

**TENTATIVE AGENDA & MEETING NOTICE  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2014  
5:30 P.M.**

**WATAUGA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
COMMISSIONERS' BOARD ROOM**

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**AGENDA ITEM 2:**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

April 1, 2014, Regular Meeting Minutes

April 1, 2014, Closed Session Minutes

**DRAFT**

**MINUTES**  
**WATAUGA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 2014**

The Watauga County Board of Commissioners held a regular meeting on Tuesday, April 1, 2014, at 8:30 A.M. in the Commissioners' Board Room of the Watauga County Administration Building, Boone, North Carolina.

PRESENT: Nathan Miller, Chairman  
David Blust, Vice-Chairman  
Billy Kennedy, Commissioner  
John Welch, Commissioner  
Perry Yates, Commissioner  
Stacey "Four" Eggers, IV, County Attorney  
Deron Geouque, County Manager  
Anita J. Fogle, Clerk to the Board

Chairman Miller called the meeting to order at 8:32 A.M.

Vice-Chairman Blust opened the meeting with a prayer and Commissioner Yates led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Chairman Miller called for additions and/or corrections to the March 18, 2014, regular meeting and closed session minutes.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Yates, moved to approve the March 18, 2014, regular meeting minutes as presented.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

Chairman Miller stated that amendments to the closed session minutes had been presented to the Board prior to the meeting.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to approve the March 18, 2014, closed session minutes as amended.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

**APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 1, 2014, AGENDA**

County Manager Geouque requested to add the following items to the agenda:

- A proposed proclamation of honor
- A request to use the Human Services Center parking lot
- A proposed Hazardous Materials Emergency Planning Grant Agreement
- Boards and Commissions

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Vice-Chairman Blust, moved to approve the April 1, 2014, agenda as amended.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

### **PROPOSED PROCLAMATION HONORING JIM ATKINSON**

Chairman Miller presented Jim Atkinson a proclamation honoring his service with Watauga County and his leadership as the Director of the Department of Social Services upon his retirement which was effective April 1, 2014.

### **COOPERATIVE EXTENSION STAFFING REQUEST**

Mr. Jim Hamilton, Cooperative Extension Director, requested authorization from the Board to use funds budgeted for the frozen horticulture agent to increase the temporary horticulture agent from twenty (20) to forty (40) hours. Currently, the County was paying nine (9) of the twenty (20) hours with the State paying the remaining eleven (11) hours. The percentage was forty-five percent (45%) County funding and fifty-five percent (55%) State funding, per the existing Memorandum of Understanding (MOU).

Mr. Hamilton proposed to increase the temporary employee's hours from twenty (20) to forty (40) hours. The County would pay twenty-nine (29) of the hours with the State continuing to pay eleven (11) hours. The request was to have the County pay seventy-two and half percent (72%) and the State twenty-seven and a half percent (27.5%) which was not in accordance with the MOU.

County Manager Geouque stated that staff reviewed the Cooperative Extension's budget to ensure adequate funding to cover benefits should the State require reimbursement for benefits. However, the potential existed for this arrangement to set a precedent in reduced funding from the State as the County was willing to fund more than the forty-five percent (45%) as stated in the MOU.

Approval of the request would run from April 2, 2014, through June 30, 2014, and would require the Board to reauthorize the request during the 2014-2015 budget process.

Commissioner Yates, seconded by Commissioner Kennedy, moved to grant the position as requested through June 30, 2014.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0



## **CALDWELL COMMUNITY COLLEGE & TECHNICAL INSTITUTE REQUEST**

Dr. Ken Boham, President of Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute (CCC&TI), requested the Board approve a Cooperative Innovative High School Program Application for the Watauga Career Academy which would allow Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute to work with Watauga High School students, freshmen through seniors, preparing them for college and/or vocational careers upon graduation.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to approve the program application as presented.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

## **PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT FOR MIDDLE FORK GREENWAY PROJECT**

Mr. Joe Furman updated the Board on the Middle Fork Greenway project. At the last Board meeting the Board selected Vaughn and Melton to provide construction administration for the Middle Fork Greenway project. Mr. Furman presented a negotiated contract for engineering with Vaughn and Melton in the amount of \$38,080.50.

Mr. Furman also solicited bids for the construction of the project. Two (2) bids were received; one from J. W. Hampton Company in the amount of \$350,616.60 and one from Greene Construction in the amount of \$392,550.24. The receipt of three (3) bids was not required due to the cost being below the statutory formal bid limit.

Grant funds were available for both construction and engineering in the amount of \$375,000. Mr. Furman stated that High Country Pathways (HCP) had committed to provide any amount above the \$375,000 grant that was needed to complete the project. The current shortfall was \$13,697.10. Mr. John Laman, President of HCP, reiterated Mr. Furman's statement that HCP would fund any amount over the grant award of \$375,000 for the project.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to award the construction project to the low bidder, J. W. Hampton Company, in the amount of \$350,616.60 contingent upon the County Attorney drafting a contract including that the amount of \$350,616.60 was all inclusive and costs would not exceed that amount.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to approve the contract with Vaughn and Melton for engineering and construction administration in the amount of \$38,080.50.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

Commissioner Yates, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to accept High Country Pathways' offer to fund any amount in excess of the \$375,000 grant funding for the project and to direct the County Attorney to work with High Country Pathways to draft an agreement that covers the County's interest.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

## **BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

### **MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Ms. Margaret Pierce, Finance Director, reviewed the following budget amendments:

Account #	Description	Debit	Credit
104199-499100	Administrative Contingency		\$23,306
104260-454000	Capital Outlay – Vehicle	\$23,306	

The amendment allocated funding for the purchase of a Maintenance vehicle including taxes and tag as approved at the March 18, 2014, Board meeting.

103839-341100	Donations		\$123,820
104288-458000	Capital Outlay-Building	\$2,200	
104288-457001	Capital Outlay-Land Improvements	\$121,820	

The amendment allocated funding for the restroom construction change order and the paving contract. This is funded by donations from the Watauga County Tourism Development Authority (TDA).

433991-399102	Fund Balance Appropriation		\$48,419
439800-498021	Transfer to Capital Projects Fund	\$48,419	
213980-398143	Transfer from Capital Projects Fund		\$48,419
219930-459123	WCS – Debt Service Plan	\$48,419	

The amendment closed out the New Watauga High School capital project fund and transferred the remaining balance to the Capital Projects Fund per the ordinance.

103300-341400	DOT Grant-Boone Rural Fire		\$25,000
104330-449909	DOT Grant-Boone Rural Fire	\$25,000	

The amendment recognized grant funds awarded by the North Carolina Department of Transportation for paving reimbursement to the Boone Rural Fire District for the new Station site on Bamboo Road.

Vice-Chairman Blust, seconded by Commissioner Yates, moved to approve the budget amendments as presented by Ms. Pierce.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

## **MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

### ***A. Discussion Regarding Proposed Amendments to the Town of Boone's Unified Development Ordinance (UDO)***

County Manager Geouque presented proposed revised language for the Town of Boone Unified Development Ordinance (UDO) provisions for extra-territorial jurisdiction (ETJ) appointments. The Town Attorney advised the County Attorney that the language was tentatively acceptable to the Town Council, but the Council wanted to confirm that the language was acceptable to the Commissioners prior to taking action.

Commissioner Yates, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to accept the proposed amendments to the Town of Boone's Unified Development Ordinance (UDO) as presented.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

### ***B. Proposed Proclamation Establishing Community Pride Week***

County Manager Geouque presented a proposed proclamation declaring Monday, May 12 – Saturday, May 17, 2014, as Community Pride Week in Watauga County. The event was conducted each year by Sanitation staff and has proved to be very popular with the County's citizens.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to adopt the proclamation as presented.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

### ***C. 347 Oak Street Property Sale***

County Manager Geouque stated that County-owned property located at 347 Oak Street, Boone NC was advertised for sale on GovDeals in which the closing date was March 25, 2014. The final bid on the property was \$150,001 which did not meet the \$300,000 reserve set by the Board. During the foreclosure process the County used fifty percent (50%) of the value of the property (\$185,600) to loan to New River Mental Health. The difference in the bid minus the 7.5% commission (\$11,250.08) to be paid to GovDeals, should the Board accept the bid, and the loan amount was \$46,849.08.

County Manager Geouque stated that the Board could reject all bids; accept the bid and proceed with the sale of the property; or use the \$150,001 as the base bid and start the bid process over.

The County Attorney stated that the Board could also reject the bid and negotiate directly with the person who submitted the bid through GovDeals.

Mr. Tyler Conner, the high bidder through GovDeals, was present and stated that he could not bid against himself as he had not yet had an opportunity to view the property.

The tax value listed for the property totaled \$371,000; \$201,300 for the land and \$169,700 for the building.

Commissioner Yates, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to reject the high bid through GovDeals in the amount of \$150,001.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

After discussion, Commissioner Welch, seconded by Commissioner Yates, moved to relist the property on GovDeals beginning the bids at \$210,000.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

#### ***D. Request to Use Human Services Parking Lot***

County Manager Geouque stated that Mr. Bill Mast, father of fallen Deputy, William R. Mast, Jr., had requested the use of the Watauga County Human Services Center parking lot for the Annual William Mast Memorial Motorcycle Ride on September 13, 2014, from 7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. with a rain date of September 20, 2014. The dates do not conflict with ASU home football games.

Vice-Chairman Blust, seconded by Commissioner Kennedy, moved to approve the request as presented.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

#### ***E. Hazardous Materials Training Grant Request***

County Manager Geouque presented a Hazardous Materials Emergency Planning Grant Agreement in which the County has been awarded \$10,000 with no County match required.

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Vice-Chairman Blust, moved to accept the grant funds as presented by the County Manager.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

#### ***F. Boards and Commissions***

County Manager Geouque stated that Parks and Recreation Director Stephen Poulos solicited nominations from the Town of Blowing Rock to provide representation on the Watauga County Recreation Commission.

**G. Announcements**

County Manager Geouque announced the following:

- The North Carolina Association of County Commissioners will be holding district meetings across the State in March and April with the meeting for our district being on April 3, 2014 in Catawba County. If you wish to attend, please see Anita who will be happy to RSVP for you. Please click on the following link to view a short introduction to the District Meetings:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eDbhnkMxySA&feature=youtu.be>
- The Watauga County Economic Development Commission and Appalachian State University will hold an Economic Summit on Tuesday, April 8, 2014, at the Holmes Convocation Center from 8:00 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.
- Commissioner Welch and the County Manager met with the Watauga County Recreation Commission and High Country Recreation on March 31, 2014, for discussions on how to further recreation within the County. A follow up meeting was scheduled for Monday, April 14, 2014, at 5:30 P.M. at Green Valley Elementary School.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

**CLOSED SESSION**

At 9:38 A.M., Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to enter Closed Session to discuss Attorney/Client Matters, per G. S. 143-318.11(a)(3) and Land Acquisition, per G. S. 143-318.11(a)(5)(i).

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to resume the open meeting at 9:56 A.M.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

**ADJOURN**

Commissioner Kennedy, seconded by Commissioner Welch, moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:56 A.M.

VOTE: Aye-5  
Nay-0

ATTEST:

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Anita J. Fogle, Clerk to the Board

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Nathan A. Miller, Chairman

**AGENDA ITEM 3:**

**APPROVAL OF THE APRIL 15, 2014, AGENDA**

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**AGENDA ITEM 4:**

**BOONE TOWN COUNCIL REQUEST FOR WATAUGA COUNTY TO CHANGE THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF SALES TAX**

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Mayor Andy Ball, Town of Boone, will request the Commissioners change the sales tax distribution from ad valorem back to per capita. Should the Board wish to honor the request a resolution would need to be adopted and submitted to the North Carolina Department of Revenue before the end of April. The Towns of Blowing Rock, Beech Mountain and Seven Devils have provided resolutions requesting the Board continue the current method of sales tax distribution. Per Commissioner request, property values for exempt properties in the County have been provided.

Staff seeks direction from the Board.



# Town of Boone



April 2, 2014

Watauga County  
Deron T. Geouque, County Manager  
814 W. King Street, Suite 205  
Boone, NC 28607

Dear Deron:

As you recall, the Town recently submitted a resolution adopted by the Boone Town Council on March 18, 2014, urging the Watauga County Commission to change the method of distribution of sales tax revenue. At the Boone Town Council meeting held Tuesday, April 1, Council unanimously voted to request that the Watauga County Board of Commissioners take action on this matter, changing the sales tax distribution back to the per capita method during the month of April 2014.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 268-6200.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Greg Young".

Greg Young  
Town Manager

cc: Boone Mayor and Town Council

# *Town of Boone*



## **A RESOLUTION BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BOONE, NORTH CAROLINA, URGING THE WATAUGA COUNTY COMMISSION TO CHANGE THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF SALES TAX IN WATAUGA COUNTY**

WHEREAS, for the last several years, whenever the Watauga County Commission has disagreed with an action taken by Boone, certain of its members have threatened to reapportion county sales taxes to the disadvantage and significant harm of the citizens of Boone; and

WHEREAS, in early 2013, Watauga County Commission members voted to change the sales tax distribution method to ad valorem from per capita, creating a net loss of revenue to the Town of Boone and Watauga County, while dramatically increasing distribution of sales tax revenues to Beech Mountain, Blowing Rock, and Seven Devils; and

WHEREAS, Watauga County has divided the portion of sales tax collected in the county based on the population or per capita distribution that has been in effect for decades; and

WHEREAS, as indicated in fiscal year 2005-2006, the Town of Boone has historically collected approximately 60% of total county sales tax revenues, yet a mere 12% percentage share of sales tax distribution was returned to the Town of Boone in fiscal year 2013-2014 using the ad valorem method; and

WHEREAS, during fiscal year 2013-2014 budget development, the Boone Town Council worked diligently to prioritize the many needs of Town residents, being forced to delay capital needs, delay facility maintenance, and make many other difficult budget decisions, ultimately doing so without an increase in the property tax rate; and

WHEREAS, in fiscal year 2013-2014, the Town of Boone budget was significantly impacted by the County Commission decision to switch distribution of sales tax to an ad valorem method, calculating sales tax distribution based on property values, which resulted in a loss of over 1.7 million dollars, or roughly 17 percent of general fund revenues; and

WHEREAS, if the Town of Boone does not offset the loss with new taxes, there will have to be many projects discontinued, including long needed capital improvement projects, and further expansion of the popular Greenway, among others; and



WHEREAS, if the Town of Boone continues to see this lost sales tax revenue without new taxes, town personnel, most of whom are residents of the county, may have to be laid off, resulting in possible reductions in police and fire protection, street maintenance, snow removal, and sidewalk maintenance and expansion; and

WHEREAS, if the Town of Boone does not offset the continued revenue loss with new taxes, funding for critical agencies in our community like the Hunger and Health Coalition and Western Youth Network, along with funding for cultural resources, such as assistance to Horn in the West, the Appalachian Regional Library, and cultural activities at the Jones House, can no longer be considered; and


WHEREAS, under State law, Boone is entitled to self-government and zoning authority, has always tried to exercise that authority for the good of the community at large rather than for the benefit of selected individuals, and has never tried to interfere with the operations of the County, instead working cooperatively with the Commissioners by supporting their recreation programs in multiple ways, leasing town-owned property to the county for nominal rent, paying the county to collect its taxes, providing water to county residents with contaminated wells, and deliberating with the County Commissioners on regional transportation plans, ETJ appointment procedures, support for our law enforcement and emergency services and many other matters; and


WHEREAS, the current County Commissioners have made many pronouncements about their opposition to increased taxes on citizens of the county, and the Town Council, too, has held the line on tax increases for more than a decade, and would appreciate not being forced to raise property taxes on Boone residents, each of whom are also Watauga County taxpayers and voters;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Boone, North Carolina, hereby urges the Watauga County Commission to exercise their authority during the month of April to change the method of sales tax distribution in Watauga County back to per capita, more accurately reflecting the percentage of total sales tax collections from the Town of Boone business community.

ADOPTED THIS 18<sup>th</sup> DAY OF March, 2014.

ATTEST:

  
Christine Pope, Deputy Town Clerk

  
Andy Ball, Mayor

**RESOLUTION No. 2014-02****A RESOLUTION BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BEECH MOUNTAIN  
NORTH CAROLINA URGING THE WATAUGA COUNTY COMMISSION TO  
MAINTAIN THE AD VALOREM METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF SALES TAX IN  
WATAUGA COUNTY**

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472 provides for the allocation of sales tax between cities and counties within North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472(b) allows a Board of County Commissioners to determine, on a yearly basis, whether such allocation is made on a per capita distribution or an ad valorem distribution; and

WHEREAS, the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution recognizes the value of property is distributed equitably throughout Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, in early 2013, Watauga County Commission members voted to change the sales tax distribution method to ad valorem from per capita, to be a realized revenue benefit for three of its four municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Beech Mountain appreciates its good working relationship with Watauga County and the ability of the Town and County to address issues within the community to the mutual benefit of the citizens of both the Town of Beech Mountain and Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Beech Mountain is willing to continue to assist Watauga County in addressing its financial needs with sales tax revenue should the ad valorem method be used in determining sales tax distribution for the fiscal year of 2014 – 2015; and

WHEREAS, a mutually financially beneficial relationship was established for the fiscal year of 2013 – 2014 between the Town of Beech Mountain and Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Beech Mountain would like to continue this shared prosperity for the fiscal year 2014 – 2015 providing for, as part of its budgetary process, an amount equal to sixty percent (60 percent) of the increase in gross revenues accruing to the Town over and above the amount which would have otherwise been realized under the per capita method, to costs and expenditures as requested by Watauga County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Beech Mountain, North Carolina, hereby urges the Watauga County Commission to exercise their authority during the month of April to maintain the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution in Watauga County.

Adopted this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014.



Richard H. Owen, Mayor  
Town of Beech Mountain





# TOWN OF BLOWING ROCK

1036 Main Street • Post Office Box 47 • Blowing Rock, NC 28605

## RESOLUTION No. 2014-04

### A RESOLUTION BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BLOWING ROCK NORTH CAROLINA URGING THE WATAUGA COUNTY COMMISSION TO MAINTAIN THE AD VALOREM METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF SALES TAX IN WATAUGA COUNTY

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472 provides for the allocation of sales tax between cities and counties within North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472(b) allows a Board of County Commissioners to determine, on a yearly basis, whether such allocation is made on a per capita distribution or an ad valorem distribution; and

WHEREAS, the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution recognizes the value of property is distributed equitably throughout Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, in early 2013, Watauga County Commission members voted to change the sales tax distribution method to ad valorem from per capita, to be a realized revenue benefit for three of its four municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Blowing Rock appreciates its good working relationship with Watauga County and the ability of the Town and County to address issues within the community to the mutual benefit of the citizens of both the Town of Blowing Rock and Watauga County; and

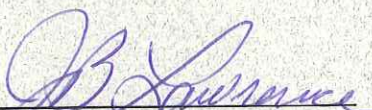
WHEREAS, the Town of Blowing Rock is willing to continue to assist Watauga County in addressing its financial needs with sales tax revenue should the ad valorem method be used in determining sales tax distribution for the fiscal year of 2014 – 2015; and

WHEREAS, a mutually financially beneficial relationship was established for the fiscal year of 2013 – 2014 between the Town of Blowing Rock and Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Blowing Rock would like to continue this shared prosperity for the fiscal year 2014 – 2015 providing for, as part of its budgetary process, an amount equal to sixty percent (60 percent) of the increase in gross revenues accruing to the Town over and above the amount which would have otherwise been realized under the per capita method, to costs and expenditures as requested by Watauga County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Blowing Rock, North Carolina, hereby urges the Watauga County Commission to exercise their authority during the month of April to maintain the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution in Watauga County.

Adopted this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014.

  
 J.B. Lawrence, Mayor  
 Town of Blowing Rock





## RESOLUTION No. R2014-1

### A RESOLUTION BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SEVEN DEVILS NORTH CAROLINA URGING THE WATAUGA COUNTY COMMISSION TO MAINTAIN THE AD VALOREM METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF SALES TAX IN WATAUGA COUNTY

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472 provides for the allocation of sales tax between cities and counties within North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, N.C. Gen. Stat. §105-472(b) allows a Board of County Commissioners to determine, on a yearly basis, whether such allocation is made on a per capita distribution or an ad valorem distribution; and

WHEREAS, the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution recognizes the value of property is distributed equitably throughout Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, in early 2013, Watauga County Commission members voted to change the sales tax distribution method to ad valorem from per capita, to be a realized revenue benefit for three of its four municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Seven Devils appreciates its good working relationship with Watauga County and the ability of the Town and County to address issues within the community to the mutual benefit of the citizens of both the Town of Seven Devils and Watauga County; and

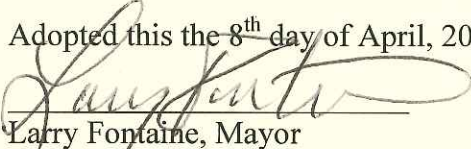
WHEREAS, the Town of Seven Devils is willing to continue to assist Watauga County in addressing its financial needs with sales tax revenue should the ad valorem method be used in determining sales tax distribution for the fiscal year of 2014 – 2015; and

WHEREAS, a mutually financially beneficial relationship was established for the fiscal year of 2013 – 2014 between the Town of Seven Devils and Watauga County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Seven Devils would like to continue this shared prosperity for the fiscal year 2014 – 2015 providing for, as part of its budgetary process, an amount equal to sixty percent (60 percent) of the increase in gross revenues accruing to the Town over and above the amount which would have otherwise been realized under the per capita method, to costs and expenditures as requested by Watauga County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Seven Devils, North Carolina, hereby urges the Watauga County Commission to exercise their authority during the month of April to maintain the ad valorem method of sales tax distribution in Watauga County.

Adopted this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014.

  
Larry Fontaine, Mayor  
Town of Seven Devils



**EXEMPT REAL PROPERTY**

	FIRE SERVICE DISTRICTS				TOWNS					COUNTY
	FOSCOE SERVICE DIST	BEECH MTN SERVICE DIST	COVE CREEK SERVICE DIST	SHAWNEEHAW SERVICE DIST	MUNICIPAL SERVICE DIST	TOWN OF BOONE	TOWN OF BLOWING ROCK	TOWN OF SEVEN DEVILS	TOWN OF BEECH MTN.	
<b>APPRAISED TOTAL</b>										
2012	146,346,353	4,351,200	1,033,700	13,121,700	80,792,422	1,874,779,806	1,070,319,289	115,269,530	505,243,650	9,539,802,116
2013	146,720,853	4,351,200	1,033,700	13,174,900	80,620,622	1,888,185,406	1,074,316,589	115,500,630	508,011,650	9,598,653,306
2014	144,533,400	3,978,900	1,237,000	14,508,000	83,489,400	1,843,942,082	1,045,049,480	123,609,300	459,216,400	9,504,840,780
<b>EXEMPT REAL</b>										
2012	5,077,050	-	-	1,339,750	30,787,031	615,231,484	60,882,749	2,805,000	2,596,600	1,053,061,667
2013	5,077,350	-	-	1,321,650	30,810,531	613,986,894	61,369,449	2,805,000	2,850,400	1,058,650,107
2014	4,145,150	-	-	1,197,400	29,452,500	556,218,730	59,276,650	2,933,000	2,411,100	990,668,110
<b>TAXABLE TOTAL</b>										
2012	139,648,703	4,197,300	602,200	10,647,350	50,005,391	1,259,001,422	1,009,436,540	112,464,530	502,647,050	8,285,996,799
2013	139,712,803	3,967,100	602,200	10,718,650	49,810,091	1,273,651,612	1,012,947,140	112,695,630	505,161,250	8,340,884,722
2014	138,299,250	3,708,400	648,300	11,995,400	54,036,900	1,287,231,752	985,772,830	120,676,300	456,805,300	8,300,659,670

	FIRE DISTRICTS											
	FOSCOE	BOONE FIRE	BEAVER DAM	STEWART SIMMONS	ZIONVILLE	COVE CREEK	SHAWNEEHAW	MEAT CAMP	DEEP GAP	TODD	BLOWING ROCK	MEAT CAMP/CRESTON
<b>APPRAISED TOTAL</b>												
2012	906,421,199	1,463,778,905	242,189,180	309,100,100	238,576,610	463,265,337	197,715,140	428,287,078	414,428,606	107,386,950	1,022,766,283	15,421,550
2013	914,680,099	1,472,891,305	244,122,620	309,656,200	240,111,010	466,833,037	198,719,740	430,777,878	415,499,906	108,267,450	1,030,377,583	15,421,550
2014	911,537,100	1,475,127,098	249,243,300	253,349,900	245,972,400	495,508,400	202,364,300	435,652,600	439,624,400	107,470,000	1,036,003,320	16,913,400
<b>EXEMPT REAL</b>												
2012	16,132,066	71,083,848	8,361,660	11,574,950	21,095,795	20,455,130	10,715,990	22,757,060	57,672,030	4,151,960	118,507,545	2,621,000
2013	16,877,436	70,850,648	8,436,960	11,603,600	21,625,935	21,355,100	10,702,290	23,742,160	60,468,930	4,257,110	118,561,595	2,757,600
2014	15,808,450	61,518,210	5,851,460	10,211,950	16,884,680	17,326,240	9,707,290	20,694,710	65,725,730	3,964,060	134,388,100	2,405,200
<b>TAXABLE TOTAL</b>												
2012	885,570,333	1,376,520,057	207,745,420	292,201,050	199,112,115	415,302,607	178,129,550	374,961,718	329,228,876	84,573,090	892,846,038	11,160,850
2013	893,143,363	1,385,839,757	209,428,660	292,668,800	199,835,775	417,925,237	179,425,250	376,563,518	327,568,476	85,155,040	900,081,988	10,848,650
2014	891,090,450	1,396,883,888	217,755,840	236,608,850	210,380,020	444,585,260	183,840,610	385,354,690	343,809,970	84,762,640	887,926,620	12,523,300

**NOTE: Per NCGS 105-472, sales tax distribution is based on tax levies reported annually to NCDOR for prior year taxes. These numbers are real property numbers only and do not include personal property or motor vehicles.**



**§ 105-472. Disposition and distribution of taxes collected.**

(a) County Allocation. - The Secretary shall, on a monthly basis, allocate to each taxing county for which the Secretary collects the tax the net proceeds of the tax collected in that county under this Article. For the purpose of this section, "net proceeds" means the gross proceeds of the tax collected in each county under this Article less taxes refunded, the cost to the State of collecting and administering the tax in the county as determined by the Secretary, and other deductions that may be charged to the county. If the Secretary collects local sales or use taxes in a month and the taxes cannot be identified as being attributable to a particular taxing county, the Secretary shall allocate the taxes among the taxing counties in proportion to the amount of taxes collected in each county under this Article during that month and shall include them in the monthly distribution. Amounts collected by electronic funds transfer payments are included in the distribution for the month in which the return that applies to the payment is received.

(b) Distribution Between Counties and Cities. - The Secretary shall divide the amount allocated to each taxing county among the county and its municipalities in accordance with the method determined by the county. The board of county commissioners shall, by resolution, choose one of the following methods of distribution:

- (1) Per Capita Method. - The net proceeds of the tax collected in a taxing county shall be distributed to that county and to the municipalities in the county on a per capita basis according to the total population of the taxing county, plus the total population of the municipalities in the county. In the case of a municipality located in more than one county, only that part of its population living in the taxing county is considered its "total population". In order to make the distribution, the Secretary shall determine a per capita figure by dividing the amount allocated to each taxing county by the total population of that county plus the total population of all municipalities in the county. The Secretary shall then multiply this per capita figure by the population of the taxing county and by the population of each municipality in the county; each respective product shall be the amount to be distributed to the county and to each municipality in the county. To determine the population of each county and each municipality, the Secretary shall use the most recent annual estimate of population certified by the State Budget Officer.
- (2) Ad Valorem Method. - The net proceeds of the tax collected in a taxing county shall be distributed to that county and the municipalities in the county in proportion to the total amount of ad valorem taxes levied by each on property having a tax situs in the taxing county during the fiscal year next preceding the distribution. For purposes of this section, the amount of the ad valorem taxes levied by a county or municipality includes ad valorem taxes levied by the county or municipality in behalf of a taxing district and collected by the county or municipality. In addition, the amount of taxes levied by a county includes ad valorem taxes levied by a merged school administrative unit described in G.S. 115C-513 in the part of the unit located in the county. In computing the amount of tax proceeds to be distributed to each county and municipality, the amount of any ad valorem taxes levied but not substantially collected shall be ignored. Each county and municipality receiving a distribution of the proceeds of the tax levied under this Article shall in turn immediately share the proceeds with each district in behalf of which the county or municipality levied ad valorem taxes in the proportion that the district levy bears to the total levy of the county or municipality. Any county or municipality that fails to provide the Department of Revenue with information concerning ad valorem taxes levied by it adequate to permit a timely determination of its appropriate share of tax proceeds collected under this Article may be



excluded by the Secretary from each monthly distribution with respect to which the information was not provided in a timely manner, and those tax proceeds shall then be distributed only to the remaining counties or municipalities, as appropriate. For the purpose of computing the distribution of the tax under this subsection to any county and the municipalities located in the county for any month with respect to which the property valuation of a public service company is the subject of an appeal and the Department of Revenue is restrained by law from certifying the valuation to the county and the municipalities in the county, the Department shall use the last property valuation of the public service company that has been certified.

The board of county commissioners in each taxing county shall, by resolution adopted during the month of April of each year, determine which of the two foregoing methods of distribution shall be in effect in the county during the next succeeding fiscal year. In order for the resolution to be effective, a certified copy of it must be delivered to the Secretary in Raleigh within 15 calendar days after its adoption. If the board fails to adopt a resolution choosing a method of distribution not then in effect in the county, or if a certified copy of the resolution is not timely delivered to the Secretary, the method of distribution then in effect in the county shall continue in effect for the following fiscal year. The method of distribution in effect on the first of July of each fiscal year shall apply to every distribution made during that fiscal year.

(b1) Repealed by Session Laws 2008-134, s. 14(b), effective July 28, 2008.

(c) Municipality Defined. - As used in this Article, the term "municipality" means "city" as defined in G.S. 153A-1.

(d) No municipality may receive any funds under this section if it was incorporated with an effective date of on or after January 1, 2000, and is disqualified from receiving funds under G.S. 136-41.2. No municipality may receive any funds under this section, incorporated with an effective date on or after January 1, 2000, unless a majority of the mileage of its streets are open to the public. The previous sentence becomes effective with respect to distribution of funds on or after July 1, 1999. (1971, c. 77, s. 2; 1973, c. 476, s. 193; c. 752; 1979, c. 12, s. 1; 1979, 2nd Sess., c. 1137, s. 49; 1981, c. 4, s. 2; 1985 (Reg. Sess., 1986), c. 934, s. 2; 1991, c. 325, s. 8; 1993, c. 485, s. 24; 1999-458, s. 6; 2001-427, s. 13(a); 2001-487, s. 118(b); 2002-72, s. 5; 2003-349, s. 5; 2004-203, s. 5(j); 2007-323, s. 31.16.3(d); 2008-134, s. 14(b).)

**AGENDA ITEM 5:**

**PROPOSED PROCLAMATION HONORING HOUND EARS CLUB'S 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Mr. Jason Reagan, Director of Communications for Hound Ears Club, will present a proclamation celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the club.

Board action is requested to accept and adopt the proclamation as presented.

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COUNTY OF WATAUGA

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## PROCLAMATION HONORING THE 50th ANNIVERSARY OF HOUND EARS CLUB

**WHEREAS, Hound Ears Club** was chartered in 1964 and has provided fifty (50) years of community service and economic benefit to the people of Watauga County; and

**WHEREAS,** the Robbins Family, who have contributed immeasurably to the tourism success of Watauga County, launched this community-minded club embracing 750 scenic acres and provided a new elevation of luxury, comfort, and tradition in the Blue Ridge Mountains near the towns of Blowing Rock, Boone, Foscoe, Valle Crucis, and Banner Elk; and

**WHEREAS,** Hound Ears members and residents have raised and contributed hundreds of thousands of dollars to benefit many Watauga County institutions including the Seby B. Jones Cancer Center at Watauga Medical Center and the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts at Appalachian State University, and have served and continue to serve on the boards of numerous local organizations including Hospitality House, the Watauga County Library, Appalachian Summer Festival, Blowing Rock Art and History Museum (BRAHM), the Red Cross, High Country United Way, Lee-McRae College, Grandfather Home for Children, Crossnore School, and the Mountains-to-Sea Trail initiative; and

**WHEREAS,** over the past fifty (50) years, Hound Ears Club has made valuable contributions to the economy of Watauga County through capital investment projects, local business patronage, college scholarships, real-estate development and sales, and local job opportunities -- indeed, providing many current business and government leaders with their very first jobs.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Watauga County Board of Commissioners extends to Hound Ears Club sincere congratulations on this 50th Anniversary and best wishes for many years of continued success.

**ADOPTED** this the 15th day of April, 2014.

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Nathan A. Miller, Chairman  
Watauga County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

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Anita J. Fogle, Clerk to the Board



**AGENDA ITEM 6:**

**PROPOSED PROCLAMATION ESTABLISHING GREENING MY PLATE WEEK**

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Ms. Margie Mansure, Extension Agent/Registered Dietitian, will request the Board to proclaim the week of April 27, 2014 as Greening My Plate Week. The purpose of the proclamation is to bring awareness of the benefits of locally grown fruits and vegetables and recognize and celebrate the farmers who provide this produce.

Board action is requested to accept and adopt the proclamation as presented.

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A celebration of spring and our growing season

**Greening My Plate Week Proclamation**

**WHEREAS**, purchasing local food supports local farm families and food producers who contribute to our community; and

**WHEREAS**, fresh, locally produced food is best for the health of our citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, building a local food system enhances the food security of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, supporting local family farms preserves genetic diversity, important for the future of the human race.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Watauga County Board of Commissioners thereby proclaims the week of April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2014, as Greening My Plate Week, throughout which spring and our growing season will be celebrated through a variety of community events.

**ADOPTED** this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2014.



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Nathan A. Miller, Chairman  
Watauga County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

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Anita J. Fogle, Clerk to the Board

**AGENDA ITEM 7:**

**BID AWARD REQUEST FOR PAVING RECYCLING CENTER AND TRANSFER STATION PARKING AREAS**

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Mr. J.V. Potter, Operations Service Director, will present bids for paving the Recycling Center parking lot and patching at the Transfer Station. Three bids were received in which Moretz Paving was the lowest responsive bidder in the amount of \$80,648.

Board action is required to award the bid to Moretz Paving in the amount of \$80,648 for paving at the Recycling Center parking lot and patching at the Transfer Station. Adequate funds have been budgeted to cover the expense.

Board action is requested.



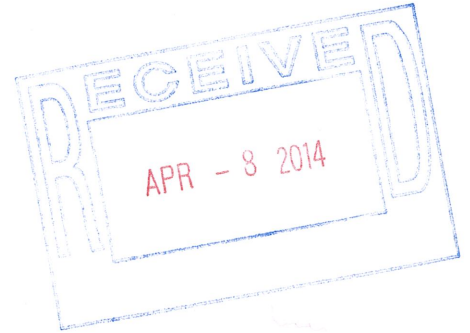
## SANITATION OFFICE

April 8, 2014

To: Deron Geouque, County Manager

From: JV Potter, OSD

Re: Bids for Paving Recycling Center and Transfer Station



After requesting bids on paving the Recycle Center parking area & Transfer Station patching, we have received the following quotes:

Moretz Paving-	\$80,648.00
Boone Paving-	\$105,700.00
Tri County Paving-	\$98,672.60

We would like to recommend Moretz Paving to be awarded the bid in the amount of \$80,648.00 as they are the low bidder for all requests. There are sufficient funds in the Sanitation budget to cover the paving costs.

Please advise.



P.O. Box 270 • Zionville, NC 28698  
Phone: (828) 297-5048 • Fax: (828) 297-7703

**PROPOSAL AND ACCEPTANCE**

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED TO <b>Watauga Co Landfill</b>		PHONE	DATE <b>9-17-13</b>
STREET		JOB NAME	
CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE		JOB LOCATION	
ARCHITECT	DATE OF PLANS <b>Attn: J.V. Potter</b>	JOB PHONE	

We hereby submit specifications and estimates for:

**Remove existing asphalt and pave back with 2 inches of binder and 2 inches of 9.5B surface**

<b>Recycling Center Right Side</b>	<b>\$52,998.00</b>
<del><b>Recycling Center Left Side</b></del>	<del><b>\$16,550.00</b></del>
<b>Scrap Area</b>	<b>\$7,600.00</b>
<b>Transfer Station patching</b>	<b>\$20,050.00</b>

**Total \$97,198.00**

**ROCK CLAUSE**

**NOTE: NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITIES**

**NOTE: NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR SCUFFING**

**We Propose** hereby to furnish material and labor — complete in accordance with above specifications, for the sum of:

dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_).

Payment to be made as follows:

All material is guaranteed to be as specified. All work to be completed in a workman-like manner according to standard practices. Any alteration or deviation from above specifications involving extra costs will be executed only upon written orders, and will become an extra charge over and above the estimate. All agreements contingent upon strikes, accidents or delays beyond our control. Owner to carry fire, tornado and other necessary insurance. Our workers are fully covered by Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Authorized Signature

Note: This proposal may be withdrawn by us if not accepted within \_\_\_\_\_ days.

**Acceptance of Proposal** - The above prices, specifications and conditions are satisfactory and are hereby accepted. You are authorized to do the work as specified. Payment will be made as outlined above.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Acceptance \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_





# BOONE PAVING AND ASPHALT INC.

Residential & Commercial

271 Dove Acres Vilas, NC 28692  
PH/FAX: 828-963-5179  
Email: p.schaller@charter.net

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## PROPOSAL AND ACCEPTANCE

Submitted To: Mr. Potter Landfill Date: October 9, 2013

City/State/Zip Fax: 264-1702 Email:

### DESCRIPTION OF SPECIFICATIONS AND ESTIMATES PREPARE AND PAVE AS FOLLOWS:

I.	Area/concrete 70 x 60	
	A. Scrape & grade area	
	B. Apply I-2 asphalt resulting in 2" on completion	
	C. Compact for stability	\$9,450.00
2.	Recycling Center/Right Side	
	A. Remove 4" asphalt	
	B. Pave with 2" binder & 2" of surface I-2 Asphalt	
	Total area 19,000 sq. ft. (475 tons)	\$71,500.00
3.	Recycling Center/Left Side (total area 5,000 sq. ft.)	
	A. Dig out 4"	
	B. Pave with 4"	<del>\$21,500.00</del>
4.	Trasher Station	
	A. Dig out 4"	
	B. Pave with 4" 2 gravel areas 6-2-2 Gravel 800 ft = 30 tons	
	R&R 5200 ft. Total 6,000 sq. ft.	\$24,750.00

Authorized Signature: Roger Schaller PRESIDENT Date: October 9, 2013

Customer Signature: Date:

The above prices, specifications and conditions are satisfactory and are hereby accepted. You are authorized to do the work as specified. Payment will be made as outlined above.

Note: This proposal may be withdrawn by Boone Paving & Asphalt, Inc. if not accepted within sixty (60) days

All material is guaranteed to be as specified. All work to be completed in a workman like manner according to standard practice. Any alteration or deviation from above specifications involving extra costs will be executed only upon written orders, and will become an extra charge over and above the estimate. All agreements contingent upon strikes, accidents, weather or delays beyond our control. Owner to carry fire and other necessary insurance. Our workers are fully covered by Workman's Compensation Insurance.

**Tri-County Paving, Inc.**

P.O. Box 863  
West Jefferson, NC 28694

**Estimate**

Date	Estimate #
10/1/2013	26417

Name / Address
Watauga County Sanitation Dept. c/o: J.V. Potter

Description	Qty	Cost	Total
We appreciate the opportunity to submit this quote. We are licensed NC, VA, and TN General Contractors and Accredited Members of the N.C. Better Business Bureau. Our company has served the High Country for 38 years since 1977 and are fully licensed, fully insured and bondable. Our asphalt company is a Pre-qualified NC DOT Contractor and 3 NC Certified Asphalt Technicians serve on our paving crew. Our grading crew also has NC DOT Certified Erosion Control Specialists. Please call if we can further serve you.			
THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT THIS QUOTE.		<b>Subtotal</b>	\$98,672.60
		<b>Sales Tax (6.75%)</b>	\$0.00
		<b>Total</b>	\$98,672.60

Phone #	Fax #	E-mail
336-246-7244	336-846-4914	www.tricopaving@skybest.com

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**AGENDA ITEM 8:**

**TAX MATTERS**

*A. Monthly Collections Report*

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Mr. Larry Warren, Tax Administrator, will present the Monthly Collections Report and be available for questions and discussion.


The report is for information only; therefore, no action is required.

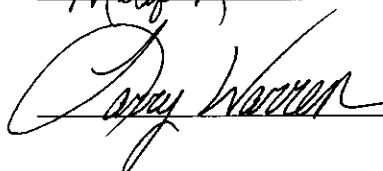
**Monthly Collections Report****Watauga County**

Bank deposits of the following amounts have been made and credited to the account of Watauga County. The reported totals do not include small shortages and overages reported to the Watauga County Finance Officer

Monthly Report March 2014

	<u>Current Month</u> <u>Collections</u>	<u>Current Month</u> <u>Percentage</u>	<u>Current FY</u> <u>Collections</u>	<u>Current FY</u> <u>Percentage</u>	<u>Previous FY</u> <u>Percentage</u>
<b>General County</b>					
Taxes 2013	223,756.44	14.85%	26,521,450.66	96.22%	95.94%
Prior Year Taxes	47,582.80		493,164.74		
Solid Waste Fees	22,706.09	16.05%	1,839,794.29	94.98%	94.96%
Green Box Fees	7,430.75	14.85%	498,510.18	93.62%	93.89%
<b>Total County Funds</b>	<b>\$301,476.08</b>		<b>\$29,352,919.87</b>		
<b>Fire Districts</b>					
Foscoe Fire	3,611.74	15.90%	453,359.92	97.07%	97.10%
Boone Fire	6,421.67	15.54%	719,539.27	95.74%	97.10%
Beaver Dam Fire	1,064.72	12.04%	106,464.92	94.06%	95.31%
Stewart Simmons Fire	809.52	9.01%	143,543.83	95.10%	94.91%
Zionville Fire	1,745.33	18.84%	103,273.26	93.87%	94.49%
Cove Creek Fire	2,717.86	15.27%	217,805.63	94.55%	94.78%
Shawneehaw Fire	933.24	16.57%	90,347.33	95.53%	95.79%
Meat Camp Fire	1,694.88	9.00%	192,263.01	92.84%	92.67%
Deep Gap Fire	2,144.56	17.14%	175,705.81	95.08%	94.16%
Todd Fire	387.25	21.23%	60,801.07	95.65%	96.52%
Blowing Rock Fire	4,441.65	16.56%	458,720.16	95.69%	95.47%
M.C. Creston Fire	308.87	9.97%	4,980.82	78.35%	80.51%
Foscoe Service District	1,977.34	39.53%	71,131.73	97.92%	97.31%
Beech Mtn. Service Dist.	74.00	76.67%	1,995.31	98.91%	93.13%
Cove Creek Service Dist.	0.00	0.00%	301.10	100.00%	100.00%
Shawneehaw Service Dist	22.87	5.86%	5,128.35	93.35%	94.45%
<b>Total Fire Districts</b>	<b>\$28,355.50</b>		<b>\$2,805,361.52</b>		
<b>Towns</b>					
Boone	47,453.05	19.61%	5,127,891.09	97.58%	96.51%
Municipal Services	1,381.23	42.71%	114,083.26	98.47%	97.04%
Boone MV Fee	223.90	4.61%	11,477.22	82.36%	88.92%
Blowing Rock	153.16	2.96%	25,254.13	87.76%	90.68%
Beech Mountain	216.26	5.98%	25,031.14	89.27%	90.04%
Seven Devils	4.56	0.62%	7,564.36	91.13%	84.18%
<b>Total Town Taxes</b>	<b>\$49,432.16</b>		<b>\$5,311,301.20</b>		
<b>Total Amount Collected</b>	<b>\$379,263.74</b>		<b>\$37,469,582.59</b>		

 Tax Collections Director

 Tax Administrator

**AGENDA ITEM 8:**

**TAX MATTERS**

*B. Refunds and Releases*

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Mr. Warren will present the Refunds and Releases Report.

Board action is required to accept the Refunds and Releases Report.

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RELEASES - 03/31/2014 TO 03/31/2014

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OWNER NAME AND ADDRESS	CAT YEAR PROPERTY REASON	BILL	EFF DATE	JUR	REF NO	VALUE	CHARGE	AMOUNT
1410976 ANDREWS, GLENN D JR AND PAULANNE 130 BIRCHWOOD DR BOONE, NC 28607	RE 2013	915	03/31/2014			166,300	F02	83.15
	2920-34-6878-000			F02			G01	520.52
	TAX RELEASES HOUSE VACANT AND REQUIRES A NEW FOUNDATION				4527			603.67
1634661 BACON, MATTHEW FALLON 190 WOOD CIR APT 26 BOONE, NC 286073833	MV 2013	3636	03/31/2014			0	F09	4.93
	A5592			F09			G01	30.83
	TAX RELEASES DUPLICATE				4516			35.76
1639098 BROOKS, SPENCER C BROOKS, ELISABETH JEAN 385 QUEEN ST APT B1 BOONE, NC 286073554	MV 2012	29873	03/31/2014			0	C02	15.69
	VSF4503			C02			CF2	5.00
	TAX RELEASES DUPLICATE BILL				4531		G01	13.27
1649847 DAVIS, FRONTIS LYNN 186 BIRCH ST APT 5 BOONE, NC 286075036	MV 2012	35931	03/31/2014			0	C02	45.58
	AKN9048			C02			CF2	5.00
	TAX RELEASES DECEASED - PLT TURN-IN				4522		G01	38.56
1546336 DEBUSK, DONALD AND BARBARA 105 APPLE LAKE PRIVATE DR BLUFF CITY, TN 37618	PP 2013	1054	03/31/2014			0	SWF	62.00
	546336999			F12			GB	25.00
	TAX RELEASES				4521		G01	47.58
	SOLD IN OCTOBER 2012						F12	7.60
	NEW OWNER BEING BILLED						G01L	4.76
							F12L	.76
1548592 EGGERS, DEAN LEE 155 RC COOK LANE BLOWING ROCK, NC 28605	PP 2013	1201	03/31/2014			0	G01	90.27
	548592999			F12			F12	14.42
	TAX RELEASES sold boat over a year ago				4517			104.69
1576113 GLEN WILDE LLC PO BOX 1686 CLEMMONS, NC 27012	RE 2012	38519	03/31/2014			3,796,740	C02	14,047.94
	2910-53-1986-000			C02			G01	11,884.00
	TAX RELEASES BROWNFIELDS AGREEMENT WITH NC PROJECT ID NUMBER 04005-00-95				4518		DENR	25,931.94
1576113 GLEN WILDE LLC PO BOX 1686 CLEMMONS, NC 27012	RE 2013	15779	03/31/2014			0	C02	1,586.37
	2910-53-1986-000			C02			G01	1,341.99
	TAX RELEASES BROWNFIELDS AGREEMENT WITH NC PROJECT NUMBER 04005-00-95				4520		DENR	2,928.36



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OWNER NAME AND ADDRESS	CAT YEAR PROPERTY REASON	BILL	EFF DATE	JUR	REF NO	VALUE	CHARGE	AMOUNT
1292721 JOHNSON, CARL A AND LAURA 822 LAUREL CREEK RD SUGAR GROVE, NC 28679-9513	MV 2013	20844	03/31/2014			1,960	F07	.98
	ZWF7796			F07			G01	6.13
	REFUND RELEASE TURN IN TAG				4534			7.11
1629288 MORETZ, DANNY JAY SR MORETZ, ALA JONES 2371 BIG HILL RD BOONE, NC 286078231	MV 2013	21516	03/31/2014			6,570	F09	3.29
	WWX5572			F09			G01	20.56
	REFUND RELEASE PLT TURN-IN VEHICLE SOLD				4528			23.85
1530505 ROBERTS, JENNIFER W ROBERTS, BRADLEY HYLTON 504 HAWKS NEST DR BOONE, NC 28607	MV 2013	22065	03/31/2014			1,722	F02	.86
	XYM6638			F02			G01	5.39
	REFUND RELEASE TURN IN TAG				4530			6.25
1580396 RUPPERT, RANDY HENRY RUPPERT, DARLENE PITTS PO BOX 103 BLOWING ROCK, NC 286050103	MV 2013	22125	03/31/2014			0	F12	4.98
	AEM2868			F12			G01	31.17
	TAX RELEASES CAR WAS SOLD TO CAR MAX - PLT TURN-IN				4532			36.15
1545457 SMITH, RANDAL KEITH 3111 BAIRDS CREEK RD VILAS, NC 28692	MV 2012	40775	03/31/2014			0	F07	3.12
	AAF1016			F07			G01	19.50
	TAX RELEASES DUPLICATE BILL				4533			22.62
1634157 SOUTH, MAXINE 356 BETTY'S CIRCLE BOONE, NC 28607	PP 2011	3471	03/31/2014			0	LF	62.00
	634157999			F02			GB	25.00
	TAX RELEASES				4523		G01	23.32
	SOLD IN 2011						F02	2.98
								113.30
1634157 SOUTH, MAXINE 356 BETTY'S CIRCLE BOONE, NC 28607	PP 2012	3445	03/31/2014			0	LF	62.00
	634157999			F02			GB	25.00
	TAX RELEASES				4524		G01	22.63
	MH SOLD IN 2010						F02	3.62
							G01L	2.26
							F02L	.36
								115.87



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OWNER NAME AND ADDRESS	CAT YEAR PROPERTY REASON	BILL	EFF DATE	JUR	REF NO	VALUE CHARGE	AMOUNT
1634157 SOUTH, MAXINE 356 BETTY'S CIRCLE BOONE, NC 28607	PP 2013 634157999 TAX RELEASES MH SOLD IN 2010	3499	03/31/2014	F02	4525	0 SWF GB G01 F02 G01L F02L	62.00 25.00 21.94 3.51 2.19 .35 <hr/> 114.99
1563376 SVENSK CONSTRUCTION INC 10675-4 HWY 105 S PMB407 BANNER ELK, NC 28604	PP 2013 563376999 TAX RELEASES BUSINESS CLOSED 2010	3606	03/31/2014	F08	4526	0 G01 F08 G01L F08L	17.18 2.75 1.72 .28 <hr/> 21.93
1644454 UZELAC, LAURI NAN PO BOX 3680 BOONE, NC 286075580	MV 2013 CAH8297 TAX RELEASES PD THRU NCVTS	22729	03/31/2014	F02	4529	0 F02 G01	9.46 59.19 <hr/> 68.65
1648997 VAN LANINGHAM, JAMES ROBERT 726 APPALACHIAN DR BOONE, NC 286074369	MV 2013 5E57BP REFUND RELEASE TURN IN TAG	22738	03/31/2014	C02	4519	5,600 C02 G01	20.72 17.53 <hr/> 38.25
DETAIL SUMMARY	COUNT: 19	RELEASES - TOTAL				3,978,892	30,444.19

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RELEASES - CHARGE SUMMARY FOR ALL CLERKS

YEAR	CAT	CHARGE	AMOUNT	
2011	PP	F02	BOONE FIRE PP	2.98
2011	PP	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY PP	23.32
2011	PP	GB	GREEN BOX PP	25.00
2011	PP	LF	SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
2011 TOTAL			113.30	
2012	RE	C02	BOONE RE	14,047.94
2012	RE	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY RE	11,884.00
2012	PP	F02	BOONE FIRE PP	3.62
2012	PP	F02L	BOONE FIRE LATE LIST	.36
2012	PP	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY PP	22.63
2012	PP	G01L	WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	2.26
2012	PP	GB	GREEN BOX PP	25.00
2012	PP	LF	SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
2012	MV	C02	BOONE MV	61.27
2012	MV	CF2	BOONE MV FEE	10.00
2012	MV	F07	COVE CREEK FIRE MV	3.12
2012	MV	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY MV	71.33
2012 TOTAL			26,193.53	
2013	RE	C02	BOONE RE	1,586.37
2013	RE	F02	BOONE FIRE RE	83.15
2013	RE	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY RE	1,862.51
2013	PP	F02	BOONE FIRE PP	3.51
2013	PP	F02L	BOONE FIRE LATE LIST	.35
2013	PP	F08	SHAWNEEHAW FIRE PP	2.75
2013	PP	F08L	SHAWNEEHAW FIRE LATE LIST	.28
2013	PP	F12	BLOWING ROCK FIRE PP	22.02
2013	PP	F12L	BLOWING ROCK FIRE LATE LIST	.76
2013	PP	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY PP	176.97
2013	PP	G01L	WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	8.67
2013	PP	GB	GREEN BOX PP	50.00
2013	PP	SWF	SOLID WASTE PP	124.00
2013	MV	C02	BOONE MV	20.72
2013	MV	F02	BOONE FIRE MV	10.32
2013	MV	F07	COVE CREEK FIRE MV	.98
2013	MV	F09	MEAT CAMP FIRE MV	8.22
2013	MV	F12	BLOWING ROCK FIRE MV	4.98
2013	MV	G01	WATAUGA COUNTY MV	170.80
2013 TOTAL			4,137.36	
SUMMARY TOTAL			30,444.19	

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RELEASES - JURISDICTION SUMMARY FOR ALL CLERKS

JUR	YEAR	CHARGE	AMOUNT
C02	2012	C02 BOONE RE	14,109.21
C02	2012	CF2 BOONE MV FEE	10.00
C02	2012	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY RE	11,935.83
C02	2013	C02 BOONE MV	1,607.09
C02	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY MV	1,359.52
C02 TOTAL			29,021.65
F02	2011	F02 BOONE FIRE PP	2.98
F02	2011	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY PP	23.32
F02	2011	GB GREEN BOX PP	25.00
F02	2011	LF SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
F02	2012	F02 BOONE FIRE PP	3.62
F02	2012	F02L BOONE FIRE LATE LIST	.36
F02	2012	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY PP	22.63
F02	2012	G01L WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	2.26
F02	2012	GB GREEN BOX PP	25.00
F02	2012	LF SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
F02	2013	F02 BOONE FIRE PP	96.98
F02	2013	F02L BOONE FIRE LATE LIST	.35
F02	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY PP	607.04
F02	2013	G01L WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	2.19
F02	2013	GB GREEN BOX PP	25.00
F02	2013	SWF SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
F02 TOTAL			1,022.73
F07	2012	F07 COVE CREEK FIRE MV	3.12
F07	2012	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY MV	19.50
F07	2013	F07 COVE CREEK FIRE MV	.98
F07	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY MV	6.13
F07 TOTAL			29.73
F08	2013	F08 SHAWNEEHAW FIRE PP	2.75
F08	2013	F08L SHAWNEEHAW FIRE LATE LIST	.28
F08	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY PP	17.18
F08	2013	G01L WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	1.72
F08 TOTAL			21.93
F09	2013	F09 MEAT CAMP FIRE MV	8.22
F09	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY MV	51.39
F09 TOTAL			59.61
F12	2013	F12 BLOWING ROCK FIRE PP	27.00
F12	2013	F12L BLOWING ROCK FIRE LATE LIST	.76
F12	2013	G01 WATAUGA COUNTY PP	169.02
F12	2013	G01L WATAUGA COUNTY LATE LIST	4.76
F12	2013	GB GREEN BOX PP	25.00
F12	2013	SWF SOLID WASTE PP	62.00
F12 TOTAL			288.54
SUMMARY TOTAL			30,444.19



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Name	Address 1	Address 2	Address 3	Plate Number	Refund Reason	Create Date	Tax Jurisdiction	Levy Type	Change	Interest Change	Total Change
AMANDA JANINE JONES	884 LAUREL FORK RD		VILAS, NC 28692	CEW6253	Situs error	03/14/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$8.81)	\$0.00	(\$8.81)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$1.19	\$0.00	\$1.19
							MS1	Tax	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
										Refund	\$17.62
AMANDA MARGARET DIXON	272 WILLIAMS RIDGE RD		BOONE, NC 28607	CEW6222	Situs error	03/06/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$43.59)	\$0.00	(\$43.59)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$5.89	\$0.00	\$5.89
							MS1	Tax	(\$24.74)	\$0.00	(\$24.74)
										Refund	\$87.44
ANNIE MONICA MERCADO	PO BOX 1261		BANNER ELK, NC 28604	AAF3159	Tag Surrender	03/28/2014	G01	Tax	(\$28.95)	\$0.00	(\$28.95)
							C05	Tax	(\$59.20)	\$0.00	(\$59.20)
										Refund	\$88.15
AUSTIN JAMES MORROW	120 S SLOPE LOOP APT 2		BANNER ELK, NC 28604	CEW5999	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$4.07)	\$0.00	(\$4.07)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F01	Tax	\$0.55	\$0.00	\$0.55
							MS1	Tax	(\$2.31)	\$0.00	(\$2.31)
										Refund	\$10.83
BARRY WAYNE STARNES	3105 CASTLE FORD RD		BOONE, NC 28607	XYC3131	Mileage	03/14/2014	G01	Tax	(\$7.80)	\$0.00	(\$7.80)
							F09	Tax	(\$1.24)	\$0.00	(\$1.24)
										Refund	\$9.04
BARRY WAYNE STARNES	3105 CASTLE FORD RD		BOONE, NC 28607	CDH3879	Mileage	03/14/2014	G01	Tax	(\$4.39)	\$0.00	(\$4.39)
							F09	Tax	(\$0.70)	\$0.00	(\$0.70)
										Refund	\$5.09
BLUE RIDGE EMC	PO BOX 112		LENOIR, NC 28645	VVM5270	Situs error	03/19/2014	G01	Tax	(\$26.57)	\$0.00	(\$26.57)
							F02	Tax	(\$4.25)	\$0.00	(\$4.25)
										Refund	\$30.82
BRANDON KYLE MAST	7083 US HIGHWAY 421		VILAS, NC 28692	CEW6066	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$10.84)	\$0.00	(\$10.84)



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CLARENCE DOUGLAS WINKLER	PO BOX 96	VILAS, NC	28692	CDA7692	Situs error	03/17/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F07	Tax	\$1.47	\$0.00	\$1.47
							MS1	Tax	(\$6.15)	\$0.00	(\$6.15)
							Refund			\$20.52	
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$91.67)	\$0.00	(\$91.67)
CONSUELO PATTERSON SMITH	9189 NC HIGHWAY 105 S	BANNER ELK, NC	28604	CEW6117	Situs error	03/04/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F01	Tax	\$12.39	\$0.00	\$12.39
							MS1	Tax	(\$52.03)	\$0.00	(\$52.03)
							Refund			\$139.31	
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$3.18)	\$0.00	(\$3.18)
DAVID LAWRENCE FRYE, JR	149 FORESTRIDGE DR	BOONE, NC	28607	WPY3235	Situs error	03/19/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F01	Tax	\$0.43	\$0.00	\$0.43
							MS1	Tax	(\$1.81)	\$0.00	(\$1.81)
							Refund			\$9.55	
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$27.97)	\$0.00	(\$27.97)
DEREK RYAN COOK	1465 POPLAR GROVE RD S	BOONE, NC	28607	CEW6329	Situs error	03/14/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$3.78	\$0.00	\$3.78
							MS1	Tax	(\$5.61)	\$0.00	(\$5.61)
							Refund			\$39.19	
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$9.88)	\$0.00	(\$9.88)
DONALD RAY MILLER	7564 OLD US HIGHWAY 421	ZIONVILLE, NC	28698	CEW6275	Situs error	03/18/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F06	Tax	\$1.32	\$0.00	\$1.32
							MS1	Tax	(\$5.52)	\$0.00	(\$5.52)
							Refund			\$18.95	
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$9.73)	\$0.00	(\$9.73)
DOUGLAS	2761 J	BOONE, NC		CEW5329	Tag	03/21/2014	G01	Tax	(\$7.77)	\$0.00	(\$7.77)



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AUSTIN PARKER	BINGHAM PL	28607			Surrender		C02	Tax	(\$9.19)	\$0.00	(\$9.19)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
								Refund		\$16.95	
DYAN ELIZABETH WATKINS	PO BOX 411	VILAS, NC 28692	CD74963	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$4.37)	\$0.00	(\$4.37)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F06	Tax	\$0.59	\$0.00	\$0.59	
						MS1	Tax	(\$2.48)	\$0.00	(\$2.48)	
								Refund		\$10.25	
DYAN ELIZABETH WATKINS	PO BOX 411	VILAS, NC 28692	CD74964	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$8.18)	\$0.00	(\$8.18)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F06	Tax	\$1.11	\$0.00	\$1.11	
						MS1	Tax	(\$4.64)	\$0.00	(\$4.64)	
								Refund		\$16.71	
GREGORY LEN MILLER	265 VALLEY HILL DR	VILAS, NC 28692	MTL1654	Tag Surrender	03/21/2014	G01	Tax	(\$5.84)	\$0.00	(\$5.84)	
						F07	Tax	(\$0.93)	\$0.00	(\$0.93)	
								Refund		\$6.77	
HENRY THOMAS-SCOTT GIBBONS	7643 US HIGHWAY 221 S	BLOWING ROCK, NC 28605	CEW5790	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$9.92)	\$0.00	(\$9.92)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F12	Tax	\$1.34	\$0.00	\$1.34	
						MS1	Tax	(\$5.63)	\$0.00	(\$5.63)	
								Refund		\$18.21	
HIGH COUNTRY COMMUNITY HEALTH	PO BOX 1490	BOONE, NC 28607	BFD8404	Exempt Property	03/14/2014	G01	Tax	(\$77.69)	(\$3.89)	(\$81.58)	
						F02	Tax	(\$12.41)	(\$0.62)	(\$13.03)	
								Refund		\$94.61	
HOLLAR & GREENE PRODUCE CO INC	PO BOX 3500	BOONE, NC 28607	CEW6208	Situs error	03/05/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$16.95)	\$0.00	(\$16.95)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F02	Tax	\$2.29	\$0.00	\$2.29	
						MS1	Tax	(\$9.62)	\$0.00	(\$9.62)	
								Refund		\$29.26	
HOLLAR AND	PO BOX 3500	BOONE, NC	CEW5797	Situs error	03/05/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	



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GREENE PRODUCE CO INC			28607				C02	Tax	(\$10.92)	\$0.00	(\$10.92)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$1.48	\$0.00	\$1.48
							MS1	Tax	(\$6.20)	\$0.00	(\$6.20)
								Refund	\$20.54		
JAMES MARSHALL PENDLETON	123 CLOUD NINE DR	BOONE, NC	28607	CAJ5729	Situs error	03/27/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$81.40)	\$0.00	(\$81.40)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$11.00	\$0.00	\$11.00
							MS1	Tax	(\$46.20)	\$0.00	(\$46.20)
	Refund	\$220.54									
JASON SCOTT HIGGINBOTHAM	467 US HIGHWAY 321 N	VILAS, NC	28692	CEW6229	Situs error	03/10/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$16.47)	\$0.00	(\$16.47)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F07	Tax	\$2.23	\$0.00	\$2.23
							MS1	Tax	(\$9.35)	\$0.00	(\$9.35)
	Refund	\$28.53									
JESSICA ANNE WATKINS	PO BOX 411	VILAS, NC	28692	CEW6069	Situs error	03/05/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$45.84)	\$0.00	(\$45.84)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F06	Tax	\$6.20	\$0.00	\$6.20
							MS1	Tax	(\$26.02)	\$0.00	(\$26.02)
	Refund	\$70.56									
JULIE CHRISTINE WEIDNER	188 IVY TERRACE DR #307	BOONE, NC	28607	YZS5496	Tag Surrender	03/21/2014	G01	Tax	(\$2.50)	\$0.00	(\$2.50)
							C02	Tax	(\$2.96)	\$0.00	(\$2.96)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
	Refund	\$5.46									
KELLY SEEHORN GILLIAM	156 TENNESSIAS WAY	BOONE, NC	28607	AKP1324	Situs error	03/17/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$43.48)	\$0.00	(\$43.48)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$5.88	\$0.00	\$5.88
							MS1	Tax	(\$24.68)	\$0.00	(\$24.68)
	Refund	\$67.28									
KENNETH	449	BOONE, NC		CE36484	Processed In	03/18/2014	G01	Tax	(\$2.19)	\$0.00	(\$2.19)



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Owner Name	Address	Zip	County	Vehicle ID	Error	Date	Code	Description	Amount	Refund	Total
CARL HARDING	ALGONQUIN DR	28607			Error		C02	Tax	(\$3.70)	\$0.00	(\$3.70)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F12	Tax	\$0.15	\$0.00	\$0.15
							MS1	Tax	(\$2.10)	\$0.00	(\$2.10)
							Refund				
KYLE DAVID TEPFER	256 TANNER RD	BOONE, NC 28607	CEW6230	Situs error	03/10/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						F09	Tax	(\$0.71)	\$0.00	(\$0.71)	
						Refund					
KYLE GRAYLEN EGGERS	PO BOX 52	VILAS, NC 28692	2X4775	Situs error	03/12/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$39.48)	\$0.00	(\$39.48)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F07	Tax	\$5.34	\$0.00	\$5.34	
						MS1	Tax	(\$22.41)	\$0.00	(\$22.41)	
Refund										\$61.55	
LARRY ALVIN SHAW	2855 MOUNTAIN DALE RD	VILAS, NC 28692	CEW5800	Situs error	03/05/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$2.92)	\$0.00	(\$2.92)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F04	Tax	\$0.40	\$0.00	\$0.40	
						MS1	Tax	(\$1.66)	\$0.00	(\$1.66)	
Refund										\$9.78	
LINDA DANNER BYRD	918 ARNETT HOLLOW RD	VILAS, NC 28692	AAE9837	Situs error	03/17/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						MS1	Tax	(\$14.05)	\$0.00	(\$14.05)	
Refund										\$14.05	
LORIE BETH WALLACE	728 JOE SHOEMAKER RD	VILAS, NC 28692	CEW6123	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$25.05)	\$0.00	(\$25.05)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	
						F07	Tax	\$3.39	\$0.00	\$3.39	
						MS1	Tax	(\$14.22)	\$0.00	(\$14.22)	
Refund										\$40.68	
MAKAYLA SYNCLYRE RILI WILKINS	ASU BOX 17759	BOONE, NC 28608	CEW6148	Situs error	03/17/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
						C02	Tax	(\$15.02)	\$0.00	(\$15.02)	
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)	





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MARCELLA CANFIELD DUMAS	6601 SETON HOUSE LN	CHARLOTTE, NC 28277	AJF9682	Tag Surrender	03/21/2014	C05	Tax	\$25.98	\$0.00	\$25.98
						MS1	Tax	(\$8.53)	\$0.00	(\$8.53)
								Refund	\$25.98	
						G01	Tax	(\$39.22)	\$0.00	(\$39.22)
						C03	Tax	(\$35.09)	\$0.00	(\$35.09)
MARIA DOUGLAS GOSS	515 SAULS CAMP RD	BLOWING ROCK, NC 28605	9X88BP	Over Assessment	03/11/2014	G01	Tax	(\$50.37)	\$0.00	(\$50.37)
						F12	Tax	(\$8.04)	\$0.00	(\$8.04)
								Refund	\$58.41	
						G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$7.77)	(\$0.45)	(\$8.22)
MARIBEL RODRIGUEZ	742 BEECH MOUNTAIN PKWY	BEECH MOUNTAIN, NC 28604	AJD4853	Situs error	03/04/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	(\$0.29)	(\$5.29)
						F01	Tax	\$1.05	\$0.06	\$1.11
						MS1	Tax	(\$4.41)	(\$0.25)	(\$4.66)
								Refund	\$17.03	
						G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$7.96)	\$0.00	(\$7.96)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
MATTHEW ADAM NORRIS	1459 DUTCH CREEK RD	BANNER ELK, NC 29604	BCE7365	Situs error	03/13/2014	F08	Tax	\$1.08	\$0.00	\$1.08
						MS1	Tax	(\$4.52)	\$0.00	(\$4.52)
								Refund	\$15.90	
						G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$1.85)	\$0.00	(\$1.85)
MICHAEL GAIL TAYLOR	RR 4 BOX 278	BANNER ELK, NC 28604	CEW6290	Situs error	03/21/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F08	Tax	\$0.25	\$0.00	\$0.25
						MS1	Tax	(\$1.05)	\$0.00	(\$1.05)
								Refund	\$7.63	
						G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
MISTY GREEN REYNOLDS	PO BOX 233	VILAS, NC 28692	ZWS3462	Situs error	03/03/2014	C02	Tax	(\$14.47)	\$0.00	(\$14.47)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F07	Tax	\$1.96	\$0.00	\$1.96
						MS1	Tax	(\$8.21)	\$0.00	(\$8.21)
								Refund	\$25.72	
NEVADA	1008 PINE	BEECH	CEW6210	Situs error	03/05/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00



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BROOK JONES	RIDGE RD	MOUNTAIN, NC 28604				C02	Tax	(\$15.98)	\$0.00	(\$15.98)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						C05	Tax	\$27.65	\$0.00	\$27.65
						MS1	Tax	(\$9.07)	\$0.00	(\$9.07)
						Refund				
PRESTON SAMUEL RUSSELL	346 WARD GREENE RD	VILAS, NC 28692	CEW6238	Situs error	03/11/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$8.99)	\$0.00	(\$8.99)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F07	Tax	\$1.22	\$0.00	\$1.22
						MS1	Tax	(\$5.10)	\$0.00	(\$5.10)
Refund									\$1.82	
REBECCA SKYE JOHNSON	10406 US HIGHWAY 421 N	ZIONVILLE, NC 28698	CEW5783	Situs error	03/03/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$5.74)	\$0.00	(\$5.74)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F06	Tax	\$0.78	\$0.00	\$0.78
						MS1	Tax	(\$3.26)	\$0.00	(\$3.26)
Refund									\$3.22	
RIDGE RUNNER TRADING CO INC	PO BOX 391	BOONE, NC 28607	BBV3393	Situs error	03/26/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$134.61)	\$0.00	(\$134.61)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F02	Tax	\$18.19	\$0.00	\$18.19
Refund									\$121.42	
RIDGE RUNNER TRADING CO INC	PO BOX 391	BOONE, NC 28607	AM9256	Situs error	03/26/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$27.16)	\$0.00	(\$27.16)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F02	Tax	\$3.67	\$0.00	\$3.67
Refund									\$26.43	
ROBERT CARR COLLIE, JR	467 US HIGHWAY 321 N	VILAS, NC 28692	CEW6136	Situs error	03/10/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
						C02	Tax	(\$9.99)	\$0.00	(\$9.99)
						C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
						F07	Tax	\$1.35	\$0.00	\$1.35
						MS1	Tax	(\$5.67)	\$0.00	(\$5.67)
Refund									\$19.84	
ROBERT	234 MUSTARD	BOONE, NC	VSC6322	Tag	03/31/2014	G01	Tax	(\$47.66)	\$0.00	(\$47.66)

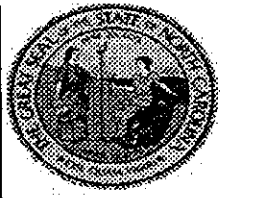


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Owner Name	Address	Zip	County	Vehicle ID	Reason	Date	F09	Tax	Refund	Total
GRAHAM LANGDON, JR	FIELD RD	28607			Surrender		F09	Tax	(\$7.62)	\$0.00 (\$7.62)
<b>Refund \$5.23</b>										
RONALD HUNTER STORIE	PO BOX 2002	28607	BOONE, NC	CEW6349	Situs error	03/20/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$4.66)	\$0.00 (\$4.66)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00 (\$5.00)
							F10	Tax	\$0.63	\$0.00 \$0.63
							MS1	Tax	(\$2.65)	\$0.00 (\$2.65)
<b>Refund \$7.89</b>										
SARAH NICOLE MAIN	2327 HARDIN RD	28607	BOONE, NC	CEW6342	Situs error	03/19/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$2.48)	\$0.00 (\$2.48)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00 (\$5.00)
							F10	Tax	\$0.34	\$0.00 \$0.34
							MS1	Tax	(\$1.41)	\$0.00 (\$1.41)
<b>Refund \$3.55</b>										
SHANNON SHUPING COX	61195 WATAUGA RIVER RD	28679	SUGAR GROVE, NC	CEW6355	Situs error	03/24/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$36.04)	\$0.00 (\$36.04)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00 (\$5.00)
							F07	Tax	\$4.87	\$0.00 \$4.87
							MS1	Tax	(\$20.45)	\$0.00 (\$20.45)
<b>Refund \$56.62</b>										
SHERRY LYNN TYMCHUCK	1016 HOPEWELL CH RD	28607	BOONE, NC	YRX1338	Situs error	03/03/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$9.10)	\$0.00 (\$9.10)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00 (\$5.00)
							F09	Tax	\$1.23	\$0.00 \$1.23
							MS1	Tax	(\$5.17)	\$0.00 (\$5.17)
<b>Refund \$18.04</b>										
STEVEN THOMAS WIDEMAN	1379 STONEY BROOK LN	28607	BOONE, NC	CEW6115	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$22.20)	\$0.00 (\$22.20)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00 (\$5.00)
							F09	Tax	\$3.00	\$0.00 \$3.00
							MS1	Tax	(\$12.60)	\$0.00 (\$12.60)
<b>Refund \$36.80</b>										
SYLINA IRENE TAFOYA	2279 SILVERSTONE	28698	ZIONVILLE, NC	CEW5794	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$5.40)	\$0.00 (\$5.40)



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RD	Owner	Address	County	Vehicle ID	Reason	Date	Code	Description	Amount	Refund	Total
	TERRY PRESTON CHAPPELL	PO BOX 252	BANNER ELK, NC 28604	CD28913	Over Assessment	03/20/2014	C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							MS1	Tax	(\$3.07)	\$0.00	(\$3.07)
										Refund	\$8.07
	THOMAS EDWARD WILL	225 RIVER POINTE LN	BOONE, NC 28607	ZYC6956	Vehicle Sold	03/19/2014	G01	Tax	(\$26.95)	\$0.00	(\$26.95)
							F08	Tax	(\$4.31)	\$0.00	(\$4.31)
										Refund	\$31.26
	TODD MICHAEL ALLAN	130 FIRE TOWER RD	BOONE, NC 28607	RYK5497	Situs error	03/04/2014	G01	Tax	(\$60.66)	\$0.00	(\$60.66)
							F01	Tax	(\$9.69)	\$0.00	(\$9.69)
										Refund	\$70.35
	WILBUR BAINE MARTIN, III	1069 BLOWING ROCK RD	BOONE, NC 28607	YTB8862	Situs error	03/17/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$16.35)	(\$0.82)	(\$17.17)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	(\$0.25)	(\$5.25)
							F02	Tax	\$2.21	\$0.11	\$2.32
							MS1	Tax	(\$9.28)	(\$0.46)	(\$9.74)
										Refund	\$29.84
	WILLIAM WILMER LARSON	208 BRADLEY CT	BOONE, NC 28607	CEN7673	Situs error	03/19/2014	G01	Tax	(\$6.26)	\$0.00	(\$6.26)
							F02	Tax	(\$1.00)	\$0.00	(\$1.00)
										Refund	\$7.26
	WILLIAM WILMER LARSON	208 BRADLEY CT	BOONE, NC 28607	CEN7673	Situs error	03/19/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Vehicle Fee	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							MS1	Tax	(\$23.23)	\$0.00	(\$23.23)
										Refund	\$23.23
	ZACHARY NATHANIEL GREEN	140 EMORY LN	BOONE, NC 28607	CEW6184	Situs error	03/31/2014	G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$40.92)	\$0.00	(\$40.92)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$5.53	\$0.00	\$5.53
										Refund	\$40.39
							G01	Tax	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
							C02	Tax	(\$16.35)	\$0.00	(\$16.35)
							C02	Vehicle Fee	(\$5.00)	\$0.00	(\$5.00)
							F02	Tax	\$2.21	\$0.00	\$2.21
							MS1	Tax	(\$9.28)	\$0.00	(\$9.28)
										Refund	\$26.42



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**AGENDA ITEM 9:****HIGH COUNTRY RURAL PLANNING ORGANIZATION TRANSPORTATION PRIORITIES****MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

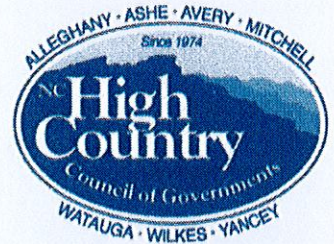
Mr. Joe Furman, Planning and Inspections Director, will present the Transportation priorities for the High Country Rural Planning Organization. The General Assembly adopted a new funding method for transportation projects last year which requires that projects from all modes of transportation be ranked together. Mr. Furman compiled all modes into one list for easier viewing and ranking. In addition, he contacted the four (4) municipalities and Appalcart for input. The Town of Boone will submit one (1) project directly to the RPO; the other municipalities do not have allotted projects, so their input comes through the County. Boone is likely to choose an "in-town" project, such as the King Street/College Street improvements. Seven Devils favors the NC Highway 105 bridge/turn lane at Broadstone Road. Beech Mountain's top project is the Beech Mountain Parkway Walkway (shown as an Avery County project). Blowing Rock favors the King/College Street improvements, US Highway 421/321/194 North to Vilas widening and US Highway 321/NC Highway 105 intersection improvements in that order. Appalcart would like to purchase an additional bus if proposed student housing occurs. Documentation is attached on the input received.

The County must choose four (4) projects in priority order for submission to the RPO by April 22nd. There is no set method for how the priorities are to be established. The last time the Commissioners submitted priorities to the RPO, in April, 2011; the three (3) submitted at that time were 1) widening US Highway 421/321/194 N from 105 Bypass to Vilas; 2) widening 105 Bypass; 3) widening NC Highway 194 from King Street to Howard's Creek Road. This past fall, the Commissioners were interested in the Bamboo Road/Wilson Ridge Road improvements, which are combined into one project. The Board may also wish to consider the new Boone Bypass (Daniel Boone Parkway) which is proposed in the recently adopted Comprehensive Transportation Plan.

Board action is requested in selecting four (4) projects to be submitted to the RPO by April 22, 2014.

<b>Existing TIP or RPO Projects</b>	<b>Project type</b>	<b>Previous RPO ranking</b>
US Highway 421 from Tennessee line to US 321-421 junction, Vilas	4-lane	
US Highway 321-421 from Vilas to proposed Boone Bypass	4-lane	9
US Highway 321 from Tennessee line to US 321-421 junction, Vilas	4-lane	
US Highway 421 from Stony Fork Rd. to Fall Creek Rd.	safety improvements	
Proposed new Boone Bypass (Daniel Boone Parkway) *	new 4-lane facility	
NC Highway 194 from King Street to Howard's Creek Rd.	4-lane	6
NC Highway 194 from Howard's Creek Rd. to Jack Hayes Rd.	3-lane	
NC Highway 105 *	improve to "super street"	12
NC Highway 105 from 105 Bypass to Clark's Creek Rd., Foscoe	4-lane	1
NC Highway 105 Clark's Creek Rd., Foscoe to US Highway 221	4-lane	2
US Highway 421 Truck / SR 1107 (105 Bypass)	4-lane	8
Bodenheimer Drive/Poplar Grove RD. connector *	new connector road	
<b>New Road Projects</b>		
Bamboo Rd./Wilson Ridge Rd.	widen lanes/improve intersec.	
King St./College St. *	add left-turn lane	
US Highway 221-321 @ NC Highway 105 *	improve intersection	
NC Highway 105 @Broadstone Rd.	new bridge and left turn lane	
<b>Other</b>		
Public Transit - Appalcart	Additional bus - \$500K	
<b>* possible Boone priority projects</b>		





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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Don Adams, Alleghany County Manager  
Sam Yearick, Ashe County Manager  
Robert Wiseman, Avery County Manager  
Charles Vines, Mitchell County Manager  
Deron Geouque, Watauga County Manager  
John Yates, Wilkes County Manager  
Nathan Bennett, Yancey County Manager  
Greg Young, Boone Town Manager

**FROM:** David Graham, Transportation Planner *DS*

**SUBJECT:** High Country RPO – Call for Priority TIP Projects

**DATE:** March 19, 2014

The High Country RPO has developed a methodology for scoring and ranking transportation projects that cover all modes of transportation (*highway, bicycle & pedestrian, transit, airport, and rail*) for the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). As a result, the number of projects to be scored and ranked will need to be narrowed down in an effort to maximize allocated points for scoring fewer projects thus enabling the reduced number of projects to better compete for available funding. Based on our system, the High Country RPO will score and rank the number of **new and existing transportation projects** (highway, bicycle & pedestrian, transit, airport, and rail) from each county as follows:

- Alleghany County 3 projects
- Ashe County 5 projects
- Avery County 3 projects
- Mitchell County 3 projects
- Watauga County 4 projects
- Wilkes County 7 projects
- Yancey County 4 projects
- Boone 1 project

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Please submit your county's priority projects in accordance with the schedule noted above for scoring and ranking. As individual municipalities (with the exception of the Town of Boone) will not be submitting projects to the RPO for scoring and ranking, the county requests should include both rural and urban projects. I encourage all counties to discuss priority projects with their respective municipalities prior to submitting your priority projects. *Attached are projects lists for all modes of transportation that are eligible for scoring and ranking. Please select your priority projects **from the attached lists only.***

Please note that any project from the attached lists can be selected. Projects do not need to be specific to your county. In addition, there is no mandate on how counties choose priority projects.

Please give me a call if you would like to discuss individual projects.

To have projects included for scoring and ranking, please submit your priority projects in order of priority (1, 2, 3, ...) to me by **April 22, 2014.**

Enclosures

cc: High Country RPO Rural Transportation Advisory Committee (RTAC) members  
High Country RPO Rural Transportation Coordinating Committee (RTCC) members  
Rick Herndon, Executive Director, High Country Council of Governments  
Phil Trew, Planning Director, High Country Council of Governments  
High Country Town Managers



**Joe Furman**

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**From:** David Graham [dgraham@regiond.org]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 9:40 AM  
**To:** Joe Furman; Deron.Geouque  
**Cc:** 'Dean Ledbetter'; ptrew@regiond.org;  
mpettyjohn@ncdot.gov; 'Patel, Alpesh G';  
greg.young@townofboone.net  
**Subject:** Priority Projects - Bamboo Road/Wilson Ridge Road

Deron & Joe:

I hope you both are doing well this morning. I would like to let you know that the following projects were combined as one project at the recommendation of NCDOT's SPOT office:

**(WATA 0008-H) Bamboo Road, Wilson Ridge Road to US 421**  
**(WATA 0014-H) Wilson Ridge Road**

Therefore, if Watauga County chooses the above projects as a priority, they will be considered as one project.

Let me know if you have any questions. Have a good afternoon.

Thanks,

David

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WATAUGA COUNTY - EXISTING HIGHWAY PROJECTS							
Project Category	TIP #	Route Number	Route Name	From/Cross Street	To	Description	Estimated Cost
Regional Impact	R-2615A	US 421		Tennessee Line	US 321-US 421 Junction Near Vilas	Tennessee Line to US 321-US 421 Junction near Vilas. Widen to Multi-Lanes.	
Statewide Mobility	R-2615B	US 321/421		US 321-US 421 Junction Near Vilas	Proposed Boone Bypass (U-2703)	US 321-421 Junction near Vilas to Proposed Boone Bypass (U-2703). Widen to Multi-	21,300,000
Statewide Mobility	R-5016	US 321		Tennessee State Line	US 421	Widen to Multi-Lanes	
Statewide Mobility	U-2703	US 421	New Route - Boone Bypass	US 421 East of Boone	US 421 West of Boone	Construct Freeway on New Location	
Regional Impact		NC 194		US 421 (King Street)	SR 1306 (Howards Creek Rd)	Widen to 4 Lanes Curb and Gutter.	
Regional Impact		NC 194		SR 1306 (Howards Creek Road)	SR 1327 (Jack Hayes Road)	Widen to 3 Lane Curb and Gutter Section	
Statewide Mobility	U-5603	NC 105		US 321 (Blowing Rock Road)	NC 105 Bypass	Upgrade Roadway to Improve Capacity, Safety, and Access Management including Raised Medians, Directional Crossovers, & Traffic Signals.	5,400,000
Statewide Mobility		US 421		SR 1301 (Fall Creek Road)	SR 1502 (Stony Fork Road)	Roadway Improvements to Accomodate Truck Traffic including	

Statewide Mobility	R-2566A	NC 105		US 221	SR 1136 in Watauga County	Widen to Multi-Lanes	60,350,000
Statewide Mobility	R-2566B	NC 105		SR 1136 in Watauga County	SR 1107 in Boone	Widen to Multi-Lanes	40,000,000
Regional Impact		US 421 Truck/SR 1107		NC 105	US 421/321	Widen to Multi-Lanes with Bike Lanes. (4 Lanes W/Median and Bike Lanes)	
Division Needs			New Route - ASU Campus Access Road	NC 105	SR 1102 (Poplar Grove Road)	Construct Two Lane Roadway, Part on New Location with Curb and Gutter and Multi-USE	



HIGH COUNTRY RPO NEW PROJECTS LIST - HIGHWAY				
PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
Releif Rd. (SR1315)	Mitchell	Mitchell County	Improve Alignment from NC 197 to Yancey Co. Line	600,000
US21 Local ID: ALLE0001-H	Alleghany	Alleghany County	Widen to a 3 lane facility with 12 foot lanes & accomodations for bicycles	N/A
Bamboo Rd., Wilson Ridge Rd. to US421 (WTA0008-H)	Watauga	Watauga County	Widen lanes and improve intersections	N/A
Wilson Ridge Rd. (WATA0014-H)	Watauga	Watauga County	Widen lanes and improve intersections	N/A
NC115 from US421 to 2nd St.	Wilkes	Wilkes County	Add center turn lane, widen shoulders, include sidewalks and bike lanes	N/A
Boone Trail from "D" St. to NC16	Wilkes	Wilkes County	Build to current NCDOT standards/realign intersections	N/A
Dancy/Pads Rd. from US421 to Boone Trail	Wilkes	Wilkes County	Build to current NCDOT standards/realign intersections	N/A
NCDOT DIVISION 11 NEW PROJECTS LIST - HIGHWAY				
PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
King St./College St.	Watauga County/Boone	Division 11	Construct left turn lane	N/A
US 221/321 at NC 105	Watauga County/Boone	Division 11	Improve intersection	N/A
US 221 at NC 194 north of Crossnore	Avery	Division 11	Widen culvert and construct turn lane on US 221 or roundabout	N/A
NC 18 at Sparta Loop	Alleghany	Division 11	Construct roundabout	N/A
NC 181 at High School Road	Avery	Division 11	Construct roundabout	N/A
NC 113 at US 221	Alleghany	Division 11	Construct roundabout	N/A
NC 105 at SR 1112 (Broadstone Rd.)	Watauga	Division 11	Construct Bridge and left-turn lane	N/A
NC 194 at NC 88 at Warrensville	Ashe	Division 11	Construct roundabout	N/A
NCDOT DIVISION 13 NEW PROJECTS LIST - HIGHWAY				
PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
US 19 - Yancey County	Yancey	Division 13	Widen road and shoulders to improve safety - Heavy truck traffic	N/A
HIGH COUNTRY RPO NEW PROJECTS LIST - BICYCLE & PEDESTRIAN				
PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
Beech Mtn. Parkway Walkway	Avery	Beech Mountain	Construct pedestrian walkway along Beech Mountain Parkway	N/A
HIGH COUNTRY RPO NEW PROJECTS LIST - PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION				
PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
Repair and resurface parking lot	Alleghany	Alleghany County	Repair and resurface parking lot	48,000
Security camera system	Alleghany	Alleghany County	Security camera system for two buildings	3,500
Expansion vehicle	Watauga	AppalCART	Fleet Vehicle - Bus	500,000
Expansion vehicle	Ashe	Ashe County	Fleet Vehicle - Light Transit Vehicle	75,000
Expansion vehicle	Avery	Avery County	Fleet Vehicle - Light Transit Vehicle	72,000



**Joe Furman**

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**From:** James Scott [jscott@townofbeechmountain.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 2:53 PM  
**To:** Joe Furman  
**Cc:** Randy Feierabend  
**Subject:** RE: RPO priorities

Hey Joe,

Don't know if its too late, but Beech Mountain would like you to consider our pedestrian project. It is a good project that will have multiple benefits, including safety, health, and economics. Its also a low cost project that would stand a good chance of getting built if it makes the list.

Thanks,

Jes

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**From:** Joe Furman [mailto:Joe.Furman@watgov.org]  
**Sent:** Friday, March 21, 2014 10:24 AM  
**To:** Ed Evans; 'Kevin Rothrock'; James Scott  
**Subject:** RPO priorities

Gentlemen,

I assume by now you received David Graham's call for transportation project priorities, which are due to him by April 22<sup>nd</sup>. I hope to bring this to the Commissioners on April 1<sup>st</sup>, though it may very well be April 15<sup>th</sup>. Watauga County will choose 4 projects to submit. If your towns would like to weigh in on the choices, please contact me to discuss and coordinate. If not, please let me know that is the case. Thank you!

Joe

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Joe Furman, Watauga County Planning Director

CC: Scott Fogleman, Blowing Rock Town Manager  
David Graham, HC-COG Transportation Planner

FROM: Kevin Rothrock, Planning Director

SUBJECT: NCDOT – Call for TIP Priorities

DATE: April 9, 2014

Based on participation in the High Country RPO – RTAC meetings and with the Watauga County Comprehensive Transportation Plan Steering Committee, the Town of Blowing Rock submits the following projects and corresponding ranking (1, 2, and 3) for inclusion in the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) priority list to Watauga County:

### Rank # 1

#### NCDOT DIVISION 11 NEW PROJECTS LIST - HIGHWAY

PROJECT	COUNTY	SUBMITTED BY	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
King St./College St.	Watauga County/Boone	Division 11	Construct left turn lane	N/A

*This project would allow a full left turn lane with vehicle stacking at College Street/King Street at First Baptist Church in Boone. This would help alleviate traffic congestion at the narrowest bottleneck on King Street.*

### Rank # 2

#### WATAUGA COUNTY - EXISTING HIGHWAY PROJECTS

TIP #	ROUTE	FROM	TO	DESCRIPTION	ESTIMATED COST
R-2615B	US 321/421	US 321-US 421 Junction Near Vilas	Proposed Boone Bypass (U-2703)	US 321-421 Junction near Vilas to Proposed Boone Bypass (U-2703). Widen to Multi-Lanes.	21,300,000

*This project would help reduce traffic congestion at peak times during morning and evening rush hour.*

**Rank # 3****NCDOT DIVISION 11 NEW PROJECTS LIST - HIGHWAY**

<b>PROJECT</b>	<b>COUNTY</b>	<b>SUBMITTED BY</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>ESTIMATED COST</b>
US 221/321 at NC 105	Watauga County/Boone	Division 11	Improve intersection	N/A

*This project would provide safer travel conditions and turning movements for a highly-utilized road and default bypass route in Boone.*



**Joe Furman**

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**From:** Chris Turner [director@appalcart.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 11:56 AM  
**To:** Joe Furman  
**Subject:** expansion bus request for FY 17  
**Attachments:** Expansion Bus Request for FY17.pdf

Joe,

I am attaching the application I submitted for our expansion bus. The request is predicated on the fact the Shadowline mixed use development is finished by FY17. If this development is not approved or one like it, our need for the bus would be diminished.

Sincerely,

Chris Turner

**NCDOT Public Transportation Division  
Project Funding Request Form**

DATE SUBMITTED:

APPLICANT'S LEGAL NAME:

PROJECT TYPE:

IF OTHER PROJECT TYPE:

STI EQUIPMENT LIST:

OTHER STI EQUIPMENT:

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

MAILING ADDRESS:

PHYSICAL ADDRESS:

CONTACT PERSON:

PHONE NUMBER:

FAX NUMBER:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

CURRENT FISCAL YEAR	<input type="text" value="FY17 - STI"/>
STATE FUNDING	<input type="text" value="\$50,000"/>
FEDERAL FUNDING-FTA	<input type="text" value="\$400,000"/>
LOCAL FUNDING	<input type="text" value="\$50,000"/>
OTHER FUNDING	<input type="text"/>
<b>TOTAL GRANT AMOUNT</b>	<input type="text" value="\$500,000"/>

*\*NOTE: FY15 Requests Complete Page 1 Only*

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

PREPARED BY:

REQUEST RECOMMENDATION OR REJECTION

PROJECT LOCATION:

FEDERAL PROGRAM?

STATE PROGRAM?

PROJECT or PROGRAM PREVIOUSLY FUNDED?

**PROJECT / PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:**

To increase frequency on the State Farm Shuttle Route from 30 minutes to 15 and to double the capacity for passengers by adding a second bus on the route during peak hours during the August to May School year.

**PROJECT / PROGRAM BENEFITS:**

Boone is expecting a new mixed use development on Shadowline Drive by 2017 featuring 450 bedrooms. Once occupied these apartments will create demand for more bus service and more frequent bus service, to include all year service instead of just during the school year.

**RESULT OF PROJECT / PROGRAM IF NOT FUNDED:**

Congestion will build on Shadowline Drive and US 321 as the residents seek to commute by car.

**NCDOT Public Transportation Division  
Project Funding Request Form**

**EXPANSION VEHICLES**

*\* Please complete this form for each project request. (1 form per vehicle)*

**1. BENEFIT COST CRITERIA**

Type of Expansion Vehicle Project?

**i. Demand Response (DR)**

- 1. Current DR Ridership
- 2. Projected Life of Vehicle
- 3. Current Number of DR Vehicles

**ii. Fixed Route (New Route)**

- 1. Projected Annual Ridership
- 2. Projected Life of Vehicle

**iii. Fixed Route (Headway Reduction)**

- 1. Projected Annual Ridership
- 2. Projected Life of Vehicle

**iii. Amount of state match requested**

**2. VEHICLE UTILIZATION DATA (AS REPORTED TO NTD OR NC OPSTATS)**

a. What is your vehicle utilization?

**3. SYSTEM SAFETY (AS REPORTED TO NTD)**

- a. Number of reportable incidents in most current reporting year?
- b. Number of reportable fatalities in the most current reporting year?
- c. Number of reportable injuries in the most current reporting year?
- d. Number of Passenger Miles Traveled (urban system) or Revenue Miles Traveled (rural system).

**4. CONNECTIVITY / ACCESSIBILITY**

a. Demand Response (DR)

- i. Current DR Ridership
- ii. Number of Vehicles in DR Fleet:

iii. Select all that apply to proposed expansion

- Medical  Commercial
- Employment  Education
- Other Transportation Mode

b. Fixed Route

i. Projected Ridership

ii. Select all that apply to proposed expansion

- Medical  Commercial
- Employment  Education
- Other Transportation Mode

iii. Annual System Ridership

**5. OPERATIONAL EFFICIENCY**

a. Demand Response

i. Annual System Ridership

ii. Annual Service Hours

b. Fixed Route

i. Annual System Ridership

ii. Annual Revenue Hours

**FACILITIES**

*\* Please complete this form for each project request. (1 form per facility)*

**1. Describe Project and Need (Type of project, why it is needed (age, space, etc.), and What it will accomplish)**

**2. Length of time system has occupied the current facility.**

**3. Facility Demand (if project need is related to expansion)**

a. Peak Service Space (What area is over capacity and what is needed? Attach feasibility study)

b. Existing Capacity (How much workspace for employees, parking for vehicles, service bays, etc.)



**AGENDA ITEM 10:**

**MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

*A. Request to Waive Fee for Use of Human Services Center Parking Lot*

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

Per Commissioner request from the last Board meeting, staff has contacted Mr. Bill Mast regarding the use of the Human Services Center for a fund raising event. Mr. Mast indicated that the money raised by the event will be used for scholarships for rising seniors.

Board action is required if the \$200 user fee is to be waived.

March 31, 2014

The William Mast Memorial Fund would like to request use of the parking lot at Watauga County Human Services Center for the annual motorcycle ride on September 13, 2014 with a rain date of September 20, 2014. We have checked the football schedule for Appalachian State University and there is not a home game on either date. We would need the parking lot and access to electricity from 7:00am to 6:00pm. We would be willing to donate \$200 for the use of the area.

Thank you for your consideration of the above request.

Sincerely, 

Bill Mast

**AGENDA ITEM 10:**

**MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

*B. Boards and Commissions*

**MANAGER'S COMMENTS:**

The Blowing Rock Town Council has recommended appointment of Doug Matheson and Ray Pickett to serve as representatives on the Watauga County Recreation Commission. This is a first reading and, therefore, no action is required at this time.

**Anita.Fogle**

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**From:** Deron.Geouque  
**Sent:** Monday, March 31, 2014 9:08 AM  
**To:** Anita.Fogle  
**Subject:** FW: Blowing Rock Representatives for The Watauga Recreation Commission  
**Attachments:** Watauga Recreation Commission.pdf

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**From:** Scott Fogleman [<mailto:scott.fogleman@townofblowingrock.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 20, 2014 6:29 AM  
**To:** Deron.Geouque  
**Cc:** 'Jennifer Brown'  
**Subject:** Blowing Rock Representatives for The Watauga Recreation Commission

Deron,

I am not exactly sure why we had two Council members serving on the Recreation Commission (Albert Yount and Tommy Klutz).

In any event, assuming there are two seats on the Commission for Blowing Rock, I have the names of two Council members who have agreed to serve in this capacity going forward:

Doug Matheson  
 Ray Pickett

If you only need one, please let me know and I will talk with Doug and Ray to see which prefers to serve.

Otherwise, it is fine to go with two.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns and what the associated meeting schedule is.

Thanks,  
 Scott Fogleman  
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 Town of Blowing Rock  
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 Blowing Rock, NC 28605  
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## **AGENDA ITEM 10:**

### **MISCELLANEOUS ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

#### *C. Announcements*

Caldwell Community College & Technical Institute will hold an Open House & Business After Hours on Thursday, April 17, 2014, from 5:00 -7:00 P.M. at the Watauga Campus located at 506 Community College Drive in Boone.

Budget Work Sessions are scheduled for Thursday, May 8, and Tuesday, May 13, 2014; both beginning at 4:00 P.M. The Work Sessions will be held in the Commissioners' Board Room.

Community Pride Week will be held May 12 – 17. The week will conclude on May 17 with Household Hazardous Waste Day at the County Landfill from 9:00 A.M. until 2:00 P.M. and Operation Medicine Cabinet at the three local Food Lion locations as well as Foscoe Fire Department from 10:00 A.M. until 2:00 P.M. Please see the enclosed announcement for more details.





# Open House & Business After Hours

Thursday, April 17th from 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm  
Watauga Campus of CCC&TI  
506 Community College Drive, Boone NC

Featuring campus tours, student artwork and more!

Food & Beverages by



Award Winning Wine

Compliments of  
Surry Community College's Viticulture Program

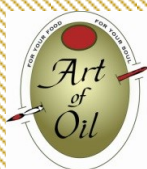
## SUPER GIVEAWAYS!!

Weekend Stay at The Fairfield Inn & Suites in  
Charleston SC



Weekend Stay at LaQuinta in Boone NC  
(Compliments of Hotel Equities)

4 Tickets to Appalachian Summer Festival 2014 Outdoor  
Fireworks Concert Featuring "Little Big Town"



Gifts from Art of Oil, Wahoo's Outdoor  
Adventures, Appalachian Evergreens

....And Much More....



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**From:** Lisa.Doty  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 08, 2014 11:30 AM  
**To:** all.employees  
**Subject:** HHWD, Community Pride Week and Medicine Take-back Day

Please help us spread the word and share this information with your friends and associates. Thanks so much!!!

**WATAUGA COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
 PROCLAIM May 12 - 17 AS COMMUNITY PRIDE WEEK  
 Household Hazardous Waste Collection and Drug Take-Back May 17**

The Watauga County Board of Commissioners have designated May 12 - 17 as "Community Pride Week" with the goal of improving the appearance of Watauga County. During this week Watauga County residents will have an opportunity to dispose of many types of waste for no charge, including old furniture, yard debris, appliances, electronics, medications and household hazardous waste. (This does not apply to commercial haulers or businesses.)

Following is a list of Community Pride Week events. All events are free for Watauga County residents.

**FREE DISPOSAL OF RESIDENTIAL DEBRIS**

**When:** Monday, May 12– Saturday, May 17  
**HOURS:** Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. and Sat. 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

**Where:** Watauga County Landfill  
 336 Landfill Road

**What:** appliances, tires, furniture, metal, asphalt (no asphalt shingles), brick, cement, rock, brush (no stumps), electronics

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY  
 (Residential ONLY, NO COMMERCIAL WASTE)**

**When:** Saturday, May 17  
 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Where:** Watauga County Landfill  
 336 Landfill Road

**What:** paint, household batteries, NiCad batteries, lead-acid batteries (car type), antifreeze, ethylene, gasoline, lighter fluid, solid and liquid pesticides, oxidizers, used oils, household cleaners, etc.

**OPERATION MEDICINE CABINET**

**When:** Saturday, May 17  
 10 a.m.—2 p.m.

**Where:** Food Lions (3 locations)  
 1. Hwy 321 near Wal-Mart  
 2. Hwy 421/Old Hwy 421  
 3. Blowing Rock  
 Foscoe Fire Department

**What:** All prescription and over-the-counter medications and medical supplies.  
**NO QUESTIONS ASKED**

Please call 828-264-5305 for more information about Community Pride Week or contact Lisa Doty at 828-265-4852 /

[lisa.doty@watgov.org](mailto:lisa.doty@watgov.org) with questions about recycling.

**AGENDA ITEM 11:**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**AGENDA ITEM 12:**

**BREAK**

**AGENDA ITEM 13:**

**CLOSED SESSION**

Attorney/Client Matters – G. S. 143-318.11(a)(3)

Land Acquisition – G. S. 143-318.11(a)(5)(i)