

UNION COUNTY HOME AND COMMUNITY CARE BLOCK GRANT
ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Authority to Establish: Chapter 241 of the North Carolina General Assembly Session Laws

Purpose: To plan for the aging service system by allocating Home and Community Care Block Grant funding, identifying funding sources, determining the needs of the older adult residents in the county, identifying resources and service gaps, promoting awareness through public education, and analyzing service and demographic data.

The North Carolina Division of Aging recommends that the advisory committee membership:

- Consist of 1/3 older adults
- Include public or private providers of aging services
- Include elected county officials or leaders
- Include individuals from a broad range of aging interests and community demographics

Membership of the Advisory Committee includes two types: Agency representatives and community representatives. Community representatives serve three-year terms, and there is no limit on reappointment.

COMPENSATION: None

MEETINGS: Generally meet the third Tuesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at HealthQuest in Monroe.

The following persons currently serve on this Advisory Committee:

| | <u>Name</u> | <u>Term</u> |
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| 1. | Tracy Kuehler Commissioner Representative | December 2011 |
| 2. | Phillip Tarte Health Director | Unexpiring Term |
| 3. | Dontae Latson Social Services Director | Unexpiring Term |
| 4. | Linda Smosky Council on Aging in Union County | Unexpiring Term |
| 5. | Charles Marsh Housing Authority of Union County | Unexpiring Term |

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| 6. | Julia Mitchell Ellen Fitzgerald Senior Center | Unexpiring Term |
| 7. | Union County Parks and Recreation | Unexpiring Term |
| 8. | Annette Sullivan Union County Nutrition and Transportation Program | Unexpiring Term |
| 9. | Gayla Woody Centralina Area Agency on Aging | Unexpiring Term |
| 10. | Union County Management Designee | Unexpiring Term |
| 11. | Heather Horne (Healthquest) | Unexpiring Term |

Community Representatives:

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| Elisa Gregorich | December 2010 |
| Judith M. Russell | December 2010 |
| Kathleen Domanski | December 2011 |
| W. Beatrice Colson | December 2011 |
| Paul E. Johnson, MD | December 2012 |
| Patricia H. Kindley | December 2012 |
| Bonnie Rushing | December 2012 |
| Joan B. Kocsis | December 2012 |
| Ruth Helms | December 2013 |
| Richard Gardner | December 2013 |