



Durham County Commissioners

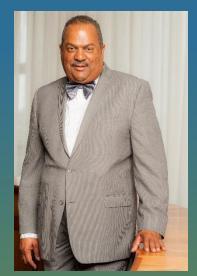
2015 - 2016





Durham County Commissioners

2015 - 2016



Chairman Michael D. Page



Vice Chair Brenda Howerton



Commissioner Ellen Reckhow



Commissioner Fred Foster, Jr.



Commissioner Wendy Jacobs



Taking County to the Next Level

County Manager
Wendell Davis





Durham County Workforce





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A Fond Farewell



Jeff Batten
Emergency Management
Director



Lee Worsley
Deputy County
Manager



A Warm Welcome



Jay Gibson
Engineering Director



Jim Groves

Emergency

Management Director



Jodi Miller
Deputy County
Manager



Kathy Everett-Perry
Interim Human
Resources Director





DURHAM COUNTY



Achievements & Awards

Information Services & Technology

Chief Information Officer of THE YEAR AWARDS

Director Greg Marrow receives
Triangle Business Journal's
"CIO Award" presented to
leaders changing the Triangle
Business Community through
IT





Information Services & Technology

MORE 2015 AWARDS

- Top 10 Digital County by NACo
- 2015 GiGa Award by NCLGIS
- Public Technology Institute







Durham County Tax Office

2015 Achievement Award

From NACo for "Online Property Tax Appeal Management System"





Engineering and Environmental Services

- Public Technology Institute 2015
 Solutions Awards for Sustainability:
 "Charge Ahead Durham Campaign"
- Golden Post Award for Best use of Social Media for Community Engagement





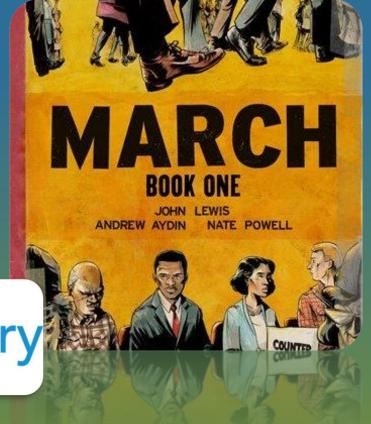
Durham County Library

American Library Association's "John Cotton Dana Public Relations Award for "Durham Reads Together" program featuring March: Book One by Congressman John Lewis

Awarded \$10,000 to our Library.



Library



Achievements and Awards Criminal Justice Resource Center

 Excellence in Innovation Award from NCACC

 Recovery Month Educational Event Award from SAMHSA







Public Health + Emergency Management : Strategic National Stock Pile





Public Health + Emergency Management

Pat Gentry and David Marsee honored for leadership and collaborative work





Achievements and Awards Durham County Office of the Sheriff

Receives grant funding from Office of Justice programs to upgrade bomb response robot









Durham County Sheriff's Office

Hired:
New Public Information
Officer





Nutrition Information and Health

GlaxoSmithKline 2015
Child Health Recognition –
Public Health State Recognition
awarded to **Kelly Warnock** for
outstanding leadership and
work





Durham County Cooperative Extension

- Leadership & Service Award : Delphine Sellars
- New Position: District

President: Deborah McGiffin





Delphine Sellars



Deborah McGiffin



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My Brother's Keeper Durham

DURHAM, NORTH CAROLINA









My Brother's Keeper Durham's four committees guided by eight co-chairs





MBK Durham Action Plan



MBK: Cities United Annual Convening

County representatives discussed technical assistance needed for MBK Durham and connected with other MBK Communities





MBK: Gathering of Leader Conference

Participants from
MBK Durham
participated in the
Gathering of
Leaders Conference
in New Orleans



MBK Durham: Publicizing Policy Goals

Health Committee Cochair, Dr. Wizdom **Powell and** community partners **DeWarren Langley** and Justin Reid spoke about policy goals on our regular TV Show, "In Touch With **Durham County**"





MBK Durham: "Rise" A Documentary

November 3, 2015, 80 community members came together to view the Documentary: "Rise" The Promise of My Brother's Keeper"





Who: The community of Durham, NC What: To watch the national documentary, "Rise": The Promise of My Brother's Keeper" Where: Tuesday, November 3 2015 at

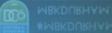
6:30pm Where: Commissioners Chambers 200 East Main Street, 2nd Floor

Durham, NC 27701

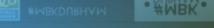


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MBK Durham: "Rise" A Documentary

Engaging discussion was conducted, focusing on how Durham might replicate or create similar programs to help its young men





#MBKDURHAM: Community Update Event





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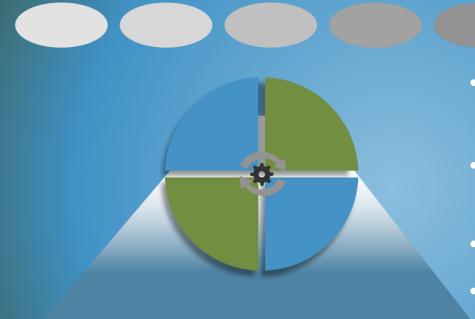
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- Learning, Evaluation and Accountability
- Strategic and Operational Planning
- Managing Service Delivery
- Budgeting for Results

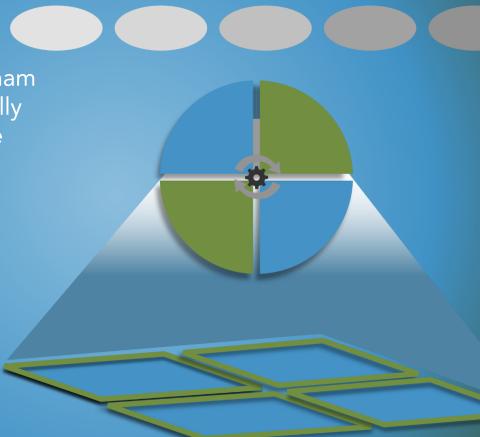


- Developed performance measures
- Developing the work needed to join the initial group

A review of the Durham County Budget document each year going forward will show evolution of this critical work.

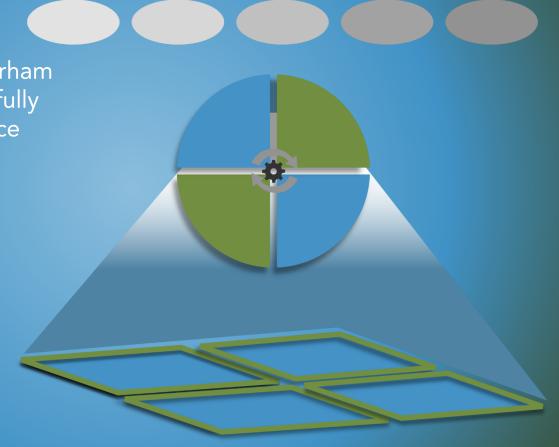


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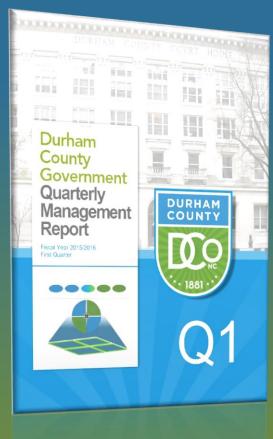




Quarterly Management Reports

Quarterly Management Reports are being provided to the community via our website.

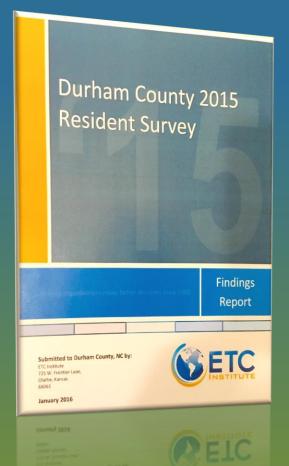
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Managing for Results: First Resident Survey

DCo worked with the City to craft questions to help us assess citizen satisfaction with service delivery and to help establish a baseline for future surveys





Managing for Results: DURHAM

Residents Have a Positive Perception of the County

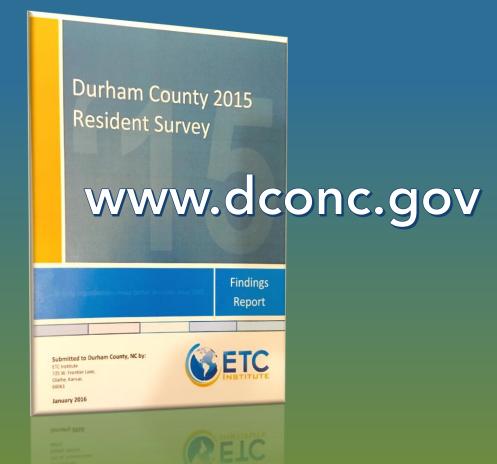
- 80% rated the County as an excellent or good place to live and work, compared to 7% or less rating it as below average or poor
- 82% are satisfied with the overall quality of life in their neighborhood, compared to only 7% who are dissatisfied

The County rated 14% above the Grage of the large communities overal quality of services provided by the County



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Managing for Results: First Resident Survey





DURHAM COUNTY



Economic Development

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Key Economic Development Contracts

Research Triangle Foundation - Park Center Phase 1	\$20 million dollars
Wexford Science and Technology	\$1.2 million dollars
Longfellow – Durham Innovation District	\$2.5 million dollars
Fidelity Investments	\$150 thousand dollars
Premier Research International	\$26 thousand dollars
Harris Beverage	\$1.3 million dollars





Economic Development: A New Record DURHAM

Our City-Count Inspection Department set a report in 2015 for the number of permits issued by any one trade including

- Building
- Electrical
- Plumbing
- Mechanical
- Fire



The electrical division surpassed the 10,000 permit threshold



Economic Development: Construction

- Wallace Wade Stadium renovation project
- Bayer Crop Science Greenhouse project
- Duke's Cameron
 Addition and Parking
 Garage
- Liberty Warehouse project











Economic Development

County Inspections Department

Inspections Plays key role in opening of new hotels in Durham County:

- 21C Museum Hotel
- The Durham Hotel
- Aloft Hotel
- Residence Inn by Marriott





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Financial Strength

Triple AAA Bond Rating Reaffirmed







Durham County continues to be financially well managed and maintains a **Triple AAA** rating, tremendously beneficial to Durham County's tax payers.



Managing for Results DCo Tax Department

2015 Tax Reappraisal Process

- Parcels reviewed and assessed
- Notice of changes of value sent to 100,000 property owners last Fall.

DCo Tax Department is geared up to respond to appeals and help Durham citizens pay owed taxes.





Economic Development

DCo Tax Department

Durham County is among the top tier of counties in North Carolina in terms of collections with a current year collection rate of 99.60%

	2014	2015
Wake	99.34	99.76
Buncombe	99.42	99.70
Durham	99.34	99.60
Mecklenburg	99.31	99.51
Union	98.71	99.25
Cumberland	98.50	99.15
Guilford	98.83	98.99
Forsyth	98.43	98.89
New Hanover	98.61	98.72
Gaston		98.56









The Graying of America





Whitted School Groundbreaking Event







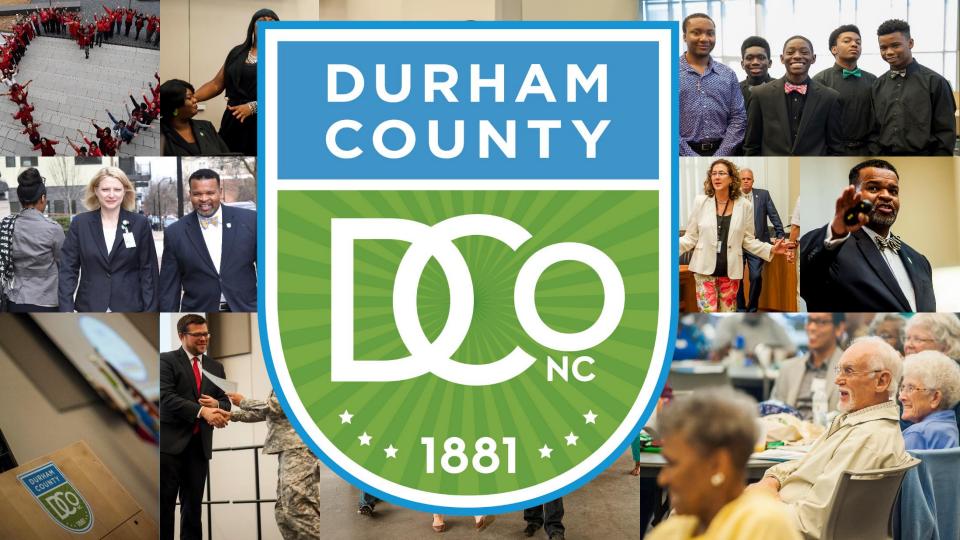
A population that does not take care of the elderly and of children and the young has no future because it abuses both it's memory and it's promise.

- Pope Francis



When it Comes to Community...





Thank You!

State of the County Address

Durham County Government









Live. Grow. Thrive.