

## Board Bulletin for July 1, 2024



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## Clerk's Office Encourages Residents to Serve on the Board of Equalization and Review (BER) and Groundwater Advisory Board

The Board of Equalization and Review (BER) is tasked with hearing appeals submitted by taxpayers regarding the valuation of their individual properties. BER members review current assessments made by the Assessor's Office and provide proper adjudication of those assessments through the Appeals process.

Members of the County's Groundwater Advisory Board review and recommend to the Board of Commissioners' groundwater management policies, policy changes, long-range plans, and their budgetary and rate impacts. In addition, members hear appeals and reach decisions on denials, modifications, revocations, or issuance of well permits and notices of violations.

Individuals interested in serving are asked to [submit an application online](#) or contact the County Clerk's Office, at 980-314-2939, or [Clerk@MeckNC.gov](mailto:Clerk@MeckNC.gov). Applicants must reside in Mecklenburg County to qualify for an appointment.

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## Mecklenburg County Programs Receive National Honor

Mecklenburg County has been recognized with ten [2024 Achievement Awards](#) from the [National Association of Counties \(NACo\)](#). The awards honor innovative, effective county government programs that strengthen services for residents. County programs received awards in the following categories:

- Community and Economic Development for [MeckPathways Internship Program](#)
- County Administration and Management for Employee Relations Bootcamp -- Do this, Not That and [Mecklenburg County Tax Rate Portal](#)
- County Resiliency: Infrastructure, Energy, and Sustainability for [Foam Recycling in Mecklenburg County](#)
- Human Services for [GIS Address Assignment Request System: Mapping a Better Way](#) and [Mapping a Better Way to Improving Air Quality with GIS Technology](#)
- Information Technology for [HHS Shelter Plus care case management system](#) and [Improving Resident Engagement through a Newly Redesigned Website and Platform Migration \(MeckNC.gov\)](#)
- Volunteers for [Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services Annual Creek Week Celebration](#) and [Creek ReLeaf-2023](#).

Each year, NACo's Achievement Awards recognize outstanding programming in 18 categories aligned with the vast, comprehensive services counties provide. The categories include children and youth, criminal justice and public safety, libraries, management, information technology, health, civic engagement and more.

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## Park and Recreation Department Offers Free Fans to Seniors

Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation is helping local seniors and adults who receive disability income stay cool this summer by offering free box fans. Mecklenburg County residents 60 years and older and adults ages 18 to 59 who receive disability income can register to pick up a fan. Interested qualifying residents can register [online](#) or by calling one of the eight pickup locations. A limited supply of fans will be available for at the following locations:

- Albemarle Road Recreation Center, [5027 Idlewild Road North in Charlotte](#), 980-314-1101
- David B. Waymer Recreation Center, [14008 Holbrooks Road in Huntersville](#), 980-314-1127
- Eastway Regional Recreation Center, [3150 Eastway Park Drive in Charlotte](#), 980-314-3772
- Northern Regional Recreation Center, [18121 Old Statesville Road in Cornelius](#), 980-314-6772
- Southview Recreation Center, [1720 Vilma St. in Charlotte](#), 980-314-1105
- Sugaw Creek Recreation Center, [943 W. Sugaw Creek Road in Charlotte](#), 980-314-1124
- Tyvola Senior Center, [2225 Tyvola Road in Charlotte](#), 980-314-1320
- West Charlotte Recreation Center, [2401 Kendall Drive in Charlotte](#), 980-314-1120

Walk-up requests will not be accepted. Fans are limited to one per person and a State issued ID is required to verify eligibility at pick-up. Fans are provided through a grant from Duke Energy Carolinas.

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## CALENDAR REMINDERS

- **Tuesday, July 2**, [BOCC Regular Meeting](#), 6 – 9 p.m.
- **Friday, July 12 – Monday July 15**, [NACo Conference](#).

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