
GOVERNMENT



Duplin County's budget for
Fiscal Year 2011-2012 is approximately
\$ 48.9 million.

Duplin County is governed by a board of six county commissioners. The Commissioners are elected by district to four-year terms. The county manager is the Chief Administrative Officer and also serves as Clerk to the Board of Commissioners. The Commissioners empower various departments, boards and commissions with authority to administer County policies and programs. Major responsibilities of the Board include:

- Adoption of an annual budget
- Establishment of the property tax rate
- Appointment of county officials, board, and commission members
- Enactment of ordinances
- Establishment of policies and procedures for operation of programs

**Boards and Committees appointed in part
or in full by the Duplin County Board of Commissioners**

<p>Adult Day Care Advisory Committee Airport Commission Albertson Water and Sewer Advisory Board Animal Advisory Board Beulaville Planning Board Board of Education Members Board of Elections Board of Health Calypso Board of Adjustments CDBG Project Committee Cowan Museum Committee Criminal Justice Partnership Program Committee Duplin County Adult Care Home Community Advisory Committee Duplin County Audit/Investment Committee Duplin County Eco. Development Authority Duplin County Economic Development Commission Duplin County Home & Community Care Block Grant & Aging Advisory Committee Duplin County Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Duplin County Planning Board Duplin General Hospital, Inc., Board of Trustees Eastern Carolina Council Board of Directors Eastern Carolina Regional Housing Authority Eastern North Carolina Workforce Development Board Events Center Advisory Committee Faison Board of Adjustments Faison Planning Board</p>	<p>Industrial Bond Authority James Sprunt Community College Board of Trustees Jury Selection Committee Juvenile Crime Prevention Council Liberty Hall Restoration Committee Library Board of Trustees Local Emergency Planning Committee Lower Cape Fear River Program Magnolia Board of Adjustments Magnolia Planning Board Mental Health Board Mount Olive Board of Adjustments Mount Olive Planning Board Neuse River Development Authority, Inc Neuse River Emergency Medical Services North Carolina East, Inc. Board Nursing Home Community Advisory Committee Railroad Alliance Regional Aging Advisory Committee Region P Human Development Agency Board of Directors Rose Hill Board of Adjustments Rose Hill Planning Board Social Services Board United Transit Systems, Inc. Advisory Board Vision 21 Board Wallace Planning Board Warsaw Planning Board Watershed Improvement Commission</p>
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Source: Duplin County Manager's Office May 2009

**Duplin County
Board of Commissioners**

<u>DISTRICT</u>	<u>COMMISSIONER</u>
District I	Frances S. Parks P.O. Box 183 Calypso, NC 28325 919-658-9230
District II	Tim Smith 429 Cabin Street Pink Hill, NC 28572 910-298-2122
District III	Harold Raynor 475 Edmund Brinson Road Beulaville, NC 28518 910-298-3657
District IV	Kennedy Thompson 104 Candlewood Drive Wallace, NC 28466 910-293-3124
District V	Zettie Williams 770 NC 903 S Magnolia, NC 28453 910-296-0492
District VI	Jessie Hand Ladson 209 Bartlett Road Warsaw, NC 28398 910-293-9385

Source: Duplin County Managers' Office 2011

Duplin County Administrative Departments

Airport

260 Airport Road
(910) 296-2188

Animal Control/Dog Warden

117 Middleton Cemetery Ln.
(910) 296-2159

Attorney

423 N. Main Street
(910) 296-2233

Board of Elections

160 Mallard Street
(910) 296-2170

Building Inspections

121 Middleton Cemetery Ln.
(910) 296-2124

Cabin Lake Park

220 Cabin Lake Rd. (Hwy 111)
(910) 298-3648

Communications -Addressing

211 Duplin Street
(910) 296-2169

Cooperative Ext. Service

165 Agriculture Drive
(910) 296-2143

County Manager's Office

224 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2100

Cowan Museum

411 S. Main Street
(910) 296-2149

Economic Development

260 Airport Road
(910) 296-2180

Emergency Services

209 Seminary Street
(910) 296-6218

Environmental Health

121 Middleton Cemetery Ln.
(910) 296-2126

Events Center

195 Fairgrounds Drive
(910)275-0008 or 0009

Finance Office/Purchasing

224 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2104

Health Department

340 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2130

Housekeeping Department

112 Duplin Street
(910) 296-2115

Library (Dorothy Wightman)

107 Bowden Drive
(910) 296-2117

Liberty Hall

409 S. Main Street
(910) 296-2175

MIS (Computer Information)

224 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2104

NRCS (Soil & Water)

165 Agriculture Drive
(910) 296-2120

Personnel

224 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2174

Planning Department

224 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2102

Register of Deeds

118 Duplin Street
(910) 296-2108

Services to the Aged

213 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2140

Sheriff's Department

112 West Hill Street
(910) 296-2150

Social Services

423 N. Main Street
(910) 296-2200

Solid Waste/Landfill

376 Landfill Road-Rose Hill
(910) 289-3091

Tax Administration & Collection

118 Duplin Street
(910) 296-2110 & 2112

Tourism

114 E. Hill Street
(910) 296-2181

Transportation

213 Seminary Street
(910) 296-2333

Veterans Services

160 Mallard Street
(910) 296-2114

Water

119 Middleton Cemetery Ln
(910) 296-2123

Tax Rates

As of July 1, 2011, Duplin County has a real and personal property tax rate of \$.7100. Tax rates are expressed per \$100 valuation based on 100% of assessed value. This same tax rate applies to motor vehicles in Duplin County. All property tax rates in Duplin County apply to real property and tangible personal property. There is a North Carolina sales tax of 7.00%.

**Property Tax Rates by County
2004/2005 through 2011/2012**

<u>County</u>	<u>2004-2005</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>	<u>2007-2008</u>	<u>2008-2009</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>	<u>2010-2011</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
DUPLIN	\$0.7700	\$0.7700	\$0.8050	\$0.7900	\$.7900	\$.6900	\$.6900	\$.7100
JONES	\$0.7700	\$0.7900	\$0.6600	\$0.6800	\$.7000	\$.7000	\$.7000	\$.7400
LENOIR	\$0.7750	\$0.7900	\$0.8400	\$0.8400	\$.8400	\$.8000	\$.8000	\$.8000
ONSLOW	\$0.6700	\$0.6700	\$0.5030	\$0.5030	\$.5030	\$.5900	\$.5850	\$.5850
PENDER	\$0.5900	\$0.6500	\$0.6500	\$0.6500	\$.6500	\$.6500	\$.6500	\$.5120
SAMPSON	\$0.6750	\$0.7700	\$0.8100	\$0.8100	\$.8450	\$.8450	\$.8450	\$.7850
WAYNE	\$0.6600	\$0.7350	\$0.7350	\$0.7640	\$.7640	\$.7640	\$.7640	\$.7025

Note: Tax Rates are expressed per \$100 valuation based on 100% of assessed value

Source: NC Association of County Commissioners
www.ncacc.org

Duplin County Municipal Property Tax Rates

<u>Municipality</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>
Beulaville	\$0.49	\$0.49	\$0.49	\$0.51	\$0.44	\$0.51	\$0.44	\$0.44
Calypso	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.47
Faison	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53	\$0.53
Greenevers	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.30	\$0.30
Kenansville	\$0.4950	\$0.4950	\$0.4950	\$0.4950	\$0.4950	\$0.3950	\$0.3950	\$0.39
Magnolia	\$0.62	\$0.62	\$0.65	\$0.65	\$0.65	\$0.65	\$0.65	\$0.65
Rose Hill	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.6650	\$0.64	\$0.64
Teachey	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45
Wallace	\$0.66	\$0.66	\$0.66	\$0.66	\$0.66	\$0.56	\$0.56	\$0.56
Warsaw	\$0.59	\$0.59	\$0.59	\$0.59	\$0.59	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55

Source: Duplin County Tax Office

Incentives

Duplin County offers financial incentives such as reasonable priced land, free water and sewer extensions, Industrial Revenue Bond financing, local revolving loan program fund, community college training and other types of financial assistance. For further information regarding incentives, please contact the Duplin County Economic Development Commission.

The NC Legislature in 1996 created five “economic tiers” when it enacted the “William S. Lee Quality Jobs and Business Expansion Act,” which expands tax credits for job creation to all 100 counties and creates tax credits for investments in machinery and equipment, worker training, research and development and business property. Duplin County is ranked as a Tier 2 county, which means companies locating or expanding in our county, are eligible for a tax credit of \$4,000 per new job created and a 7 percent investment tax credit for machinery and equipment investments of over \$100,000.

In addition, counties in Tier 1, 2, and 3 are eligible to receive financial assistance through the State’s Industrial Development Fund. The fund provides both new and existing firms, eligible for tax credits under the Lee Act, \$5,000 for each new job created, up to \$500,000. Funds must be used to renovate existing buildings, to purchase production equipment or to provide infrastructure to new or old sites.

Source: www.commerce.state.nc.us