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NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

FILE NO.: 25CVD000895-340

Ebony Williamston,

Plaintiff,

v.

Rodriquez Daniel Davis,

Defendant.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

To Rodriquez Daniel Davis, Defendant:

Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief sought is for absolute divorce and determination of child custody.

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than forty (40) days from the date of the first publication of this Notice, and upon your failure to do so, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief sought in the Complaint.

This Notice is given pursuant to an Order Allowing Service by Publication entered by the Court.

This the 29th day of January, 2026.

Ebony Williamston

Plaintiff

Pub. Dates: 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

NOTICE OF FRANKLIN COUNTY POLLING PLACE BUFFER ZONES

MARCH 03, 2026

PRIMARY ELECTION

The following is a description of the buffer zone concerning Early Voting and Election Day electioneering. Buffer zones are designated by NCGS 163-166.4, Franklin County Board of Elections, shall, where practical, set the limit at 50 feet from the door of entrance to the voting place, measured when that door is closed, but in no event shall it set the limit at more than 50 feet or at less than 25 feet.

The poll workers will mark the buffer zones during the Early Voting period and on Election Day with signs, orange tape or orange cones.

Randall Thomas

Chairperson

Pub. Dates: 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

The Bunn Planning and Zoning Board will hold a meeting on Monday, February 16, 2026, at 6:00 pm in the Bunn Utility Building Conference Room located at 114 Montgomery Street to discuss the following items:

1) A rezoning request by Donnie Poe to rezone a .1333acre lot, further identified as Parcel ID: 001457 from Medium-Density Residential [R-2] to Highway Commercial [C-3].

2) An amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding Satellite Parking.

After completion of review and discussion regarding the rezoning request and the proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance, the Planning Board will determine if the rezoning and amendment is consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plan and will consider a motion to recommend approval or denial of each item. The written recommendation of the planning board will be submitted to the Town Board prior to the public hearing of the Town Board.

Citizens wishing to be heard on this matter may do so at the above-mentioned time and place.

Laura Hight

Town Clerk

Town of Bunn

Pub. Dates: 2/5, 2/12, 2026

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The following public hearings will be included on the agenda of the February 17, 2026 Board of Commissioners meeting. The Board of Commissioners will meet at Town Hall located at 101 North Main Street, Franklinton, NC 27525 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter to hold a public hearing on the following items:

1. Consideration of a Rezoning Petition for 16 South Hillsborough Street (Parcel ID 007884) from the Residential Single Family Medium Zoning District (RSM) to the Multi Use Zoning District (MUD). If there are any questions, please contact Lauren Chandler at the Town Hall at 919-494-2520 or lchandler@franklintonnc.gov

Pub. Dates: 2/5, 2/12, 2026

REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST

THE TOWN OF LOUISBURG SEEKS ENGINEERING FIRMS FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES

This RFLOI is to solicit responses (LETTERS OF INTEREST, or LOIs) from qualified firms to provide professional consulting services to:

Provide the design for construction of approximately 2100 linear feet of sidewalk from Bunn Road to Bickett Boulevard on both sides of Bunn Road and include the design to eliminate on-street parking on Bunn Road and decrease the number of lanes of travel from four to three (Two-lane travel and center turn-lane). The project will include curb and gutter and a signalized pedestrian crossing at Bunn Road and Bickett Boulevard terminus'. The project will include right of way negotiations and acquisitions, and utility coordination

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and relocation design. The consultant will complete all surveying, planning and design required to submit a complete set of Plans, Specifications and Estimate (PS&E) package.

SCOPE OF WORK

The Town of Louisburg is soliciting proposals for the services of a firm/team for the following contract scope of work:

• Existing condition survey and documentation

• Utility evaluation

• Preliminary design plans

• Submission of preliminary design plans, drainage evaluation, engineers estimate and other pertinent data as required by NCDOT for review and approval.

• Final Design – submission of final design plans, contract documentation and specifications for bidding, and engineer's estimate.

• Permitting – coordination with NCDOT, NCDEQ (if required), etc...

• Preparation of permanent and temporary construction easements, including preparation of plats/maps and legal descriptions to assist with recording documents.

• Right of Way negotiations and acquisition

• Bid document development and bid services

• Utility coordination

Technical services and engineering design for the preparation of construction plans and documents associated with the installation of pedestrian improvements that include sidewalk, curb and gutter (if necessary), crosswalk striping, and traffic lane improvements. Services will include the following project elements:

PROPOSED CONTRACT TIME: The Planning, Engineering & Design is anticipated to be complete within 12 months of award in order for the project to be let in the second quarter of 2026.

PROPOSED CONTRACT PAYMENT TYPE: Lump Sum

SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

All LOIs are limited to fifteen (15) pages (RS-2 forms are not included in the page count) inclusive of the cover sheet, and shall be typed on 8-1/2" x 11" sheets, single-spaced, one-sided.

Fold out pages are not allowed. In order to reduce costs and to facilitate recycling; binders, dividers, tabs, etc. are prohibited. One staple in the upper left-hand corner is preferred.

LOIs containing more fifteen (15) pages will not be considered.

Three (3) total copies of the LOI should be submitted. One (1) electronic copy of the LOI in PDF form shall accompany all submittals.

Firms submitting LOIs are encouraged to carefully check them for conformance to the requirements stated above. If LOIs do not meet ALL of these requirements they will be disqualified. No exception will be granted.

SUBMISSION ORGANIZATION AND INFORMATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Cover Letter

2. Introduction

a. The introduction should demonstrate the consultant's overall qualifications to fulfill the requirements of the scope of work.

3. Team Qualifications

a. This portion should elaborate on the general information presented in the introduction, to establish the credentials and experience of the consultant to undertake this type of effort.

4. Team Experience

a. This portion must provide the names, classifications, and location of the firm's North Carolina employees and resources to be assigned to the advertised work; and the professional credentials and experience of the persons assigned to the project along with any unique qualifications of key personnel. Specifically, the Department is interested in the experience, expertise, and the total quality of the consultant's proposed team. If principals of the firm will not be actively involved in the study/contract/project, do not list them.

5. Technical Approach

a. The consultant shall provide information on its understanding of, and approach to accomplish this project, including their envisioned scope for the work and any innovative ideas/approaches, and a schedule to achieve the dates outlined in this RFLOI.

6. Appendices

SELECTION PROCESS

Following is a general description of the selection process:

• The LGA's Selection Committee will review all qualifying LOI submittals.

• For Limited Services Contracts (On-Call type contracts), the LGA's Selection Committee MAY, at the LGA's discretion, choose any number of firms to provide the services being solicited.

• For Project-Specific Contracts (non On-Call type contracts), the LGA's Selection Committee MAY, at the LGA's discretion, shortlist a minimum of three (3) firms to be interviewed. IF APPLICABLE, dates of shortlisting and dates for interviews are shown in the section SUBMISSION SCHEDULE AND KEY DATES at the end of this RFLOI.

• In order to be considered for selection, consultants must submit a complete response to this RFLOI prior to the specified deadlines. Failure to submit all information in a timely manner will result in disqualification.

Submit your proposal in electronic format to Terry Satterwhite, Louisburg Planning Administrator, at tsatterwhite@townoflouisburg.org no later than March 6, 2026 at 5:00 PM.

This is NOT the RFLOI in its entirety, please visit the Town of Louisburg website. Click the "Government," tab then select the "Bids and Contracts," tab for full document.

The Town of Louisburg is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Minority-Owned businesses are encouraged to apply.

Pub. Dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 2026

Estate Notices

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 25E000544-340

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Timothy Lemon deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 5th day of February 2026.

Lekenna Hicks

Executor

305 Forest Bridge Rd

Youngsville, NC 27596

Pub. dates: 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 2026

NOTICE

All persons, firms or corporations having claims against Cleo Elizabeth Hamrick, deceased, of Franklin County, North Carolina, are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned on or before May 5, 2026, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment.

This the 5th day of February, 2026.

Delbert William Hamrick, Co-Executor

Susan E. Kahler,

Co-Executor

c/o R. Keith Shackelford

Warren, Shackelford

& Thomas P.L.L.C.

343 S. White Street

Post Office Box 1187

Wake Forest, NC 27587-1187

(919) 556-3134

Pub. Dates: 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 2026

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against Frank James Wendrock, deceased, of Franklin County, N.C., are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned on or before May 1, 2026 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment.

This 29th day of January, 2026.

Jonathan Wendrock,

Administrator

5313 Fortunes Ridge Drive

Durham, NC 27713

Publication dates: January 29, 2026, February 5, 2026, February 12, 2026 and February 19, 2026

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Robert James Lenihan

Franklin County, North Carolina

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Robert James Lenihan, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms, and corporations having claims against the Estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before Tuesday, April 21, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 21st day of January 2025.

Bobby Mike Lenihan

Administrator of the Estate of

Robert James Lenihan

Mailing Address

P.O. Box 33

Hubert, North Carolina 28539

Estate File No.: 25E000027-340 Clerk of Superior Court

Franklin County, North Carolina

Pub. dates: 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Executor of the Estate of Alice W. Overton, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, the undersigned Executor does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the Estate of said decedent to present such claims to Cassandra M. Brooks at 952 Allegro Lane, Apollo Beach, FL 33572 on or before the 8th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the said Estate will please make immediate payment to the Estate.

This, the 5th day of February, 2026.

Cassandra M. Brooks

952 Allegro Lane

Apollo Beach, FL 33572

C. Terrell Thomas, Jr.

Kirk, Kirk, Howell,

Cutler & Thomas

Post Office Box 729

Wendell, NC 27591

Attorney for the Estate

(919) 365-6000

Dates of Publication: February 5, 2026, February 12, 2026, February 19, 2026, February 26, 2026

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000022-340

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Kenneth Mason, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 22nd day of January 2026.

Jacob Durand Mason

Executor

135 Willowcresd Dr

Louisburg, NC 27549

Pub. dates: 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000018-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Peggy Beaver Gilliam, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 22nd day of January 2026.

Betty Arnold

Co-Executor

1646 Pocomoke Rd.

Franklinton, NC 27525

Tommy Harris

Co-Executor

600 Pine Valley Dr.

Creedmoor, NC 27522

Danny Ball

Co-Executor

137 Clark Court

Youngsville, NC 27596

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000023-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Anthony F Carroll, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 22nd day of January 2026.

Andrew L Carroll

Administrator

225 Jason Way

Youngsville, NC 27596

Pub. dates: 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 25E000525-340

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Jerry Wayne Bunn, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 22nd day of January 2026.

Donna Green Bunn

Executor

4163 Old US Hwy 64 E

Zebulon, NC 27597

Pub. dates: 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000047-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of James Hugh Daniels, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of February 2026.

Dedric Watson

Administrator

836 Stackhurst Way

Wake Forest, NC 27587

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

FROM: Marisa B. Sears, Administratrix

C/O B. N. Williamson, III, Attorney

Jolly, Williamson & Williamson

P.O. Box 96, 106 E. Nash Street

Louisburg, NC 27549

PUB. DATES: February 12, 2026, February 19, 2026, February 26, 2026, March 5, 2026

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The personal representative of the Estate of Patricia Hight Copley, late of 214 76th Street, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451, owning real property located in Franklin County, North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporation having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned at McDowell Law Group, 6445 N Croatan Highway, Unit A, Kitty Hawk, North Carolina 27949, on or before the 29th day of April, 2026 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 29th day of January, 2026.

Amanda C. Wade,

Personal Representative

For the Estate of

Patricia Hight Copley

c/o Letha Sgritta McDowell

The McDowell Law Group, PLLC.

6445 N Croatan Highway, Unit A

Kitty Hawk, North Carolina 27949

Pub. dates: January 29, 2026, February 5, 2026, February 12, 2026, and February 19, 2026.

NOTICE

All persons, firms or corporations having claims against Rose Marie Dennis Read, deceased, of Franklin County, North Carolina, file 26E000021-340, are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned on or before April 30, 2026, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment.

This the 29th day of January, 2026.

Susan Elizabeth Read,

Executor

c/o John K. Cook, Attorney

The Law Offices

of John K. Cook, P.A.

Post Office Box 226

Wake Forest, NC 27588

(919) 556-4899

Pub. Dates: 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2026

Estate Notices

CO-EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000013-340

Having qualified as Co-Executor of the estate of Leslie K Joyner, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of February 2026.

Betty Arnold

Co-Executor

1646 Pocomoke Rd.

Franklinton, NC 27525

Tommy Harris

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600 Pine Valley Dr.

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Danny Ball

Co-Executor

137 Clark Court

Youngsville, NC 27596

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000039-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Robert St. John Holden, Sr., deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of February 2026.

Robert St. John Holden, Jr.

Administrator

3703 Landshire View Ln.

Raleigh, NC 27616

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 25E000537-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Michael Patrick O'Rourke deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 29th day of January 2026.

Wendy O'Rourke

Administrator

128 Main St.

Chichester, NH 03258

Pub. dates: 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2026

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000008-340

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Jane Fields Fadum, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of February 2026.

John McKinley Kirby II

Executor

4801 Glenwood Ave., Suite 200

Raleigh, NC 27612

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S CTA NOTICE

File No. 26E000045-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Susan S. Carter, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 12th day of February 2026.

Ruth Ann Savage

Administrator CTA

30 Willow Ct.

Asheville, NC 28805

Pub. dates: 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 3/5, 2026

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000011-340

Having qualified as Executor of the estate of Haywood C Allen, deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 22nd day of January 2026.

Kia Ra'Chonne Earp

Executor

6422 Coda Ct

Raleigh, NC 27616

Pub. dates: 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2026

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

File No. 26E000035-340

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Charles Taylor Adcock, Jr. deceased, late of Franklin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of May, 2026, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 5th day of February 2026.

Rodney Adcock

Administrator

526 Peach Orchard Rd

Louisburg, NC 27549

Pub. dates: 2/5, 2/12, 2/19, 2/26, 2026