



CONSOLIDATED HUMAN SERVICES BOARD MEETING

Monday, August 4th, 2025

224 Seminary Street

Kenansville, N.C. 28349

The Consolidated Human Services Board met at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, August 4th, 2025 in the Commissioners Room located at 224 Seminary Street, Kenansville, N.C.

Present: Commissioners: Chairman Dexter B. Edwards; Vice Chairman Elwood Garner; Jesse L. Dowe, III; Wayne Branch; and Justin Edwards.

Also Present: Bryan Miller, County Manager; Carrie Shields, Deputy County Manager; Tim Wilson, County Attorney; Chelsey Lanier, Finance Officer; Jasmine Savage, Administrative Specialist and Jaime W. Carr, Clerk to the Board.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Edwards.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation was given by Commissioner Branch. Commissioner Branch then led those in attendance in the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Approval of the Meeting Agenda

Chairman Edwards asked if the members of the Board approved the proposed meeting agenda, and if any Board Member, County Manager, or Clerk to the Board wished to make any changes or additions to the agenda. No changes/additions made.

Motion was made by Commissioner Branch, seconded by Commissioner Garner, carried unanimously, to approve the meeting agenda as amended

Approval of Minutes

Motion was made by Commissioner Garner, seconded by Commissioner Branch, carried unanimously, to approve the minutes of the July 14th, 2025 Consolidated Human Services Board meeting as presented.

Regular Meeting Agenda

Public Comments

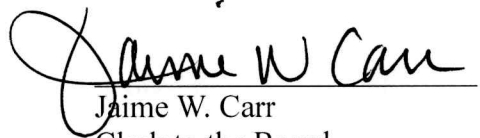
No public comments.

End Public Comments

Annie Murrell, Department of Social Services Director, provided an overview of the recent federal Medicaid and SNAP changes in North Carolina resulting from the reconciliation bill passed by the General Assembly.

Dr. Tracey Simmons-Kornegay, Health Director, presented to the Board an Epidemiology report; an Accreditation Update; FY 2024-2025 Health Department Budget Update; and a personnel report. Ms. Simmons-Kornegay announced that there would be a back-to-school immunization and resource event on Thursday, August 14th, from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm at the Health Department. Additionally, Health Educators are collaborating with the community for several upcoming events: on August 8th in Wallace, on August 9th at the Events Center in partnership with Partnership for Children, and on August 16 in Beulaville for a back-to-school event.

Motion was made by Commissioner Branch, seconded by Commissioner J. Edwards, carried unanimously, to adjourn until Tuesday, September 2nd, 2025 at 5:30 p.m. for a Consolidated Human Services Board Meeting at the Administrative Building, located at 224 Seminary Street in Kenansville, N.C.


Jaime W. Carr
Clerk to the Board