



# *City of Laurinburg*

## *Employee HR Newsletter*

### *August 2016*

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### *Human Resources*

### *General Announcements*

#### Initiatives to Fight Cancer

According to the American Cancer Society (ACS), cancer is the second highest cause of death in the United States-claiming nearly 600,000 lives each year. And, every year, nearly 2 million people are diagnosed with some type of cancer. The battle with cancer can be long and can leave diagnosed individuals weakened both financially and medically. The top three most common cancers across gender and race are as follows:

1. Prostate Cancer: Every year 1 out of 7 men are diagnosed
2. Breast Cancer: Every year 1 out of 8 women are diagnosed
3. Lung Cancer: Every year 1 out of 13 men and 1 out of 16 women

*An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Early detection is the key because finding and treating cancer at an early stage can truly save lives.*

HMSA Employee Assistance Program

800-767-5320

Quote to Live By

“When something is important enough,  
you do it even if the odds are not in your favor.”

– *Elon Musk*

Welcome New Hires to the City!

Coming Soon!!!!

AUGUST 2016 BIRTHDAYS!

Levern Cole	08/09
Brent Strong	08/10
Alonzo Spruill	08/12
James Munger	08/13
Jonathon Oxendine	08/13
Charles McQuage	08/16
Michael Peele	08/16
Deangelo Esquibel	08/17
Michael Hunt	08/17
Mitchell Mishue	08/18
Barry Campbell	08/22
Bradley Strickland	08/26
Ronald Locklear	08/27
Darwin Williams	08/30

Talk of the City

Remember Talk of the City is already underway through June 30th, 2017.

Continue performing above and beyond deeds for our citizens and who knows who will be recognized for their deeds.

Names are entered in a drawing in June 2017 for a \$200 gift certificate and a \$40 luncheon!

AUGUST Years of Service

Timothy Pierce	27 Years
Phillip Redbrook	24 Years
Lisa Howell	20 Years
Douglas Whitt	16 Years
Andrew McNeill	9 Years
Joshua Byrd	9 Years
Phillip Jones	8 Years
Kevin Page	4 Years
Donald Morgan	3 Years

# NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS



## HAPPY RETIREMENT!!!!

**Ricky T. Odom**  
City of Laurinburg  
33 Years of Service  
07/31/2016



*Say goodbye to “work” and “hello” to the golf course!*

### United Way of Scotland County

### Annual Day of Caring

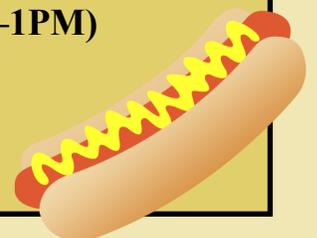
Friday, September 9, 2016



Start with breakfast at 8 a.m. at the Laurinburg Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 600 W. Church St.

Help volunteer in multiple projects with the United Way of Scotland County. If you're interested in helping out, contact [Debbie Grant at uwscotco@gmail.com](mailto:Debbie_Grant@uwscotco@gmail.com).

**HOT DOG PLATE SALE: 2 HOT DOGS, CHIPS, DESSERT, AND DRINK  
THURSDAY, AUGUST 25TH, 2016 AT PUBLIC WORKS (10AM—1PM)  
COME AND SHOW YOUR SUPPORT FOR RELAY FOR LIFE  
50/50 DRAWING FOR A CAR PORT PRIZE**





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