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Post Meeting Brief

At the November 20th, 2023 Board of Commissioners' meeting, employee recognition, and budget amendments along with essential operational needs were addressed by the Board. The Post Meeting Brief will be published on the County's website, Facebook page and it will be shared with our Sunshine List, media and County staff.

Highlights from the November 20th, 2023 Commissioners' Meeting:

- As a part of the Consent Agenda, the Board approved the November 6th, 2023 Meeting Minutes.
- Resolutions were unanimously approved Honoring Retired Educators: Mr. Tommy and Carolyn B. Mitchell, Ms. Emma Peoples, Winton Baptist Church, and Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church.
 - Mr. Tommy Mitchell and Mrs. Carolyn B. Mitchell demonstrated a long-standing commitment to public service, particularly in the area of public education. They have both made valuable contributions to students, their families and citizens of Hertford County surrounding communities and beyond.
 - Ms. Emma Parker Peoples was the first African American to enroll in Chowan College, Murfreesboro, NC, in 1967. Her teaching career commenced in 1973 at Riverview Elementary School, and she remained a teacher there until her retirement in 2007. Ms. Peoples was recognized her outstanding contributions to education, her care for her students, and her record of community service to prepare students for success.
 - Winton Baptist Church was established in 1873. The church has made beneficial contributions to citizens of Hertford and surrounding communities through the years providing ministry opportunities and security for families and citizens of Hertford County.
 - Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church has provided servant leadership and support to Hertford County citizens since 1866. One of the early pastors was Dr. Calvin S. Brown, and during his tenure as Pastor, the Chowan Education Association was organized in 1886 and incorporated in 1899. Under the leadership of its 17th Pastor, Reverend Milton B. Stanley, the Mount Moriah Missionary Baptist Church membership remains committed to bridging cultural gaps, supporting local associations and the citizens of Hertford County and beyond.
- Department of Social Services Director, Brenda Brown, updated the Board about Medicaid Expansion, which will start on December 1. With Medicaid Expansion, More North

Carolina residents are able get health care coverage through Medicaid. NC Medicaid will cover people aged 19 through 64 years with higher incomes. Many North Carolinians who did not qualify for health coverage through Medicaid before may now qualify.





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