.
To vote in party primaries	You must be registered with a political party. Note: unaffiliated voters may participate in party primaries by declaring a party on Election Day.

Last day to register to vote	Applies to all mail-in absentee votes and election day voting. Voter registration deadline for 2018 Primary Election is 5:00PM April 13, 2018. Voter registration deadline for General Election is 5:00PM October 12, 2018.
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2018 ELECTION CALENDAR

PRIMARY ELECTION - May 8, 2018

GENERAL ELECTION - November 6, 2018

ALL PRECINCT POLLING PLACES IN DARE COUNTY ARE OPEN ON
ELECTION DAY FROM
6:30AM to 7:30PM

Results will be available on
www.darenc.com/departments/board-of-elections and CURRENT TV
channel 191

Persons with questions about registration, absentee ballots, one-stop
voting and other election matters may call the Election Office at 475-5630
or 475-5631

WHERE AND WHEN TO VOTE

You will be assigned a voting place within your precinct when you register, or you may call the Board of Elections office (475-5630) for your voting location.	
Pre-election voting	Voting during a specified period before election day. Dates and sites had not been finalized at time of printing. Contact Board of Elections Office for final dates, times, and sites.
Curbside voting	Available in your car or near the voting place on Election Day if you are physically unable to enter the voting place.
Absentee Voting	Forms can be downloaded from www.darenc.com/departments/board-of-elections/voter-information/absentee-voting

The League of Women Voters encourages individuals to be informed and active participants in the political process.
Local political party leaders are:

Dare County Democratic Party: Melissa Midgett, Chair
P.O. 97, Nags Head 27959
www.daredemocrats.com or www.ncdp.org
Email: chairperson@daredemocrats.com

Dare County Republican Party: Brownny Douglas, Chair
P.O. Box 3383, Kill Devil Hills 27948
Phone: 216-8294; www.daregop.com or www.ncgop.org
Email: abrowndouglas3@gmail.com

NATIONAL OFFICIALS

<p>President: Donald Trump (R) 4-year term ends Jan. 2021</p>	<p>Mail: The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20500 202-456-1414 Fax 202-456-6213 Email form: whitehouse.gov/contact</p>
<p>Vice President: Michael Pence(R) 4-year term ends Jan. 2021</p>	<p>Mail: The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20500 202-456-1414 Fax 202-456-6213 Email form: whitehouse.gov/contact</p>

US SENATORS- NORTH CAROLINA

<p>Richard Burr (R) 6-year term ends Jan. 2023</p>	<p>Mail: 217 Russell Senate Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20510 202-224-3154 Fax 202-228-2981 Winston-Salem, NC 27104 800-685-8916 Fax 336-725-4493 Website: www.burr.senate.gov</p>
<p>Thom Tillis (R) 6-year term ends Jan. 2021</p>	<p>Mail: Room 185 Dirksen Senate Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510 202-224-6342 Fax: 202-228-2563 Alternate mail: 9300 Harris Corners Pkwy Suite 170 Charlotte, NC 28269 704-509-9087 Fax704-509-9162 Website: www.tillis.senate.gov.</p>

US REPRESENTATIVE 3rd DISTRICT, NORTH CAROLINA

Walter B. Jones (R) 2-year term ends Jan. 2019	Mail: 2333 Rayburn HOB Washington, DC 20515 202-225-3415 Alternate Mail: 1105-C Corporate Dr., Greenville, NC 27858 252-931-1003 (NC only) 800-351-1697 Fax 252-931-1002 Website: www.jones.house.gov
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Government websites	www.whitehouse.gov , www.senate.gov , www.house.gov
US Capitol Switchboard	202-224-3121
To call the President	202-456-1111 and leave your message on the topic of the day

SALUTATIONS/CLOSINGS FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS

PRESIDENT The President The White House Washington, DC 20500 Dear Mr./Madam President: Respectfully,	GOVERNOR Honorable (full name) Governor of North Carolina Raleigh, NC 27699 Dear Governor (surname): Sincerely,
US SENATOR Honorable (full name) United States Senate Washington, DC 20510 Dear Senator (surname): Sincerely,	STATE SENATOR Honorable (full name) State Legislative Bldg. Raleigh, NC 27601 Dear Mr./Ms./Mrs. (surname): Sincerely,
US REPRESENTATIVE Honorable (full name) US House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 Dear Mr./Ms./Mrs. (surname): Sincerely,	STATE REPRESENTATIVE Honorable (full name) State Legislative Bldg. Raleigh, NC 27601 Dear Mr./Ms./Mrs. (surname): Sincerely,

Address/Salutation information for other public officials is available in USGS Correspondence Handbook.

STATE OFFICIALS

Governor: Roy Cooper (D) 4-year term ends Jan. 2021 Mail: NC Office of the Governor 20301 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-0301	919-814-2000 Fax 919-733-2120 Eform: governor.nc.gov/contact-governor-cooper
Lt. Governor: Dan Forest (R) 4-year term ends Jan. 2021 Mail: Office of Lt. Gov. 310 N. Blount St Raleigh, NC 27601	919-814-3680 Fax 919-733-6595 Eform: Ltgov.nc.gov/contact-us
State Senator, 1 st Senatorial District Bill Cook (R) 2-year term ends Jan. 2019 Mail: NC Senate, 300 N. Salisbury St., Room 525, Raleigh, NC 27603-5925	919-715-8293 Fax: 919-754-3296 Email: Bill.Cook@ncleg.net
State Representative, 6th District Beverly Boswell (R) 2-year term ends Jan. 2019 Mail: NC House of Representatives 300 N. Salisbury St, Room 529 Raleigh, NC 27603-5925	919-733-5906 Email: Beverly.Boswell@ncleg.net

Governor's Office of Citizen Affairs for assistance with problems concerning state government or to express views on current issues	Toll free NC only 800-662-7952
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General Assembly: Legislative Building, 16 W. Jones St., Raleigh, NC 27601	919-733-4111 Website: www.ncleg.net
The General Assembly convenes odd-year biennial sessions on the first Wed. after the second Mon. in Jan. Since 1975, it has met in even-numbered years for short sessions.	

Official Website for State of NC	www.ncgov.com
Legislative switchboard	919-733-7928
Legislative library	919-733-9390
Printed bill copies	919-733-9390
Bill status information	919-733-9390
Government Heritage Library	919-807-7450 for copies of bills from previous sessions; copies are also available through www.ncgov.com
State Board of Elections Executive Director: Kim Westbrook Strach	919-814-0700 or 866-522-4723 Website: www.ncsbe.gov elections.sboe@ncsbe.gov

CHAPTER 2 - GOVERNMENT

DARE COUNTY GOVERNMENT

County Administration Offices	954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo	475-5000
Open weekdays 8:30AM-5:00PM	Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	www.darenc.com

The Board meets monthly 1st Mon. at 9AM and 3rd Mon. at 5PM at 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo, with some exceptions. Complete schedule is posted on the website.	Regularly scheduled meetings can be heard live on the Dare County website. Following the meeting, videos can be seen on CURRENT TV (channel 191) and the Dare County Website.
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Beach Satellite Offices	2601 Croatan Hwy. KDH Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo NC 27954 EFFECTIVE SPRING 2018 Office will move to: 2514 S. Croatan Hwy Nags Head NC 27959	Planning Dept., CAMA /FEMA, Building Permits, Sub Permits, Dog Licenses, Environmental Health, Social Services, Health & Planning. For Department Contacts at these Offices, Call 475-5555
Hatteras Island Offices	50347 NC Hwy 12, Mail: P.O. Box 859, Frisco, NC 27936	

COUNTY GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE

Dare County has a county commission-county manager system of government. A seven member Board of Commissioners sets policy and a county manager, appointed by the Commission, executes policy directives. Commissioners are elected to four year terms, some of which expire each even-numbered year. One commissioner is elected "at large," the others represent specific districts in which they must reside. Commissioners are elected by county voters at large. The Board elects a chairperson and vice-chair for a one year term at its organizational meeting in December.
The Board has countywide responsibility for educational funding, libraries, Parks and Recreation, Emergency Medical Services, and tax assessment. The Board is the sole governing body for the unincorporated areas of Dare County including Colington, Martin's Point, Manns Harbor, Stumpy Point, East Lake, Wanchese, northern Roanoke Island, and all of Hatteras Island. In these areas, the County is responsible for planning and zoning, solid waste management and law enforcement.

COUNTY OFFICIALS

Office: 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo email to all commissioners: DCBOC@darenc.com		Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954
Robert L. "Bob" Woodard. Sr. (R) Chair	2305 Bay Drive, Kill Devil Hills 27948 216-8240 (C) woodard@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2020 Represents District 2 - Kill Devil Hills, Colington, Nags Head
Wally Overman (R) Vice Chair	549 Skyco Rd., Manteo 27954 216-6042 (C) wallyo@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2020 Represents District 1 - East Lake, Stumpy Point, Manns Harbor, Manteo, Wanchese
Jack Shea (R)	290 Wax Myrtle Tr., Southern Shores 27949 261-4158 (H) Fax 255-0189 jshea@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2018 Represents District 5 (at large) - includes all of Dare County
Steve House (R)	288 N. Dogwood Trail PO Box 1093 Southern Shores 27949 216-8985 (C) steve.house@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2020 Represents District 3 Duck, Southern Shores, Kitty Hawk
Rob Ross (R)	105 East Sand Fiddler Court P.O. Box 1032 Nags Head 27959 216-6869 (C) rob.ross@darenc.com	Term ends Dec 2018 Represents District 2 - Kill Devil Hills, Colington, Nags Head
Jim Tobin (R)	6951 Pecan Lane P.O. Box 243 Manns Harbor 27953 216-7732 (C) jim.tobin@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2018 Represents District 1- East Lake, Stumpy Point, Manns Harbor, Manteo, Wanchese
Danny Couch (D)	47297 Dippin Vat Road PO Box 1001 Buxton 27920 216-7383 (C) dannyc@darenc.com	Term ends Dec. 2020 Represents District 4 Rodanthe, Salvo, Waves, Avon, Buxton, Frisco, Hatteras Village

Gary Lee Gross, Clerk to the Board	475-5700 Fax 473-1817	garyg@darenc.com
Bobby Outten, County Manager/Co.Attorney	475-5811 Fax 473-1817	outten@darenc.com
Janice Williams, Exec. Asst. to the Co. Mgr.	475-5800 Fax 473-1817	janicew@darenc.com
Dorothy Hester, Public Information Officer	475-5903 Fax 475-9376	Dorothy@darenc.com

COURTS

Office: Dare Co. Justice Center, 962 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo		Mail: P.O. Box 1849, Manteo 27954
Dean Tolson, Clerk of Court	475-5200 Fax 475-5201	4 year term ends Dec. 2018 www.darenc.com/clerk
<p>The Office of the Clerk of Superior Court is responsible for all administrative, clerical and record-keeping functions of the District and Superior Courts. With the exception of juvenile files, adoption records and certain other confidential records, files in the Clerk's office are public records and available for inspection to the public. The Clerk serves as Comptroller and Judge of Probate, with exclusive original jurisdiction over matters regarding the probate of wills and administration of estates in his county. The Clerk also presides over many other legal matters such as adoptions, incompetency and guardianship proceedings, partitioning of real property, name changes, real estate foreclosures, and petitions for surplus funds.</p>		

NORTH CAROLINA COURT SYSTEM

<p>The North Carolina court system consists of an Appellate Division, a Superior Court Division, and a District Court Division. A chief justice and six associate judges, elected for 8-year terms, serve on the Supreme Court. The Court of Appeals is served by a chief justice and 14 associate justices elected for 8-year terms.</p> <p>Dare County is served by two Superior Court judges and five District Court judges. Superior Court judges rotate throughout the state, and District Court judges rotate throughout their division and district. Dare County is in the 1st judicial district of the 1st division, which has seven counties. Only persons qualified to practice law in North Carolina are eligible for election or appointment to any of these courts.</p>
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DARE COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Office: 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo	Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5870 Fax 473-6653
Donna Creef, Director	475-5873 Fax 473-6653	
Noah Gillam, Planner	475-5849	
K.D. Jackson, Zoning Officer	50347 Hwy. 12, Frisco P.O. Box 859, Buxton 27920	475-5879
<p>Dare Co. Planning Dept. provides technical assistance to the Planning Board and Board of Commissioners and is responsible for implementation of the Dare County Land Use Plan and enforcement of zoning codes. The Planning Board meets on the 2nd Mon. at 6PM in the Dare Co. Commissioners' meeting room at 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr.,</p>		

Manteo. Members are appointed by the Board of Commissioners for 3-year terms. Members are:		
John Finelli, Chairman	P.O. Box 555, KH 27949	261-8786
Michael Barr	333 Eagle Dr., KDH ,27948	261-3266
Terry Gore	P.O. Box 2031, KDH 27948	910-703-6329
Jeff Landreth	1135 Burnside Rd., Manteo 27954	473-1569
Beth Midgett	PO Box 250, Hatteras 27943	986-6341
David Overton	418 Berry Dr., Manteo 27954	475-5881
Charles Read, Jr.	19 Mallard Cove Loop, SS 27949	255-5055
Zoning Bd. of Adjustment Jay Hart, Chairman	Meets 4 th Mon. when called	Members appointed for 3-year terms

County Building Inspectors are responsible for enforcing NC building codes.		
Roanoke Island & Mainland	Kevin Clark 475-5867	954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo
Colington/Martin's Point	Cory Tate, Chief Inspector 475-5872	2514 S. Croatan Hwy., Nags Head 27959
Hatteras Island 50347 Hwy. 12, Frisco Mail: P.O. Box 859 Buxton 27920	John Contestable Wayland Jennette	Hwy. 12, Frisco 475-5876 475-5877 Fax 995-3601
CAMA Admin. / Flood Plain Admin	Donna Creef 475-5873	954 Marshall C Collins Dr Manteo
CAMA Admin/Hatteras Island	K.D. Jackson 475-5879	50347 Hwy 12 Frisco

REGISTER OF DEEDS

Office: Dare Co. Justice Center, 962 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 70, Manteo 27954	475-5970
Vanzolla McMurran, Register of Deeds	Term ends Dec. 2018
This office is custodian of Dare Co. vital statistics and is the repository of real property records including deeds, deeds of trust, and plats of all subdivisions. It keeps files of county commissioners' meetings, airport affairs, retired military records and issues marriage licenses. Copies of Dare Co. birth and death certificates may be obtained from this office.	

DARE COUNTY BOARDS AND AUTHORITIES

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) BOARD

Dare County ABC Board Mail: P.O. Box 1879, Manteo 27954	473-9492 Fax 473-9446
Ted Toler, General Manager	
A 5-member board, appointed by the county commissioners for 3-year terms, makes policies and oversees operations for the sale of distilled spirits and wines, 17% alcohol and above by volume, and mixers of 1% or more alcohol. Net profits are allocated according to state law. In Dare Co., allocations include the Department of Social Services, the County General Fund, and the incorporated towns.	

DARE COUNTY AIRPORT AUTHORITY

Location: 410 Airport Rd., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 429, Manteo 27954	475-5570 Fax 473-1196 Website www.darenc.com/airport
David Daniels, Director.	Crystal Bateman, Senior Admin. Specialist
David Twiddy, Chair	Monthly meetings are held the last Wed. 6PM; the combined Nov.-Dec. meeting is held the 1 st Wed. in Dec.
The airport authority manages the regional airport. Nine members are appointed by the County Commissioners.	

DARE COUNTY WATERWAYS COMMISSION

Office: 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Room 151, Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5628 Fax 473-3042
Jenny Jones, Administrator	
The commission is made up of 8 members, each appointed by the Dare Co. Board of Commissioners for 2-year terms. This commission is concerned with matters involving the stabilization of Oregon Inlet; helping to provide continual & safe passage through Hatteras Inlet & working closely with all elected officials to achieve these goals. It is also concerned with issues pertaining to public waterways & county maritime facilities (boating & piers).	

DARE COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD

Office: 2601 N. Croatan Hwy., KDH Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5853
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Ann Daisey, Administrator
The Board's purpose is to protect and enhance water quality in Dare Co. through land conservation, storm water management, technical support, education, and outreach.
The Board of Supervisors meets monthly, 1 st Tues, 3PM in the Dare Co. Satellite Office. A 5-member board consists of 2 members appointed by the NC Soil and Water Commission and 3 elected members on a non-partisan basis.

OUTER BANKS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Chamber Office 101 Town Hall; PO Box 1757 Kill Devil Hills 27948	441-8144, Fax: 441-0338 www.outerbankschamber.com email: info@outerbankschamber.com
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OUTER BANKS VISITORS BUREAU

One Visitors Center Circle Manteo 27954	473-2138 Fax 473-5777 information@outerbanks.org Website: www.outerbanks.org
Lee Nettles, Executive Director	Board meets at the Visitors Center monthly, 9AM 3rd Thurs.
Aycock Brown Welcome Center, 5230 N. Croatan Hwy. (MP1), KH, 252-261-4644	
US Weather Bureau Station/Hatteras Island Welcome Center (partnership with NPS), 57190 Kohler Road, Hatteras, 252-986-2203	
Whalebone Information Station (partnership with NPS), junction of Hwy. 12 and US 64, Nags Head, 252-441-6644	
The Bureau promotes the county's major industry: tourism. The Bureau is governed by the Dare Co. Tourism Board. Thirteen members are appointed to 2-year terms by the County Commissioners representing various tourism-related constituencies as specified by state legislation.	

TOWNS

The incorporated towns of Duck, Kill Devil Hills, Kitty Hawk, Manteo, Nags Head and Southern Shores have their own municipal governments. Each is governed by a town council or board of commissioners. Mayors in Kill Devil Hills, Kitty Hawk, Manteo, Nags Head and Southern Shores are elected by the voters; in Duck the mayor is elected by the town council from among its members. All municipalities have a town manager. Each town provides for its own police and fire protection, road maintenance, solid waste collection, zoning, planning, and building inspection functions.

DUCK

Incorporated 2002

Zip Code 27949

Office: 1200 Duck Rd., Duck Mail: PO Box 8369, Duck, NC 27949	Hours: 9AM-5PM weekdays
255-1234 Fax 255-1236	Website: www.townofduck.com Email: info@townofduck.com

Town Council	Meets monthly 1 st Wed. 7PM & 3 rd Wed. 1PM at Town Office
Don Kingston, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2019	135 Fawn Ct., Duck 255-4817
Monica Thibodeau, Mayor Pro Tem Term ends Dec 2019	126 W. Sea Hawk Dr, Duck 261-6278
Jon Britt Term ends Dec 2019	1310 Duck Rd, Duck 261-7485
Chuck Burdick Term ends Dec 2019	P.O. Box 8194, Duck 202-5748
Nancy Caviness Term ends Dec 2019	P.O. Box 8278, Duck 255-1050

Christopher Layton - Town Mgr.	255-1234 Fax 255-1236
Lori Ackerman- Town Clerk	255-1234 Fax 255-1236
Tax Collection	Call Dare Co. Tax Office 475-5952
Robert Hobbs - Town Attorney	441-0871
John Cueto- Police Chief	261-1112 (non-emergency) Fax 261-2108
Donna Black - Fire Chief	261-3929 (non-emergency) Fax 261-5961
Joe Blakaitis - Chair, Planning Board Term ends May 1, 2018	Meets monthly 2 nd Wed. 6:30PM and 4 th Wed. 6:30PM as needed
Joe Heard - Code Enforcement Officer	255-1234
Steven McMurray, Building Inspector	255-1234
Zoning Board of Adjustment - Contact Joe Heard	255-1234

KILL DEVIL HILLS

Incorporated 1953

Zip Code 27948

Office: 102 Town Hall Dr., KDH Mail: P.O. Box 1719, KDH 27948	Hours: 8AM-5PM weekdays
449-5300 Fax 441-7946	Website: www.kdhnc.com Email: info@kdhnc.com

Board of Commissioners	Meets monthly by adopted schedule
Sheila F. Davies, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2019	121 Porthole Ct., KDH 475-0033
Mike Hogan Mayor Pro Tem Term ends Dec. 2019	809 Sixth Ave., P.O. Box 1898, KDH 256-0036
Terry Gray Term ends Dec. 2021	322 Pine Grove Trail, KDH 256-1064
Brandi Rheubottom Term ends Dec. 2019	910 W. First St., KDH 449-8546
John Windley Term ends Dec. 2021	1512 Small Place., KDH 902-4345

Debora Diaz, Town Manager	449-5300 Fax 441-7946
Shawn Murphy, Ass't. Town Manager	449-5300
Mary Quidley, Town Clerk	449-5302
Beverly Kissinger, Finance Officer	449-5338 Fax 480-4074
Gary L. Britt, Police Chief	449-5337 Police Dept. non-emergency Fax 441-8281
Troy N. Tilley, Fire Chief ext.222	480-4060 Fire Dept. non-emergency Fax 480-4069
Tax Collection	Call Dare Co. Tax Office 475-5952
Todd Olving & Kelley Wynn, Animal Control	480-4047
Town Planning Board: 7 members appointed by Town Bd. of Commissioners for 3-year terms. Meets by adopted schedule 5:30 PM at Town Hall	Stan Clough, Chair 1104 Ninth Ave., KDH 441-3868 Howard Buchanan, Vice-Chair 2058 Bay Drive, KDH 757-1131
Zoning Bd. of Adjustment meets on request last Tues. 6:00PM at Town Hall	Robert Rollason, III, Chair

KITTY HAWK

Incorporated 1981

Zip Code 27949

Office: 101 Veterans Memorial Dr., KH Mail: P.O. Box 549, KH 27949	Hours: 8:30AM- 5:00PM weekdays (except holidays)
261-3552 Fax 261-7900	Website: www.townofkittyhawk.org Email: info@kittyhawktown.net

Town Council	Meets monthly 1 st Mon. 6PM Town Hall
Gary Perry, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2021	3831 Herbert Perry Rd., KH 261-5332
Ervin Bateman, Term ends Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 1127, 4148 Poor Ridge Rd., KH 202-1072
Craig Garriss, Mayor Pro Tem Term ends Dec. 2021	5204 Birch Lane, KH 261-4922
Lynne McClean Term ends Dec. 2019	610 W. Kitty Hawk Rd., KH 202-9672
Jeff Pruitt Term ends Dec. 2021	3890 Poor Ridge Rd., KH 261-9055

Andy Stewart, Town Manager	261-3552 Fax 261-7900
Lynn Morris, Town Clerk	261-3552
Casey Varnell, Town Attorney	261-2126
Tax Collection	Call Dare Co. Tax Office 475-5952
Joel Johnson, Police Chief	261-3895 Police Dept non- emergency
Mike Talley, Fire Chief	261-2666 Fire Dept. non- emergency
Rob Testerman, Town Planner	261-3552
Town Planning Board - 5 members appointed by Town Council for 2- year terms. Meets 2 nd Thurs. following Town Council meetings at 6PM, Town Hall	John Richeson, Chair 815 W. Kitty Hawk Rd., KH 261-7656 (h) 599-0413 (c)
Zoning Board of Adjustment	On request with 15 days notice
David Lewis, Building Inspector	261-3552
Council meetings air on channel 191 on Thurs. & Sun following the meeting @ 1PM & 7PM	

MANTEO

Incorporated 1899

Zip Code 27954

NOTE: Manteo is also the county seat. This section refers only to town government.

Office: 407 Budleigh St., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 246, Manteo 27954	Hours: 8:30AM-5PM weekdays
473-2133 Fax 473-2135	Website: www.townofmanteo.com Email: info@townofmanteo.com

Board of Commissioners	1 st Wed. 6:30PM year round 3 rd Wed. 4PM year round
Bobby Owens, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 505., Manteo 473-2721 (H)
Darrell Collins, Mayor Pro Tem Term ends Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 217, Manteo 473-1722
Richie Burke Term ends Dec. 2021	P.O. Box 2444, Manteo 473-1985
Hannon Fry Term ends Dec. 2019	321 Agona St., Manteo 475-1717
Nancy Peele Term ends Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 1494, Manteo 473-3175
Christine Walker Term ends Dec. 2021	P.O. Box 335, Manteo 473-4788 (H)
Eddie Mann Term ends Dec. 2021	417 US Hwy 64/264, Manteo 216-7743

Kermit Skinner, Town Manager	473-2133 Fax 473-2135
Shannon Twiddy, Ass't. Town Manager/Finance Officer	473-2133 Fax 473-2135
Becky Breiholz, Town Clerk	473-2133
Wyatt Booth, Town Attorney	919-754-1171
Vance Haskett, Police Chief	473-2069 Police Dept. non- emergency
Tony Duvall, Fire Chief	473-2300 Fire Dept. non- emergency
Tax Collection	Call Dare Co. Tax Office 475-5952
Town Planning Board. Five members appointed by Town Board for 2-year, meets monthly 2 nd Tues., 6PM Town Hall	Melissa Dickerson, Town Planner 473-2133
Zoning Board of Adjustment meets on request	473-2133
Melissa Dickerson, Planning Admin/Code Enforcement	473-2133
Bldg Inspections Tue, Wed, Thur only	

NAGS HEAD

Incorporated 1961

Zip Code 27959

Office: 5401 S. Croatan Hwy. Mail: P.O. Box 99, NH 27959	Hours: 8:30AM-5PM weekdays
441-5508 Fax 441-0776	Website: www.nagsheadnc.gov

Board of Commissioners	Meets monthly 1 st Wed. 9AM. Meetings on TV channel 191 at 1PM & 7PM Sat & Tues following the meeting
Ben Cahoon, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2021	2616 S. Compass Ln., Nags Head 473-7396
Susie Walters, Mayor Pro Tem, Term ends Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 1075, Nags Head 441-9218
Renee Cahoon Term end Dec. 2019	P.O. Box 714, Nags Head 441-4847
Webb Fuller Term ends Dec. 2021	P.O. Box 1003, Nags Head 305-9322
Mike Siers Term ends Dec. 2021	4638 S. Blue Marlin Dr. Nags Head 489-3861

Cliff Ogburn, Town Manager	441-5508 Fax 441-0776
Carolyn Morris, Town Clerk	449-2009
John Leidy, Town Attorney	335-0871
Linda Bittner, Tax Collector	449-2008
Kevin Brinkley, Police Chief	441-6386 Police Dept. non-emergency
Kevin Zorc, Fire Chief	449-2018 Fax 441-8268 441-5909 Fire Dept. non-emergency
Andy Garman, Dep Town Manager; Planning & Development Dir.	449-2006 Fax 441-4290
Mark Cornwell, Chair Town Planning Board 252-619-0862	7 members appointed by Town Board for 3-year terms. Meets monthly 3 rd Tues. 2:30PM
Zoning Board of Adjustment Jack Cooper, Chair, 422 W. Villa Dunes, Nags Head 480-1684	Meets on request 2 nd Thurs. 9AM
David Morton, Chief Building Inspector	449-6043

SOUTHERN SHORES

Incorporated: 1979

Zip Code: 27949

Office and Mail: 5375 N. Virginia Dare Tr., Southern Shores 27949	Hours: 8:30AM-5PM weekdays
261-2394 Fax 255-0876	Website: www.southernshores-nc.gov
Town Council	Meets monthly at the Pitts Center, 1 st Tues. 5:30PM,
Tom Bennett, Mayor Term ends Dec. 2021	218 Hillcrest Dr., Southern Shores 261-2511
Chris Nason, Mayor Pro Tem Term ends Dec. 2019	72 Trintie Tr. Southern Shores 489-3614
Jim Conners Term Ends Dec. 2021	83 Duck Woods Dr. Southern Shores 202-1508
Gary McDonald Term ends Dec. 2019	74 Trintie Tr. Southern Shores 261-0209
Fred Newberry Term ends Dec. 2019	267 N. Dogwood Tr. Southern Shores 252-564-5108

J. Peter Rascoe, Town Manager	261-2394
Sheila Kane, Town Clerk	261-2394
Bonnie Swain, Finance/Human Resources	261-2394
Ben Gallop, Town Attorney	441-0871 Fax 441-8822
David Kole, Police Chief	261-3331 Police Dept. non-emergency
Ed Limbacher, Fire Chief	261-2272 Fire Dept. non-emergency
Town Planning Board Sam Williams, Chair	Five members appointed by Town Council for 3-year terms. Meets monthly 3 rd Mon. 5:30 PM at Pitts Center. Contact through Town of Southern Shores
Zoning Board of Adjustment Sam Williams, Chair	Contact through Town of Southern Shores
Rachel Patrick, Public Works Director	261-2394
Wesley Haskett, Planner/ Code Enforcement Officer	261-2394
Dabni Shelton, Permit Officer	261-2394

STATE GOVERNMENT

NC STATE EXTENSION - DARE COUNTY CENTER

Office: 517 Budleigh St., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 968, Manteo 27954	473-4290 Fax 473-3106 Website: dare.ces.ncsu.edu
Shannon Brooks, County Extension Director	Donna Hanusik, Administrative Assistant

Agriculture, Natural Resources and Community and Rural Development
Through education, assistance is given to residents, municipalities and landscape professionals in managing the coastal environment. Programs are offered in tree and lawn care, landscaping, soils, erosion control, pest management, and Master Gardener Volunteer training. A hotline is available for home horticulture questions. Please call or email greenlineobx@gmail.com

Family and Consumer Science	Dee Furlough
Our mission is to improve the well-being of the family through programs that educate, influence public policy, and help families put research-based knowledge to work in their lives. Our program focuses on nutrition, health, food safety and food preservation. A Local Foods Council focuses on local food systems.	

4-H and Youth Development	
Young people “learn by doing” in special interest groups, clubs, school, and after-school programs. For children K-5 and Middle School, the 4-H program provides day camps and enrichment opportunities during school breaks and other out-of-school times.	

DARE COUNTY NC WORKS CAREER CENTER

Office: 2522 S. Croatan Hwy., NH Mail: P.O. Box 757, NH 27959	480-3500 Fax 480-0121 Website: ncworks.gov
Kenneth Kee, Manager	Hours: 8:30AM-5PM Mon.-Fri.
The Center supports local employment by listing current job opportunities, referring qualified applicants and providing local labor market information. It assists job seekers in resume writing and employers in developing job descriptions and personnel handbooks. The Center serves Dare Co., Corolla, Ocracoke Island, and Currituck County.	

NORTH CAROLINA CONSUMER PROTECTION OFFICE

Attorney General's Office 9001 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-9001	Toll free: 877-566-7226 919-716-6400 Website: www.ncdoj.com
<p>This office acts to protect the public from unlawful business practices. When contacting this office, explain your complaint clearly. Send brief but specific (where, when, what) information. Send photocopies of any related written contracts, receipts, warranties, advertisements, or letters. This office can assist in mediation of disputes; it does not act as a lawyer for consumers in individual disputes. Complaints can be filed online.</p>	

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

POST OFFICES

Avon	995-5991	41196 NC HWY. 12	10AM-12PM & 1PM-3:45PM Mon.-Fri.; 10:30AM-12:30PM Sat.
Buxton	995-5755	48042 NC HWY. 12	9AM-12PM & 1:30PM-4PM Mon.-Fri.; 10:30AM-12:30PM Sat.
Duck	261-8555	1245 Duck Rd.	Jun thru Sep: 9AM-4PM Mon.-Fri.; 9AM-1PM Sat. Jan thru Mar: 9:30 to 3:30 Mon. - Fri.; 9:30 to 12:30 Sat. Oct, Nov, Dec, Apr, May: 9:15 to 3:45 Mon. - Fri.; 9:15 to 12:45 Sat.
Frisco	995-5017	53590 NC HWY. 12	8AM-12:30PM & 1:30PM-4PM Mon.-Fri.; Sat. closed
Hatteras	986-2318	57689 NC HWY. 12	8AM-1PM & 2PM-4PM Mon.- Fri.; 10:30AM-12:30PM Sat.
Kill Devil Hills	441-5666	302 S. Croatan Hwy.	9AM-4:30PM Mon.-Fri.; 10AM-12PM Sat.
Kitty Hawk Southern Shores	261-2211	3841 N. Croatan Hwy.	9AM-4:30PM Mon-Fri; 10AM-12PM Sat.
Manns Harbor	473-3677	6941 Hwy. 64	12:15PM-4:15PM Mon.-Fri. 8:30AM- 11:30AM Sat.

Manteo	473-2534	Chesley Mall, 212B Hwy. 64	9AM-4:30PM Mon.-Fri.; 10AM-12PM Sat.
Nags Head	441-7387	100 W. Deering St.	9AM-12:30PM & 2- 4:30PM Mon.-Fri.; 10AM-12PM Sat.
Rodanthe Waves Salvo	987-2273	25969 NC HWY 12	8:15AM-12 PM & 1PM- 4PM Mon.-Fri.; 10AM-12PM Sat.
Wanchese	473-3551	3525 Mill Landing Rd.	9AM-12PM & 1:00PM- 4:30PM Mon.-Fri.; 9:30AM-11:30AM Sat.
BEFORE PLACING STREET MAILBOXES, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL POST OFFICE			

SOCIAL SECURITY

Office: 1865 W. City Dr., Elizabeth City 27909	866-572-2819 Website: www.socialsecurity.gov -
Service in English & Spanish	Hours: 9AM-4PM Mon & Tues 9AM-12noon Wed 9AM-4PM Thurs & Fri
There is no Social Security office in Dare Co; Elizabeth City is the nearest office. Residents may call Elizabeth City @ 866-572-2819 or National @ 1-800-772-1213 (toll free).	

VETERANS SERVICES

Office: 107 Exeter St., Manteo	475-5604
Mail: P.O. Box 669, Manteo 27954	Fax 473-3353
Patty O'Sullivan, Veterans Service Officer	
Available for assistance and information relating to veterans' affairs.	

CHAPTER 3 - TAXES AND LICENSES

DARE COUNTY TAX OFFICE

County Tax Office	Dare Co. Justice Center 962 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo 27954	
Becky Huff, Co. Tax Collector	475-5954	
Greta Skeen, Co. Tax Assessor	475-5945	
Dare County residents pay real estate and personal property taxes to the County for county services and if they live within a town, pay additional property taxes to their town for town services. Citizens in unincorporated areas are taxed by the County for fire protection, certain community centers and trash collection.		
A 1% land transfer tax is divided between the County and the towns.		
A 6% occupancy tax for hotels, motels and rental properties including online travel & Airbnb is divided as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2% to Dare Co. for beach nourishment and shoreline protection. • 1% to the Dare Co. Tourism Board. • 3% divided between county and town governments with 35% of the net amount going to the towns and 65% going to the county. The proceeds must be used for “tourism impacted” services. 		
A 1% prepared food and beverage tax and a 1% occupancy tax for hotels, motels, and rental properties enables the Dare Co. Tourism Board to promote year round travel and tourism. Of the total, 25% must be used to alleviate the impact of tourism.		
A State sales tax of 6.75% applies to most goods.		

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

Call Center (Rocky Mount, NC) 877-252-3052
Regional Administrative Office in Elizabeth City, NC 252-338-7400

LICENSES

Auto registration office (NC license plate agency) is located in Island Pharmacy, Chesley Mall (210 Hwy. 64), Manteo 473-3926 Hours: 8:30AM-12:30PM, 1:30PM-5PM weekdays
Drivers Licenses: Division of Motor Vehicles, 2808 S. Croatan Hwy, Nags Head. 480-6465; Hours: M-F 8AM-5PM; 1 st Sat 8AM-12 noon; Wed. after 1 st Sat 8AM-12PM. Drivers may also register to vote when they get their driver’s license. Mobile station is available at Hatteras Civic Center. Call for schedule.
Boat registrations are required for all boats with motors (including trolling motors) and sailboats over 14 ft. Forms can be obtained at marine or tackle shops. For information call NC Wildlife Resources Commission , 800-628-3773, website www.ncwildlife.org

<p>Dog licenses are renewable Jan. 1 of each year at the Dare Co. Animal Shelter or Satellite County Office in KDH or Buxton. Proof of rabies vaccination is required. Kill Devil Hills requires a town license. Animals are required to wear tags at all times.</p>
<p>Hunting and fishing licenses are required. NC residents can order by calling toll-free 888-248-6834 or 919-707-0010, Mon.-Fri. 8AM-5PM, with payment by Visa or Master Charge only. Licenses are also available at stores that sell sporting equipment, at some general stores in hunting and fishing areas, and through the internet. For information call NC Wildlife Resources Commission, 919-707-0010, website www.ncwildlife.org</p> <p>Recreational saltwater fishing licenses are required. For information on saltwater fishing, call NC Dept. of Health and Natural Resources, Division of Marine Fisheries, 252-473-1233, 252-473-5734 or 800-682-2632, website www.ncfisheries.net. A Recreational Commercial Gear License is required for residents only for gill net fishing, shrimping, or crabbing. Catch is not to be commercially sold. This license is available at Marine Fisheries, 1021 Driftwood Dr., Manteo. 473-1233.</p>
<p>Marriage licenses can be obtained from the Register of Deeds in the Dare Co. Justice Center, 962 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo. 475-5970. Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30AM-4:30PM</p>

CHAPTER 4 -- EDUCATION AND LIBRARIES

DARE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Supt. Of Schools, Dr. John D. Farrelly	480-8888 Fax 480-8885
Board Office: 3020 Wrightsville Ave., Nags Head Mail: P.O. Box 1508, Nags Head 27959	www.daretolearn.org
<p>Board of Education Members are elected at-large in a Primary & General Election of even numbered years. Residency in districts from which they are elected, corresponding to those of the county commissioners, is required by law. Four year staggered terms begin in Dec. Board meets monthly, 2nd Tues. 5:00PM at announced school sites.</p>	
Bea Basnight, Chair District 1; term ends Dec. 2020	177 Scuppernong Rd., Manteo 27954 473-3856 (H) Fax 473-2292
Margaret Lawler, Vice Chair District 3; term ends Dec. 2018	81 Gravey Pond Ln., Southern Shores 27949 261-5482 (H)
Mary Ellon Ballanc District 4; term ends Dec. 2020	PO Box 756. Hatteras NC 27943 305-2685 (C), Fax 986-0104

Ben Sproul District 2; term ends Dec. 2020	908 Sixth Ave. KDH 27948 441-1010 (H); 441-1769 (fax)
Joe Tauber District 2; term ends Dec. 2018	205 Eagle Drive, KDH 27948 (410) 491-9735(C) Fax 255-0631
David Twiddy District 5; term ends Dec. 2020	100 Weir Point Drive, Manteo 27954, (H)473-3827; (Fax) 473-2778
Charlotte White District 1; term ends Dec. 2018	30 Ballast Point Drive, Manteo 27954 475-1864(H) Fax 475-1867

DARE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Cape Hatteras Elem. (PK-5) Buxton	995-6196	Principal: Sherry Couch
First Flight Elem. (PK-5) KDH	441-1111	Principal: Drew Sawyer
Kitty Hawk Elem. (K-5) Southern Shores	261-2313	Principal: Dr. Gregory Florence
Manteo Elem. (PK-5) Manteo	473-2742	Principal: Steve Blackstock
Nags Head Elem. (PK-5) Nags Head	480-8880	Principal: Dr. Adrienne Palma
First Flight Middle (6-8) KDH	441-8888	Principal: Dave Guiley
Manteo Middle (6-8) Manteo	473-5549	Principal: Dr. Michael Sasscer
Cape Hatteras Secondary (6-12) Buxton	995-5730	Principal: Beth Rooks
Dare Learning Academy	473-2264	Principal: L'Tanya Murray
First Flight High (9-12) KDH	449-7000	Principal: Tim Albert
Manteo High (9-12) Manteo	473-5841	Principal: John Luciano

All children 7-16 years old are required to be enrolled in classes.

Children must be five by Aug. 31 in order to attend kindergarten in that school year.

An after-school enrichment program is in operation at all elementary schools. It provides child care services with snack, homework supervision, and planned activities until 6PM.

Director: Marsha Riibner-Cady 216-8613

A Head Start program is provided in Manteo for eligible children. Phone: 473-5246

COMMUNITY COLLEGE - THE COLLEGE OF THE ALBEMARLE

College of The Albemarle (COA) Dare County Campus, 132 Russell Twiford Rd., Manteo 27959 Roanoke Island Campus, 205 Hwy. 64/264 Business, Manteo 27954	Office hours: 8AM-7:00PM Mon.-Thurs., 8AM-4:30PM Fri. 473-2264 or 473-3593 Fax 473-6008
Tim Sweeney, Dean	Website: www.albemarle.edu
The Dare Campus offers degree programs in College Transfer, Business Administration, Early Childhood Education, Fine Arts, Science, General Education and Arts. COA also offers occupational courses in areas such as Welding, HVAC, electrical, Basic Law Enforcement Training, Spanish, etc.. Additionally, GED and ESL programs and Hospitality & Tourism Certifications are available. Please see website for current course offerings.	
For information on continuing education, call 473-2264, Roanoke Island Campus.	

OUTER BANKS HISTORY CENTER

Office: Across from Manteo Waterfront within Roanoke Island Festival Park	473-2655 Fax 473-1483
Samantha Crisp, Director Tama Creef, Acquisitions Archivist Stuart Parks, Digital Services Archivist	obhc@ncdcr.gov Website: http://archives.ncdcr.gov/public/outer-banks-history-center
Reading Room: Open 9AM- 5PM weekdays except state holidays	
The Outer Banks History Center is a regional archival facility administered by the State Archives of North Carolina. It's an excellent place to find historical photographs, explore family history, and learn about a wide range of local history topics. The center is open to the public and most services are free. Out-of-town researchers are encouraged to call ahead. See examples of photograph collections on www.flickr.com/photos/obhc and visit the center's web site or Facebook page for up-to-date information.	

PUBLIC LIBRARIES

East Albemarle Regional Library System	www.earlibrary.org
Jonathan Wark, Dare Co. Librarian	473-2372
Any Dare County resident or property owner may borrow materials free of charge. Parents must sign for children under 14 years of age. Library cards are honored at all libraries of the East Albemarle Regional Library (Pasquotank, Camden, Dare, and Currituck Counties). On-line services are available on the website. Call the Manteo Library for information about homebound delivery. Research and reference services and inter-library loan are available for books and materials not owned by East Albemarle Library System.	
Library policy is set by an 8 member board appointed by the County Commissioners, one of whom is a member of the library board.	

Hatteras Library, Hatteras Community Building Mail: PO Box 309, Hatteras 27943 986-2385 Fax 986-2952	Tues., Thurs., Fri. 10:30AM-5:30PM, Wed. 1PM-7PM Sat. 10:00AM- 12:30PM Closed Mon.
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Kill Devil Hills Branch, 400 Mustian St., KDH 27948 Mail: Same 441-4331 Fax 441-0608	Mon, Thurs, Fri. 10AM-5:30PM Tues, Wed. 10AM-7PM Sat. 10AM-4PM Closed Sat. in July & August
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Manteo Library, 700 N. US 64, Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954 473-2372 Fax 473-6034	Mon. & Thurs. 10AM-7PM, Tues, Wed., Fri. 10AM 5:30PM Sat. 10AM-4PM Closed Sat. in July & August
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DARE LITERACY COUNCIL

Mail: P.O. Box 7624, Kill Devil Hills 27948	216-7773 info@dareliteracy.org
Lynn Blackburn, Chair	All services are free of charge
The Council collaborates with other literacy organizations (COA, libraries, area churches) to provide services for adults including: Adult Basic Education, reading, basic math, GED, and English as a Second Language. Individual or small group tutoring is provided. The Council also trains tutors who want to teach people to read, write and speak English, improve math skills, and/or get their GEDs. Volunteers are always needed to assist with fundraising, data entry and office/administrative tasks.	

CHAPTER 5 - MEDICAL/HEALTH

DCDHHS*: PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION

* DARE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Main Office: 109 Exeter St., Manteo 27954 Mail: P.O. Box 669, Manteo 27954	475-5003 Fax 473-5763 Website: www.darenc.com/departments/health-human-services
Satellite Office: 50347 Hwy. 12, Frisco 27936 Satellite Office: Opening Spring 2018 2514 S. Croatan Hwy, Nags Head 27959	475-9320 Fax 995-6816
Sheila Davies PhD, Director	475-5076
Board of Health and Human Services	Tim Shearin, Chairman
<p>The Public Health Division of the Dare County Department of Health and Human Services encompasses Dare Home Health and Dare Hospice, providing nursing, therapies, social work, counseling and certified in-home nursing assistants for patients meeting eligibility requirements; Environmental Health Services, which inspects and issues permits for private and public institutions, including in-site sewage disposal systems, food and lodging facilities, and pools and schools; Dare County Community and Clinical Services, providing surveillance, prevention, education, and safety net clinic services, including investigating communicable diseases and case management services; and Health Education and Outreach Services, providing information and education helping to enable people live healthier lives.</p>	

OTHER HEALTH AGENCIES

Port New Horizons Mental and Substance Abuse Services 2808 S. Croatan Hwy. Ste, B, Nags Head 27959	441-2324 Fax 441-1994
Michelle Hawbacker, Program Supervisor	
Provides substance abuse and mental health services, assessment and outpatient treatment services for adolescents and adults.	
Trillium Health Resources 1708 E. Arlington Blvd. Greenville, NC 27858-4872	Crisis & Access to Care 1-877-685-2415 (toll free) Administrative & Business 1-866-998-2597 (toll free) www.trilliumhealthresources.org
Leza Wainwright, CEO	info@trillium.org

Trillium Health Resources is a leading specialty care manager (LME/MCD) for individuals with substance use, mental illness and intellectual/developmental disabilities in 24 counties in eastern North Carolina. Trillium's mission is to transform the lives of people in need by providing them with ready access to quality care. We take a person-centered approach to health & wellbeing, coordinating care across multiple systems to achieve improved health outcomes, quality of care & efficient use of resources. Trillium is investing in innovation to meet the unique needs of the individuals & communities we serve, and remains focused on delivering the right services, in the right amount, at the right time.

MEDICAL FACILITIES

Community Care Clinic of Dare	261-3041 www.dareclinic.org
Rick Gray, Executive Director	
The Community Care Clinic of Dare provides basic healthcare, medication assistance, and wellness education for financially challenged, uninsured persons living or working in Dare County.	
Hatteras Clinic– 50347 NC 12, Frisco 475-9329	Patient registration, information, Medical Clinic and Medication Dispensing: Every Tues. 5:30PM-8:30PM
Nags Head Clinic 425 Health Center Drive Nags Head, NC 27959 261-3041	Patient registration and information: Tues. & Thurs. 9AM-1PM Free Medical Clinic and Medication Dispensing– Every Mon. & Wed., 9 am until 2 pm; 2 nd Tuesday. 6PM-9PM Spanish to English interpreter available on Mon. & Wed.

Dare Co. Dialysis Center 115 Exeter St. (behind Chesley Mall), Manteo 27954	475-3530 Fax 475-3534 Hours: 5:30AM-4:30PM Mon.-Sat.
Katie Richardson, Clinical Manager	
This 9-station end-stage renal facility is a partnership of Dare Co. and Vidant Health. A physician's referral is required. Medicaid, Medicare, and most private insurance are accepted.	

The Outer Banks Hospital 4800 S. Croatan Hwy. (MP 14) Nags Head 27959	449-4500 obhinfo@theobh.com www.theobh.com
Ronnie Sloan, FACHE, President	
OBH is a 21-bed acute care facility offering the latest in healthcare advances and technology including cancer care, general surgery, orthopedic surgery, gynecologic surgery, emergency, birthing, imaging, diagnostic, rehabilitation therapy services and inpatient care. The hospital is a partnership between Vidant Health in Greenville, North Carolina and Chesapeake Regional Healthcare. OBH is fully accredited by the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.	

Cancer Resource Center Medical Office Building 4810 S. Croatan Hwy, Suite 220, Nags Head 27959	449-8265 cancerinfo@theobh.com www.theobh.com Open Mon. to Fri., 9AM to 5PM. & by appointment
The OBH Cancer Resource Center is dedicated to helping patients with cancer better understand their diagnosis and treatment and adjust to the changes that a cancer diagnosis brings. The Center offers a comfortable place to sit and browse the extensive library of resources including brochures, medical literature and local resources available to help people dealing with cancer. Trained personnel are available to assist with online computer searches as well. The image boutique has a variety of head coverings and wigs available that have been provided by the generosity of the community. All services of the Center are provided at no cost.	

OBH Cancer Outreach 4810 S Croatan Hwy, Suite 112, Nags Head, 27959	Clinic Open 8AM- 5PM Mon.-Fri. 449-8265
Two speciality nurse navigators are available to consult with cancer patients and their families and assist them with cancer care coordination. The nurse navigator helps patients understand their diagnosis, reviews available resources including transportation, residential assistance & gap coverage & troubleshoots delays/barriers to care. This free service is available to all residents of Dare Co. regardless of place of residence or institution providing medical care	

The Outer Banks Hospital Hands of Hope Program 4810 S Croatan Hwy, Nags Head, 27959	449-4550 office
Community volunteers are specially trained to support individuals and their caregivers facing a diagnosis of cancer. Examples include helping with errands, meals, transportation, respite care for the caregiver, light house or yard work and helping out with light office tasks. These volunteers set an example of caring for others. This is a free service.	

The Outer Banks Hospital Urgent Care Center Milepost 1, the Marketplace, 5565 N. Croatan Highway, Southern Shores 27949	449-7474 Open 7 days a week including Holidays
No appointment necessary On site lab & X-ray Occupational Health Services Urine Drug Screens CDL Physicals (Certified Examiners On-Site) Workman's Comp Worksteps	Walk-ins welcome
The Outer Banks Hospital Urgent Care Center & Family Medicine Milepost 14, 48023 S. Croatan Hwy, Nags Head	261-8040 Open 7 days a week including Holidays
No appointment necessary. Primary care available by appointment	Walk-in welcome

The Outer Banks Hospital Radiation Therapy Center 4125 S. Croatan Highway Nags Head, NC 27959	261-0777 Same or next day appointment 5 days a week
Board certified radiation oncologist, fully-licensed radiation therapists, medical physicists, dosimetrists and support staff. External Beam Radiation Therapy Intensity Modulated Radiation Therapy Image-guided Radiation Therapy	

The Outer Banks Hospital Outpatient Rehabilitation Therapy 4820 S. Croatan Hwy Nags Head	449-4560 M-F 7:30AM - 6:00PM By appointment
TOBH Outpatient Rehabilitation Therapy offers customized, comprehensive outpatient rehabilitative care to meet the ever-increasing needs of the community. Housed in the new, state-of-the-art Rehabilitation Therapy building on TOBH campus, services offered include physical, occupational, speech & balance therapies.	

Outer Banks Medical Group Jennifer Allen, Mgr of Regional Operations - 449-5689	
The Outer Banks Medical Group is a multi-speciality physician group that provides high quality, compassionate care for the health & wellness needs of the Outer Banks community. There are over 30 primary & speciality care providers in locations from Avon to Southern Shores.	

Outer Banks Family Medicine, Avon 40894 NC 12, Avon 27915 995-3073	Hours: 8AM-4:45PM Mon.-Fri. By appointment
Outer Banks Family Medicine-Manteo 604 Amanda St., Manteo 27954	473-3478 Fax 473-3600 Mon-Thurs.8AM-5PM;FR. 8AM-4PM Closed 12PM - 1PM for lunch By appointment
Outer Banks Family Medicine, Southern Shores 5553 N. Croatan Hwy Southern Shores	449-5780 Hours: M-Th 8:00AM - 5:00PM Fri 8:00AM-2:00PM By appointment

Beach Medical Care LTD 4917 S. Croatan Hwy Unit 1B, Nags Head	261-4187 Fax 261-5182 Hours: M-F 8AM-5:30PM; Closed Sat & Sun
Yvonne Taylor Lane Practice Manager	ytl.bmc@gmail.com; bmchealthcare.com Urgent care/family practice; walk-ins

CHAPTER 6- SOCIAL SERVICES

DCDHHS * SOCIAL SERVICES DIVISION

* DARE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Main Office: 107 Exeter St., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 669, Manteo 27954	475-5500 Fax 473-9824 www.darenc.com/departments/health-human-services
Satellite Office: 50346 Hwy. 12, Frisco Satellite Office Open Spring 2018 2514 S. Croatan Hwy Nags Head	475-9320 Fax 995-6816
Chuck Lycett, Director	475-5500
Tim Shearin, Chairman	Board of Health & Human Services
Social Services provides a broad array of economic and services programs. Economic services include Medicaid, Health Choice, Food and Nutrition Services, and Work First. Services include investigation of child and elder abuse and neglect; foster care and adoption services, in-home aide services, child daycare, prevention services and emergency services. Social Services helps families make	

decisions about nursing home placement or institutional care of disabled or elderly members and provides or refers clients to emergency services.

BEACH FOOD PANTRY

Beach Food Pantry 4007 N. Croatan Hwy Kitty Hawk Mail: P.O. Box 468, Kitty Hawk NC 27949	261-2756 Hours: Mon.-Fri. 2PM-4PM Email: obxbeachfoodpantry@gmail.com Facebook, Twitter & Instagram: BeachFoodPantry Website: beachfoodpantry.org
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The Beach Food Pantry's mission is to provide direct nutritional assistance to Dare County residents in a temporary crisis or emergency situation. Households are provided with at least a two-week supply of food based upon family size. The pantry provides food assistance up to four times a year, with a minimum of 30 days required between visits.

DARE COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

Office: 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954 Don Cabana, Director	Reservations & information: 475-5640 Fax 473-3471 Hours: 8:30AM-5PM Mon.-Fri.
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Scheduled transportation is available to all Dare Co. residents for medical appointments, personal and shopping, dialysis treatments, the nutrition site in Manteo, etc. Medical appointments are a priority. Anyone can ride.

GEM Gentle Expert Memory Care

Contact: Gail Sonnesso 12 Juniper Trail Southern Shores	252-480-3354 www.gemdayservices.org
Works to provide support & resources for people living with dementia, their care partners & the community	

HOTLINE CRISIS INTERVENTION CENTER

Center: Hwy. 64 and Amadas St., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1490, Manteo 27954 Michael Lewis, Director	Hotline Crisis Phone: 473-3366 473-5121 Fax 473-9895
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Hotline offers shelter and services to victims of domestic abuse and emergency response to sexual assault victims. It maintains a 24-hour emergency phone line to connect distressed callers with trained volunteers. Hotline is a private, non-profit organization supported by grants, contributions, and fundraisers as well as sales from its thrift

shops. Thrift shops are located in Manteo, Nags Head, Kitty Hawk, Rodanthe, and Buxton. Karma Blue Consignment is located in Nags Head.

INTERFAITH COMMUNITY OUTREACH

115 Mustian St PO Box 1663 Kill Devil Hills NC 27948	480-0070 Fax 261-6342 director@interfaithoutreach.com Website: www.interfaithoutreach.com
Jennifer Albanese, Executive Director	Hours: 10AM-2PM Mon., Wed., Fri.
ICO provides direct services to Dare & Currituck Co. residents who are facing a temporary emergency crisis. ICO also provides cancer outreach. ICO is an interfaith organization of volunteers who are supported by 48 local faith communities and local partners.	

MANO AL HERMANO

Contact: Ama Frimpong	252-564-8993
3901 N. Croatan Hwy, Kitty Hawk	www.manoalhermano.com
Mail: P.O. Box 776, Kitty Hawk	
Works to support Latino families in Dare Co. with literacy, education, community gardening and legal efforts.	

OLDER ADULT SERVICES

Older Adult Services: located in the Baum Senior Center, 300 Mustian St., KDH Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5635 or 475-5638 Fax 441-5600 www.darenc.com
Brandi Rheubottom, Director	
This is the county's designated focal point on aging, serving the needs of adults 55 and older and their families. Countywide services include home-delivered meals, outreach, tax aid, health screenings, Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP) which includes Medicare Part D counseling, recreational arts and crafts programs, Outer Banks Senior Games, volunteer opportunities, and fitness programs. Other activities include watercolor classes, duplicate bridge, pinochle, pickleball, canasta, etc.. Visit website for a newsletter and current calendar.	

Fessenden Center 46830 NC Hwy. 12, Buxton Mail: P.O. Box 859, Buxton 27920	475-5650 Fax 995-3944 fessenden@darenc.com Mon. thru Fri. 8:30AM to 5PM
Denise Norville, Leisure Program Supervisor	

This county-owned multi-purpose facility is designed to serve Dare Co. residents of all ages. It provides programs and activities through Older Adult Services and the Parks and Recreation Department.

Note: Dare County Center in Manteo listed on page 41 is also a Multi-Purpose Center.

YOUTH SERVICES

Children & Youth Partnership for Dare Co. 534 Ananias Dare St Manteo, 27954	441-0614 Website: www.darekids.org - visit to search for upcoming events & the family resource guide
Nancy Griffin, Executive Director	
The Partnership is a private, non-profit organization serving children birth through adolescence and their families in Dare Co. It administers the local Smart Start Program, provides child care resources and referral services for the community, publishes the <i>Family Resource Guide</i> , and serves as a clearinghouse of information and services available to Dare County's children/families.	
Dare County Youth Council P.O. Box 1000 Manteo, NC 27954	475-9273 or 475-5916
Katherine "Kat" Erby, Advisor	Facebook: Dare County Youth Council
Operating under Dare County Public Services: Dare County Parks & Recreation Dept. is committed to providing quality parks & recreation facilities, programs, and leisure opportunities for the citizens of Dare Co. The Dare Co. Youth Council is a community-based youth volunteer organization comprised of middle & high school aged youth whose mission is to provide wholesome activities, civic projects, and special events for their peers & to serve as the "voice" of youth to local governments on issues of interest to Dare County youth.	
Dare County Friends of Youth 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5753 or 475-5754
Bonnie Bennett, Program Coordinator	
The Dare County Friends of Youth program recruits, screens, and trains adult volunteers to serve as one-on-one & group mentors to at-risk youth in the community. One-on-One mentors are matched with a youth with whom they spend time with at least twice a month, for the period of one year. Group mentors are paired with one or more youths, at group activities & other Friends of Youth sponsored events. The organization serves youths ages 6-17.	

CHAPTER 7 - SAFETY

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND PUBLIC SAFETY

EMERGENCY POLICE, FIRE, OCEAN RESCUE AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

TELEPHONE 911

For a dispatcher for police, fire and EMS non-emergency
response

call 252-473-3444

POLICE PROTECTION

Each of the towns maintains its own police department. Law enforcement in the unincorporated areas of the county is under the jurisdiction of the County Sheriff's Office. Both the NC Highway Patrol and the National Park Service have specific law enforcement responsibilities.

DARE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Office: Dare Co. Justice Center 962 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 757, Manteo 27954	475-5980 Fax 441-9437
Doug Doughtie, Sheriff	Term ends Dec. 2018
Capt. Alan Moran, Jail Admin.	475-9220 Fax 473-5350
Capt. Trey Piland, Communications Dir.	475-5705 Fax 473-4563
The Sheriff's Office is responsible for law enforcement in the unincorporated areas of Dare Co., for serving civil and criminal papers, for courtroom security, and resource officers for the school district. The Sheriff is the custodial agent for the Dare Co. Detention Center located at 1044 Driftwood Dr., Manteo and the Regional Emergency Communications Center located at 370 Airport Rd. Manteo	

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Dare Co. Emergency Management Center Office: 370 Airport Rd. Manteo Mail: PO Box 1000 Manteo 27954	475-5655 Fax 473-2799 Admin Office 475-5750 Fax: 473-3168
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Drew Pearson, EM Director Steve Kovacs, Deputy Director Georgia Ellis, Sr. Admin. Specialist	
Dare County Emergency Management is a unit of Government with the lead role in preparing for and directing response to major emergencies and disasters, both natural and man-made. The measures applied are an "All Hazards" emphasis reflecting prevention, response, recovery and mitigation programs. Dare County Emergency Management is the Local community based equivalent of the NC Division of Emergency Management at the State level. It works closely with all agencies (public & private) before, during and after emergencies & disasters to provide coordinative & comprehensive protection of lives & property. Emergency Management has a full-time professional staff that receives specialized training in many varied fields. Like other public safety officials, staff members serve the community 24 hrs a day 365 days a year.	
All Dare County Emergency Management information, along with related links can be found at http://www.darenc.com/emgygmt/deptmain.asp	
For official information, monitor the following:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charter Digital Cable Channel 191 • Internet - http://www.darenc.com/emgygmt • Radio - Designated EAS Station - WRSF 105.7FM NOAA weather radio station 	

FIRE PROTECTION

Office: 370 Airport Rd, Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5750 Fax 473-3168
Steven Kovacs, County Fire Marshal	
Fire protection is provided throughout the 860+ square miles of Dare Co. by 400 volunteer and career fire fighters in 15 individual fire districts which support 20 fire stations and Hatteras Island Rescue. Each municipality is responsible for its own fire protection. The Dare Co. Fire Marshal acts as the liaison between the County Board of Commissioners and its fire districts. The office is responsible for the enforcement of the NC State Fire Code, assists the local fire departments in conducting fire investigations and cause and origin determinations. The office maintains a countywide fire data reporting system, is active in the area of fire prevention, and designs programs that are geared toward all citizens.	

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Office: EMS Station #1 1632 N. Croatan Hwy., Kill Devil Hills Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5710 Fax 441-1847
Jennie Collins, Chief; Terence Sheehy, Deputy Chief of Operations; Thomas Francisco, Deputy Chief of Safety & Training	

Dare Co. EMS operates ground ambulances and an emergency medical helicopter out of 8 stations throughout the county. EMS provides advanced life support emergency medical care to all areas of Dare Co. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Emergency patients are transported to The Outer Banks Hospital and, if needed, transported by ambulance or helicopter to tertiary care hospitals in Elizabeth City, Chesapeake, Norfolk, & Vidant Pitt Greenville. Dare EMS provides injury prevention programs, various life support training classes, and other educational opportunities for EMS professionals.

ANIMAL SERVICES

Outer Banks SPCA, Dare County Animal Shelter 1031 Driftwood Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 2477, Manteo 27954	475-5620 Wildlife violations only - 800-662-7137 After hours emergency service (injured animals or bites only) 475-5620
John Graves, Director	
Kill Devil Hills - animal control officers and temporary animal shelter	480-4047
Nags Head - animal control officer	441-6386
Operated for the county under contract by the Outer Banks SPCA, it rescues stray dogs and cats, provides adoption service, low-cost spay/neuter programs, injured animal rescue, bite cases and rabies control, animal cruelty investigations, lost and found pets, humane education and other programs.	
Rabies inoculations are required by the state for dogs and cats. Low cost rabies clinics are held periodically throughout the county. Proof of current rabies inoculation is required to obtain a Dare Co. dog license. Most towns have leash laws and may restrict dog beach access to off-season only.	
Injured or dead red wolves: Report to US Fish and Wildlife Service, Alligator River National Wildlife Refuge Office, 473-1131 x246.	
Report stranded, injured or dead whales, dolphins, porpoises or seals to the Marine Mammal Stranding Network, (252) 241-5119.	
Report stranded, injured or dead sea turtles to NEST, 441-8622. If shell is painted orange, it has already been attended to.	
NC Aquarium on Roanoke Island assists these groups, 473-3494.	
Report rabid or suspect wildlife to Dare Co. Animal Control, 475-5620 or to NC Wildlife Comm. 491-6993.	

BEACH SAFETY

Each town designates beach areas where life guards are on duty and the schedule for these services. Contact town halls for information.

The National Park Service is responsible for beaches at Cape Hatteras National Seashore. Call 473-2111 for information.
When conditions warrant, red flags designate NO SWIMMING.

CHAPTER 8 - PUBLIC WORKS/UTILITIES

DARE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

1018 Driftwood Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-5880 Fax 473-5218
Edward Mann, Director	
Trash Collection	475-5895
Kitty Hawk and the unincorporated areas of the county have trash collection provided through the county government under contracts with the towns.	
Duck (255-1234), Manteo (473-2133), Nags Head (441-1122), and Kill Devil Hills (480-4080) and Southern Shores (261-2394) contract for their trash collection.	
All Dare Co. solid waste is sent to a commercially operated regional landfill located in Bertie County. Tipping fees are reflected in the towns' tax rate.	
NC statutes prohibit the following in solid waste sent to landfills: yard waste, aluminum cans, anti-freeze, tires, motor oil, lead acid batteries, paint, hazardous materials (pesticides, herbicides, chemicals, etc.)	

RECYCLING

Recycling	County Recycling Coordinator 475-5890
There are several drop-off recycling centers in Dare Co. Most accept glass, aluminum and steel cans, some plastic (#1 & 2), paper, and cardboard. Some County centers accept used motor oil and old tires. Call 475-5890 for further information.	
COUNTY OPERATED CENTERS	
Dare County Public Works Compound 1018 Driftwood Dr., Manteo	8AM-5PM Mon.-Fri. year round; 8AM- 12PM Sat year round
Manns Harbor Community Center 6677 Hwy. 64/264, Manns Harbor	Open 24 hours daily, unattended
Stumpy Point Community Center 251 Bayview Dr., Stumpy Point	Open 24 hours daily, unattended
Wanchese Community Center 295 Old School House Rd., Wanchese	Open 24 hours daily, unattended

Buxton - behind RBC Bank 47015 Buxton Back Rd., Buxton	8:30AM-4PM Mon.-Fri., 8:30AM-12PM Sat.
Rodanthe, Salvo, Waves - Chicamacomico Fire Station, NC 12, Rodanthe	Open 24 hours daily, unattended
TOWN OPERATED CENTERS	
Duck	Curbside pick-up every Mon.: May 1 - Oct. 31, 1 st and 3 rd Mon.: Nov 1 - Apr 30
Kill Devil Hills, Public Works Complex, 701 Bermuda Bay Blvd. (off Colington Rd), Voluntary curbside pickup-252-491-5105	8AM-4PM Mon.-Fri., 8AM-2PM Sat. 480-4080 Bay Disposal
Kitty Hawk, 4190 Bob Perry Rd. at county boat ramp Voluntary curbside pickup-252-491-5105	8AM-3PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8AM-NOON Sat. Closed Wed & Sun
Manteo - residents use County Public Works Compound on Driftwood Drive. Residents can request a recycling can.	
Nags Head - drop off centers: 1. Town Hall 2. Public Works Facility	Call 441-1122 or check website at www.nagsheadnc.gov 1. 8AM to sunset, daily 2. 7AM to sunset, Mon.-Fri.
Southern Shores	Curbside pickup every Mon. year round

Mosquito Control	475-5890
Control methods include trapping, surveillance, larviciding, spraying	

Sewage Treatment	
Dare Co. does not have a countywide wastewater treatment system. Manteo and Stumpy Point have their own wastewater treatment plants. Kill Devil Hills has a wastewater treatment plant with both commercial and residential customers that serve part of the Town. There are several private treatment plants that serve some real estate developments. Most county residents rely on individual on-site wastewater systems. Permits for installing new systems and repairing existing systems must be obtained from the Public Health Division, Environmental Health Unit.	
Main Office: Dare County Satellite Office 2601 N. Croatan Hwy, Kill Devil Hills	475-5080
Satellite Offices: Manteo Office, Dare County Administrative Bldg, 954 Marshall C. Collins Dr, Manteo (475-5092); Frisco Office, 50347 NC 12 Hwy, Frisco (475-5075)	
Jack Flythe, Supervisor	475-5075

ELECTRICITY

Dominion Energy - supplies power to Dare Co. except for Hatteras Island	866-366-4357
Cape Hatteras Electric Membership Coop - supplies power to Hatteras Island	995-5616 To report outages - 866-511-9862
Tideland Electric Membership Coop - supplies service to mainland Dare Co.	800-637-1079

WATER

Dare Co. Water Dept. 600 Mustain St., Kill Devil Hills 27948	475-5990 After Hours 475-5812
Ken Flatt, Director	475-5606
Dare Co. Water Dept. serves and bills customers in Colington, Duck, Kitty Hawk, Southern Shores, Stumpy Point, Avon, Buxton, Frisco, Hatteras, and parts of Roanoke Island.	
Kill Devil Hills (480-4080), Nags Head (441-5508) and Manteo (473-2133) buy water from the county and distribute it to their customers. Dare County’s Joseph “Mac” Midgett Water Plant serves Rodanthe, Waves, and Salvo. 475-5780; after hours: 475-5812.	
Dare Co. Cape Hatteras Water Dept. serves and bills Avon, Buxton, Frisco and Hatteras. 475-5760; after hours 475-5812	
Environmental Health Division, Dare Co. Dept. of Public Health does chemical water analysis and bacterial testing for private wells for a \$30 fee each. 475-5080 (KDH) 475-5092 (Manteo)	
Water taps applications:	
Duck, Southern Shores, Martin’s Point, Kitty Hawk, Colington, Stumpy Point and parts of Roanoke Island outside the town of Manteo	Dare Co. Water Dept. 600 Mustain St., KDH 475-5990
Kill Devil Hills, Nags Head, and parts of Manteo	Available at respective town halls
Rodanthe, Waves, and Salvo	Available at Joseph “Mac” Midgett Water Plant 475-5780
Avon, Buxton, Frisco and Hatteras	Available at the Frisco reverse osmosis plant; 475-5760

CHAPTER 9 - PARKS AND RECREATION

DARE COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Lions Club Center, Westcott Park, Manteo	Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954
Tim White, Public Service Dir.	475-5916
Youth Center & Family Recreation Park 602 S. Mustian St., KDH 27948 475-5920	Charlotte Midgett, Division Coordinator
Fessenden Center, 46830 NC Hwy. 12, Buxton Mail: P.O. Box 859, Buxton 27920 475-5650	Denise Norville, Division Coordinator
Lions Club Center, Westcott Park, 1000 Westcott Park Rd., Manteo P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954 475-5910	Spencer Gregory, Division Coordinator
The department offers classes in swimming, tennis, drama, music, theater, gymnastics, arts, crafts, wrestling, karate; organizes youth/adult sports teams; helps sponsor an annual marathon and other special activities. Tennis courts, soccer, baseball and softball fields are provided for Dare Co. residents. An appointed Recreation Advisory Council oversees the department.	

Dare County Center 950 Marshall C. Collins Dr., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1000, Manteo 27954	475-9270 Fax 475-9278
Sandy Scarborough, Director 475-5625	8:30AM-5PM Mon.-Fri. Fitness center: 7AM-7PM Mon.-Thurs. 7AM-5PM. Fri.
Patricia Gale Nutrition Site Coordinator	475-9279
The Dare County Center is a multi-generational facility that provides resources, programs and activities for Dare Co. citizens of all ages including arts and crafts, exercise classes, cooking classes, theater productions, health and wellness programs, health fairs, family fun nights, estate planning, technology classes, tax assistance, and Medicare assistance. Nutritionally balanced meals are served five-days a week in a congregate setting or delivered to the home.	

NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE REFUGES

Headquarters for National Park on the Outer Banks, located on the grounds of Fort Raleigh NHS Mail: Outer Banks Group, 1401 National Park Dr., Manteo 27954	473-2111 Websites: www.nps.gov/caha www.nps.gov/wrbr www.nps.gov/fora
David Hallac, Superintendent	Has administrative responsibility for the following sites which are open 7 days a week
Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Bodie Island Visitor Center	475-9501 No charge except to climb the lighthouse when open
Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Hatteras Island Visitor Center	475-9602 No charge except to climb the lighthouse when open
Cape Hatteras National Seashore, Ocracoke Island Visitor Center	475-9701 No charge
Ft. Raleigh National Historic Site, Roanoke Island	475-9001 No charge
Wright Brothers National Memorial, Kill Devil Hills	475-9401 Entrance fee
View park websites for current hours	
National Wildlife Refuges Visitor Center 100 Conservation Way, Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 1969, Manteo 27954	Operated by US Fish & Wildlife Service. 473-1131 Website: www.fws.gov/nccgatewayvc Mon. through Sat. 9 AM to 4 PM Sun. Noon to 4 PM
Rebeka Martin, Refuge Complex Manager	Has administrative responsibility for:
Alligator River NWR, Dare Co. mainland	473-1132 Website: www.fws.gov/refuge/alligator_river Refuge open daily during daylight hours No charge
Pea Island NWR, South of Oregon Inlet	987-2394 Website: www.fws.gov/refuge/pea_island Open year round, no charge Visitor Center: 9AM-4PM daily

STATE PARKS AND PROPERTIES

Jockey's Ridge State Park Carolista Dr. off Hwy 158, NH Mail: P.O. Box 592, Nags Head 27959	252-441-7132 Website: www.ncparks.gov
Joy Greenwood	Hours vary with time of year, no charge

Superintendent	Open 7 days a week except Dec. 25
Park has limited handicap access. Programs focus on wind and sand, weather patterns, indigenous wildlife, and local history. Call for information on current programs.	

Graveyard of the Atlantic Museum, 59200 Museum Dr., Hatteras 27943	986-0720, 986-0721 Fax 986-1212 Website: www.graveyardoftheatlantic.com
Joseph Schwarzer, Executive Director	In Season: Mon.-Sat. 10:00AM-5:00PM Off Season: Mon.-Sat. 10:00AM-4:00PM
Exhibits showcase the maritime history and shipwrecks of the Outer Banks.	

NC Aquarium on Roanoke Island, 374 Airport Rd., Manteo Mail: P.O. Box 967, Manteo 27954	473-3494 Fax 473-1980 Website: www.ncaquariums.com
Maylon White, Director	Hours: 9AM-5PM, daily admission charge
Come see aquatic life of the Outer Banks. Experience close encounter with fishes, rays, otters, snakes and the largest collection of sharks in the state. Dive shows, animal feedings daily, behind-the-scenes tours, STAR Center and more. Consider hosting your next special event or birthday party at the Aquarium.	

Jennette's Pier at Nags Head 7223 S. Virginia Dare Tr., NH Mail: P.O. Box 1445, Nags Head 27959	255-1501 Website: www.jennettespier.net May to Oct: 6 AM to midnight Apr and Nov 7 AM to 9 PM Dec - March 9 AM to 5 PM
Mike Remige, Director	Daily Fishing Fee: Call for rates Sightseeing Fee: \$2 adult, \$1 child (under 13)
One-of-a-kind educational fishing pier operated by the NC Aquarium. Features a modern classroom with daily programming, alternative energy demos, live animal exhibits, meeting and reception facilities, tackle shop with rod rentals, on-site ocean energy projects, and other unique displays.	

Roanoke Island Festival Park One Festival Park, Manteo 27954	475-1500 Event line: 475-1506 Website: www.roanokeisland.com
Kim Sawyer, Executive Director	Open -Feb 29 - Dec. 31, 9AM-5PM daily except some holidays. Admission fee
The mission of Roanoke Island Festival Park is to involve residents and	

visitors of all ages in creative and stimulating exploration of Roanoke Island's historical, cultural, and natural resources.

OTHER PARK SITES

Elizabethan Gardens Ft. Raleigh north of Manteo 1411 National Park Dr., Manteo 27954	473-3234 Fax 473-3244 info@elizabethangardens.org Website: www.elizabethangardens.org
Carl Curnutte, Executive Director	Open 7 days a week except Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and Day, New Years Eve and Day. Closed the month of February. Hours vary with the season.
Guided tours by appointment, special events and workshops	Admission fee Memberships available
The Gardens are operated under the auspices of the Garden Club of NC, a non-profit organization supported by admission fees, donations, gift shop and plant sales.	

Nags Head Woods Ecological Preserve The Nature Conservancy of NC 701 W. Ocean Acres Dr., KDH 27948	441-2525 Website: www.nature.org/nhw
Aaron McCall, NE Regional Steward Jennifer Gilbreath, Conservation Coordinator Eric Soberholm, Coastal Restoration & Adaptation Specialist Brian Boutin, Program Director Lora Eddy, Coastal Engagement Coordinator	Trails open dawn to dusk every day. Trail maps and other information available at the outdoor information counter.

NC Coastal Reserve 983 W. Kitty Hawk Rd. Kitty Hawk 27949	261-8891 Fax 261-8892 Website: www.nccoastalreserve.net
Contact Northern Sites Manager	Hours: 8AM-5PM weekdays ; call in advance as schedule can vary
Responsible for management of 3 coastal reserves in the Northern Outer Banks: Currituck Banks, a national site, NC 12 north of Corolla; Kitty Hawk Woods, a state site, on Woods Road in Kitty Hawk; and Buxton Woods, a state site, on NC 12 in Buxton. These nature reserves are maintained for research, education and traditional use.	

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