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# NEWSLETTER

The Monthly Newsletter of Eastern Carolina Workforce Development Board, Inc.



## Inspiring the Workforce

This edition of our monthly newsletter features articles and updates on our region for the month of March. We are excited to present new initiatives, such as the motivational campaign, while also providing coverage on current events. This past month, NCWorks Career Centers worked relentlessly to bring multiple large scale job fairs to the public. Businesses from all across our region came together to provide job seekers with opportunities and connections.

As the pandemic fades with vaccines becoming more accessible to everyone, our NCWorks Centers are poised to meet the rise in workforce needs. More and more people will be looking to rejoin the workforce or to improve their credentials and education and it is critical that we are prepared to meet the needs of our community when this happens.

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# Board of Directors and Consortium

ECWDB is governed by a twenty-eight member Board of Directors in partnership with the local elected officials. The members of the Board of Directors are:

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Dr. Norma Sermon-Boyd, Jones County

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Regional Operations Director

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Owner

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President

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Pamlico County Schools

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LLC, Director of Human Resources

Melanie Sanders, Caswell Development

Center, Human Resources Manager

## Vision

Our Vision for Eastern North Carolina is a qualified workforce with an educational attainment level that meets the needs of local firms so they can compete in today's marketplace.

## Mission

Our mission is to develop the workforce through a collaborative, customer-focused approach that facilitates partnerships between job seekers, workers, employers, and educators, aligning workforce requirements to economic needs.

## Value

We add economic value to our community by ensuring that our public workforce system is responsive in meeting the education and training needs of our job seekers and employers alike, thereby leading to a better quality of life and ensuring employers have access to the skilled workforce they need, resulting in a thriving economy.

## Key Strategies

- Certify an integrated, seamless, and customer-centered workforce development system.
- Engage business and community leaders in addressing workforce issues and promote strategies to improve education levels and essential workplace skills.
- Implement a community awareness plan that promotes education, life-long learning, and the workforce development services that are available for both job seekers and employers.
- Identify and implement effective career pathways strategies that result in employment opportunities for all citizens.
- Establish an accountability system that builds the capacity of the Eastern Carolina WDB, staff, NCWorks partners, and service providers in addressing regional workforce needs.
- Strengthen alliances with economic development to identify and address workforce needs of current and future industries.

# ECWDB Staff

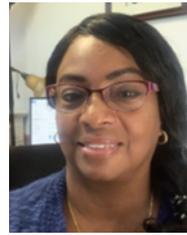
The ECWDB's role is to ensure that the local workforce development system is business-driven and responsive to meeting the employment and training needs of both job seekers and employers. The members of the ECWDB staff are:



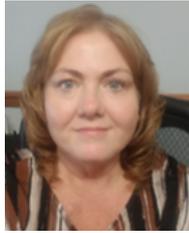
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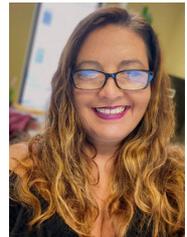
Erin Ananian-Gentile,  
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Coordinator



Phillip Prescott,  
Business Services  
Representative



David Jones,  
Public Information  
Specialist



Donna Hannig,  
Finance Director

# Youth Council

In coordination with ECWDB and our Board of Directors, the Youth Council works to support and enable the high-quality youth programs that empower today's young adults to become tomorrow's productive citizens. The Youth Council engages with the youth to understand and eliminate barriers to employment while they build their skills and earn industry recognized credentials. The members of the Youth Council are:

Anthony Cruz, Labor Representative,  
International  
Machinist & Aerospace Workers  
Union

Dr. Norma Sermon-Boyd, Jones  
County Partnership for  
Children, Executive Director

Shannon Vitak, Vocational  
Rehabilitation, Manager

Frank Emory, Chair, Emory  
Construction, Owner

Melanie Sanders,  
Caswell Development Center, Human  
Resources Manager

Dustin Walston, Lenoir Community  
College, Dean of  
Continuing Education

Angela Bates, Greene Lamp, Inc.,  
Executive Director

John Wilson, BSH Home Appliances,  
Human Resources Manager

Jerome Shepard, Carteret County,  
HR Generalist/Safety Officer

Dr. Jim Ross, Pamlico Community  
College, President

# NCWorks Hosted a Job Fair to Connect Employers with Job Seekers

On March 12th, the NCWorks Career Center in Lenoir County held a Drive-Thru Job Fair at the Lenoir Community College. These job fairs are an excellent opportunity for employers looking to fill open positions as well as individuals in need of employment. We are seeing staggering unemployment numbers throughout our region due to the pandemic, so it is more important than ever to provide opportunities for employers and job seekers to connect. To this purpose, the NCWorks Career Center in Lenoir dedicated time and effort to bring this Drive-Thru Job Fair to our community.

Samara Taft, Center Manager at NCWorks Career Center in Lenoir, coordinated with local businesses to run this event. Businesses in attendance were Blue Mountain Flavors, Sanderson Farms, Smithfield, Case Farms, and Butterball along with representatives from the Lenoir NCWorks Career Center, Lenoir Community College, and Two Hawk Workforce Services. Collectively, the businesses in attendance were seeking to fill hundreds of open positions. In speaking with these local businesses, it became clear that there are some common issues that plague the hiring process.

In today's economy, it can be difficult for employers to find qualified workers that are willing to put in the time and effort to find gainful employment. Even when offering excellent benefits and wages with opportunities for promotion, the local businesses are struggling to find employees. The pandemic has impacted the hiring process in many ways. The avenue of communication between employers and job seekers has suffered and it has become more difficult for employers to advertise their open positions.

Just as the businesses are struggling to fill open positions, active job seekers are struggling to find positions that they are qualified for in a field that they are interested in. There are many services offered by the NCWorks Career Centers and community colleges across our region that exist to help job seekers obtain competitive skills and credentials. At the job fair, the Lenoir Community College was advertising several programs that build skill development and focus on assisting job seekers with tasks like making resumes and cover letters.

“We provide these job fair opportunities for job seekers to engage directly with HR staff from the various companies that are looking for good employees. We also connect individuals with training opportunities to become gainfully employed or to advance their careers. It is all about connecting talent with employers and filling the pipeline with qualified candidates.” – Samara Taft



Our NCWorks Career Centers are frequently coordinating with local businesses to run these events. For more information on upcoming events, please visit our website [www.ecwdb.org](http://www.ecwdb.org) and social media or contact your local NCWorks Career Center.

*Source: David Jones, ECWDB*

# Introducing our Partners at Two Hawk

In last month's newsletter, we were excited to announce that we awarded Two Hawk Workforce Services (THWS) \$1.4 million to operate an On-the-Job Training program (OJT) in the counties of Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, Pamlico, and Wayne. You can find the press release for this partnership on our website or in last month's newsletter. Now, we are happy to officially introduce the new members of THWS that will be leading the OJT initiative moving forward.

The following members joined THWS in March to work on the OJT initiative:

- Dawn Kerr, Business Services Project Manager - Dawn is an Air Force Veteran and has a BA and MBA from American InterContinental University. She has experience in customer service, A/R, and executive work. She will be based in Goldsboro.
- Allison Streeter, Business Services Specialist - Allison has a BA from SUNY-Oswego and is currently working on a MSW from UNCC. She has experience in law enforcement, probation/parole, case management, and working with high-risk youth. She will be based in Kinston.
- Rae Predojevic, Business Services Specialist (Youth) - Rae has a BS from Penn State and is currently working on a MSW from LSU. She has experience in case management, elementary teaching, and crisis counseling. She will be based in Goldsboro.



# Motivational Campaign

The events of the past year have really taken a toll on the country. Unemployment rates have skyrocketed, businesses have had a hard time finding qualified employees for jobs that are vacant, and our NCWorks Career Center staff has had to stay vigilant to keep up with an ever-changing and uncertain workplace. From having to quickly pivot to virtual work and creating a space that is conducive to providing seamless services, staff members have had to adapt and overcome. In these trying times, motivation can be hard to find. With offices being closed and services being provided virtually, it was harder to connect with the individuals we serve. In an effort to get back to the root of why we do what we do, the ECWDB started a motivation campaign titled “What Do You Do?” This campaign started with a fabled story between President John F. Kennedy and a janitor at Cape Canaveral.

**“It’s a fabled story about a janitor’s exchange with President Kennedy during the early days of NASA: “What do you do?” the president supposedly asked the man with a broom during a visit to Cape Canaveral. “Well, Mr. President, I’m helping to put a man on the moon.”**

This meeting may not have actually taken place. But there’s a good reason it’s one of the most commonly-repeated management anecdotes: it illustrates the idea that a workforce motivated by a strong sense of higher purpose is essential to engagement.” (From the article: [How an Accounting Firm Convinced its Employees They Could Change the World](#))

You can watch the video from KPMG, the company that influenced our campaign, at <https://youtu.be/JZmZoURcmXI>

Each month over the next year, we will highlight staff members from all our NCWorks Career Centers who were asked to think about what they do and why they do it, their higher purpose, and create a slogan for themselves as a reminder. This campaign also helps us get to know those individuals who are working on the front lines every day.



**Al Searles - Chair**

We are all called to show the light to others in our daily lives.

In workforce development we are blessed with the opportunity to help individuals and companies live up to their potential. We understand early on that it is not about the individual, but it is about succeeding as a community. Our talented staff is prepared to “really” listen to the needs of our customers, both job seekers and those needing a talented workforce. They identify the gaps that are keeping individuals and companies from getting together and work to develop skills and tear down barriers.



We help our industry partners find creative and innovative ways to think about their talent needs and we help our individual clients hone their skills and earn credentials to be successful in matching up to the needs and in attaining their goals and dreams. When we bring our energy and our light to the needs around us we create hope, build excitement, and fulfill real needs in the people we are trusted to help. Thanks you all for what you do every day and remember to leave a little light behind in everyone you work with.

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**Jennifer Eichorn - Assistant Career Center Manager, Career Advisor (NCWorks Lenoir County)**

I help businesses build infrastructure for future generations.

I assist businesses with meeting their hiring needs during either expansions or employee turnovers. Doing so assist those in being able to invest in future expansions or investments in the area.

**Diane LeBlanc - WIOA Military Employment, Business Services Specialist (NCWorks Onslow County)**

I assist people with getting back into the workforce by helping them identify their interests and skills and partnering them with an employer who is interested in helping them experience their best self and providing training if needed.

By providing career counseling and coaching, I encourage individuals to get back into the workforce and do everything that I can to cheer them on to achieve that goal. Helping them to discover their skills, interests, and abilities, they are better prepared to step into a job that will bring a strong sense of accomplishment each day.



**Beth Miller - RESEA Supervisor, Business Lead, Career Advisor (NCWorks Career Center Craven County)**

I bring hope to those without jobs and the underemployed by partnering with them through their job search process.

Having experienced joblessness and then being underemployed for 2 years, I have a heart to come alongside those struggling through the process. I want to help them see light at the end of the tunnel and that they too can find a job that is 'home'.

**Estherose Rogers - Assistant Career Center Manager (NCWorks Career Center Wayne County)**

Wayne weaves the threads of the community to form the fabric of the World.

Interlacing staffing and technology to generate an integrated customer pool and flow.

Intertwining a team-based approach producing a seamless service delivery.

Interlocking work-ready, skilled talent to meet the current and future needs of workers and businesses to achieve and sustain economic prosperity; and to ensure members of the community are ready for the jobs of today and tomorrow.



# Women's History Month

As many of you know, March was Women's History Month. To honor this, the Student Government Association (SGA) at Carteret Community College developed a series of articles containing information on Women's History Month and interviews with women leaders on campus as well as in the community. The first article includes the interviews of Dr. Tracy Mancini, the President of Carteret Community College, and Dr. Brown, the Vice President of Carteret Community College. This article was written by Makayla Gaitan, a participant of our WIOA Youth Program, and the Public Information Officer for the SGA at Carteret Community College.

## The History of Women's History

*Provided by Carteret CC SGA*

*Written by Makayla Gaitan*

Throughout history, women have been unrecognized and unappreciated. Women's History Month is for the purpose of celebrating and honoring women and the contributions they have made, respecting and raising awareness of the struggles and inequalities, and working towards a more equitable tomorrow. Women's history is not just important to and for women, it is important for all.

Officially honoring this cause began on February 28 in 1909, the first Women's History Day in New York City, which commemorated the one-year anniversary of the garment's workers strike. In 1978, Women's History Day began being celebrated as Women's History Week, due to the efforts of an educational task force shining light on the fact that women's history was not included in K-12 curriculums. It was officially declared a week by President Jimmy Carter in 1980. By 1986, 14 states had declared March Women's History Month, followed by Congress declaring the month Women's History Month in 1987 due to the lobbying of activists.

SGA is particularly excited about this month because we are an all women board. We decided that we would like to shine light on the strong women leaders on campus and in our community. We will be interviewing women about their experiences being a leader as a woman, and share what they have to say in a series of articles.

We hope this offers the chance for people to learn more about the women leaders in our community and appreciate all they have done and continue to do. To kick start the Women's History Month articles, we are honored to have had the opportunity to interview our female President and Vice President of the college, Dr. Tracy Mancini and Dr. Maggie Brown.

### **Dr. Tracy Mancini**

#### **President of Carteret Community College**

While Dr. Mancini has held a leadership role of the college for a while, her story began well before her time here. To begin with, Dr. Mancini was asked to tell a little bit about her story and how she got to where she is today. Originally pursuing a career in business, interning and working at the World Trade Center, Mancini always had a tugging passion to be a teacher. Though her parents encouraged her to pursue something bigger, like being a business woman, Mancini eventually decided she wanted to obtain her Master's degree in English.

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In order to obtain her Master's, she had to take some English courses to meet the requirements for the master's program. She took classes at a community college which was her introduction to this educational system, and she loved it. Mancini said she found something so magical about the hodge-podge of all different people there for all different reasons.



She later obtained her Master's degree in English, and taught at Durham Technical Community College, where she discovered her love of teaching and that it was her calling to work at a community college. When she had her son, she did some freelance writing work from home until he was in school. After that, she returned to Durham Tech, working her way up from a teacher, to the chair of the English department, Associate Dean of Arts and Sciences, then the Dean of Arts of Sciences. Her supportive husband encouraged her to pursue her doctorate in Education. While completing her EdD, Mancini found the Vice President's position here at Carteret Community College, and finished her degree while working in that position. Then, when the opportunity was available, she moved up to be the President of Carteret Community College.

### **Who are your role models and what about them do you admire?**

Dr. Mancini explained that her mother had been her role model growing up. Her mother was a registered nurse, and went back to school when she was young. She was inspired by her mother's work ethic and investment into her future. Her mother went from being an RN to retiring as the CEO of the hospital, an amazing accomplishment.

Dr. Mancini explained that one of the main things she learned from her mother was her priorities. In her mother's case, the patients were al-ways first, which Mancini directly relates to her putting the students first.

### **What challenges and obstacles have you endured being a woman in a leadership role?**

Dr. Mancini explained that it depends on the situation and the setting, though she feels lucky to have often been respected in her position and judged by her contributions most of the time. Other times, Mancini said people want you to prove yourself and prove that you are smart enough to handle things that they do not associate you with. For her, moving up in an educational career, people categorized her as a teacher, assuming she could not handle other aspects of her new job.

Mancini stated, "People assume you haven't had all these different experiences and so I think some people don't always give you the benefit of the doubt that you're a more complicated person than you might appear to be. In those cases, you have to have confidence to assert yourself and make sure that people see who you are and what you can do."

### **What do you believe will be the biggest challenge for the generation of women behind you?**

Dr. Mancini explains that she thinks women are having a harder time get-ting back into the workplace after COVID, mostly due to children being home and doing online school. She believes women bear the brunt of family demands. "Balancing opportunity and ambition with the demands of a family, or personal life... is a little bit of a challenge... Juggling a lot of things there, and I think that is hard," Mancini said.

She also pointed out that technological advances make work different now, causing it being almost non-stop working from home at any hour, which has made it even harder to have those needed boundaries.

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### **What vision and/or advice do you have for young women and upcoming leaders?**

Mancini referenced the book *Composing a Life*, by Mary Catherine Bateson. From this, Mancini encourages all to “take advantage of detours, take advantage of random opportunities and make the most of them... take advantage of crises and what might seem like a bad time, to try and grow and learn from it because it will come back and help you in other situations.”

### **When asked What is a characteristic you believe every leader should possess?**

Dr. Mancini had two, fairness and hopefulness. She explains that fairness is important to her, being part of her ethic. She makes sure that she is setting a precedent that she will be able to maintain for other people. Mancini said, “Every decision is not just that decision, it has implications...” So, she finds it important to think things through and make sure her decisions are fair, because it is important to treat people well. Regarding hopefulness, Mancini said, “You always have to be willing to say we’ll figure this out... not letting a situation get the best of you.”

### **What is your favorite inspirational quote?**

Dr. Mancini said, "I often point to the No Wake Zone sign in my office because I like to discourage drama. I think cool heads are a good idea. I try to keep things calm and tell people not to worry. I say, 'Let's talk about it and figure out what we can do.'"

Another quote Dr. Mancini really likes comes from one of her favorite books called *The Alchemist*, by Paulo Coelho: "When you want something, all the universe conspires in helping you achieve it." She paraphrases: "When you are pursuing your destiny, all the world conspires to help you." Mancini elaborates that when you are on the right track, doing and giving your best, good things happen.

## **Dr. Maggie Brown**

### **Vice President of Carteret Community College**

Dr. Brown is the Vice President of Carteret Community College, having got the position shortly after Dr. Mancini became president. We are excited to have yet another woman in a leadership role here at the college to gain some wisdom from.

Dr. Brown started off her story by explaining how after getting married at 19, she left East Carolina University and did not return for a while. She eventually went to Craven Community College to major in accounting but ended up dropping all of her classes after 3 weeks, immediately placing her on academic probation. She was called into the office of the Dean of Student Services, where it was explained to her that she had lost her financial aid. Feeling defeated, Brown left but later spoke with the Dean again and was able to get an appeal.

During that transition year at Craven, Brown was able to learn more about financial aid, get back on track, and go back to ECU. She then went on to become a high school English teacher at the high school she graduated from and pursued her master's degree. She taught full time during the year, worked another job during the summer, and at nights worked to obtain her masters. When a position for teaching developmental reading and English was available at Lenoir Community College, she took it and worked many other positions during her time there. She was the Associate Dean of Arts and Sciences, Associate Dean of Business and Industry, and the Dean of Industrial Technologies during her tenure at LCC.

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While she was the Associate Dean of Arts and Sciences, she was accepted into her doctorate program and was asked to move to the Business and Industry side. She immediately decided to learn about Career and Technical Education, studying it for three years, and she absolutely loved it more than anything else she had ever done in education. Dr. Brown said she found herself doing things she would have never imagined doing. She finished her doctorate degree and found her way to Carteret Community College.



**What has been your biggest career and/or personal achievement?**

Dr. Brown’s answer was obtaining her doctorate degree. This was the highest level of education anyone in her family had and having the opportunity for her dad to see her get that degree was something she was incredibly proud of. She knows how much he wanted this for her, and how much he pushed her to do great things.

Brown explained, “He knew what life was like without an education and how hard you have to work.” He held her success to the utmost importance and encouraged her to be who she is today.

**Could you share an example of a hurdle or obstacle you experienced during your journey and how you overcame it?**

Aside from Dr. Brown’s struggles during the beginning of her educational career, she said one of the things she had to overcome was leaving her comfort zone when she transitioned from working 12-13 years in Arts and Sciences, to working and supporting the Business and Industry side when she was asked. “It was a huge hurdle in a lot of ways because I did not come from that side of the educational house and I was a woman, working in male industries that I didn’t know anything about, and I was younger than most of my direct reports,” she explained.

When thinking about how she overcame this, Dr. Brown said, “I am convinced that the thing that saved me is that I had just started my doctorate program, so for three years all I did was research, write about, and talk about Career Technical Education.” Dr. Brown expresses the importance of knowing what you’re doing well and being confident in that to prove yourself to people that doubt or question you.

**What vision do you have and/or advice do you have for young women and upcoming leaders?**

Dr. Brown’s advice was, “Be heard and be seen.” Due to her small stature, she has always had to be a little bit louder and more present. Brown explains that female students tend to be a little shy, and that it is important for them to be heard. Her advice is, “Don’t sit in your chair worrying about a question, raise your hand and ask it.”

**Is there an assumption about women you would like to change?**

Dr. Brown explained that her generation was lucky because a lot of the negative assumptions were changed during her mother’s and grand-mother’s generation. She does believe, however, that there is always a space where it is assumed that a woman does not know what she is talking about. For instance, when she was working at Lenoir, people would assume that men working in positions under her were in charge. In those cases Brown said she would reach out and shake their hand to make it clear that it was her. Brown stated, “There are some men that have perspectives that women do not know things.”

Dr. Brown sharing her story and advice is a step in how we change these perspectives. She had a rocky start when she began her journey, but it has all led her to be the strong leader she is today.

## LABOR MARKET OVERVIEW

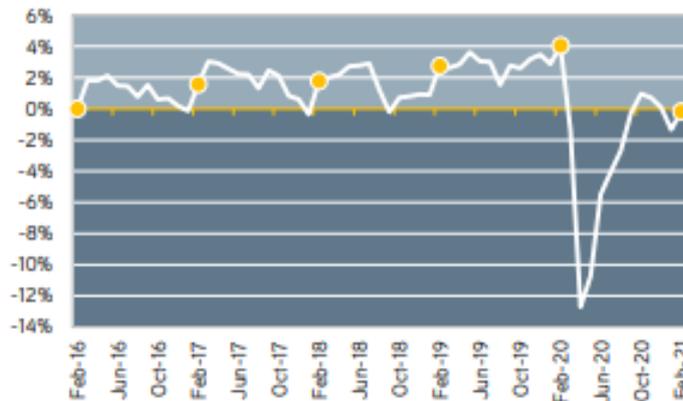


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### Regional Labor Market Snapshot

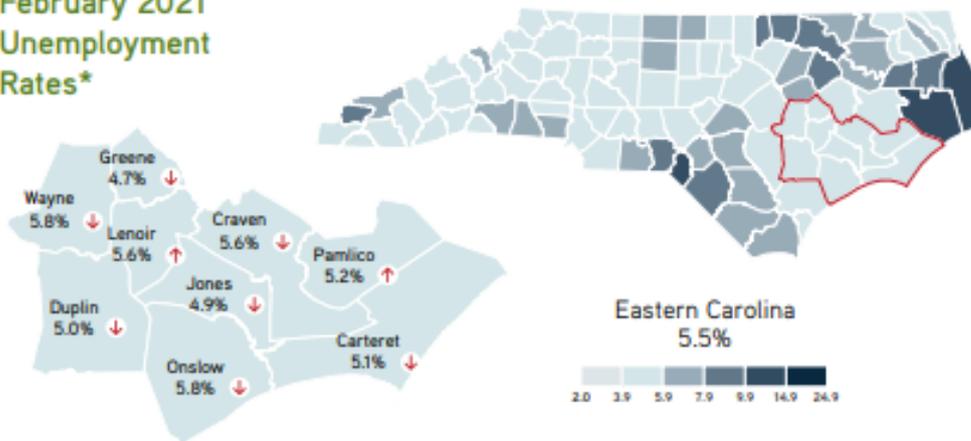
Change in Employment since 2016\*



Eastern Carolina Region

Source: LAUS, Labor & Economic Analysis, NC Dept. of Commerce

### February 2021 Unemployment Rates\*



### Trending

#### UNEMPLOYMENT\*

February 2021

Eastern Carolina Total = 14,445

	Current	Previous
Region	5.5%	5.9%
NC	5.6%	6.0%
US	6.6%	6.8%

#### REGIONAL EMPLOYMENT\*

Eastern Carolina Total = 246,876

2,849 More People Working in February than previous month

10,468 Fewer People Working than same period one year ago

#### METRO JOB GROWTH\*

Goldsboro Total = 39,100

100 More Jobs in February than previous month

Jacksonville Total = 49,700

1,000 More Jobs in February than previous month

New Bern Total = 43,500

200 More Jobs in February than previous month

#### TAXABLE RETAIL SALES

Eastern Carolina Total = \$798,309,002

16.2% Higher

than same period one year ago

Source: NC Dept. of Revenue  
Note: January 2021 data most current available at time of release.

#### ONLINE JOB ADS

3,941 Online Advertised Vacancies reported in January

634 More Vacancies than same period one year ago

Source: LEAD/The Conference Board  
Note: January 2021 data most current available at time of release.

#### Who's Hiring

past 90 days from March 29th, 2021

Onslow County School District	211
Food Lion	191
PruittHealth	169
Butterball, LLC	146
Craven County Schools	117
Handy Mart	109
BUTTERBALL LLC	108
Dollar Tree, Inc.	96

Source: DWS, NC Dept. of Commerce, NCWorks.gov

#### What Jobs

past 90 days from March 29th, 2021

Registered Nurses	404
Retail Salespersons	151
Customer Service Representatives	123
Physicians & Surgeons, All Other	117
Nursing Assistants	117
Lic. Practical & Lic. Vocational Nurses	116
First-Line Supervisors, Retail	104
Cashiers	97

Source: DWS, NC Dept. of Commerce, NCWorks.gov

\*February 2021 data are preliminary, previous month's data are revised while all other data have undergone annual revision. All data produced in this publication are generated by LEAD unless otherwise stated. LEAD generated data are not seasonally adjusted.

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## Healthcare Drive-Thru Job Fair

Friday, April 30, 2021  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Lenoir Community College  
Parking lot behind Waller Building  
231 HWY 58 South, Kinston NC

*YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO GO THROUGH THE COVID SCREENING AND MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHILE ONSITE.*

For more information:  
NCWorks Career Center – Lenoir County  
252-527-7320



NCWorks is an equal opportunity employer and provider of training services. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request for individuals with disabilities.



## Onsite Hiring Event at NCWorks Career Center



Friday, April 30, 2021  
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

To Schedule Your In-person Interview:  
**Call 910-296-1478**

NCWorks Career Center – Duplin  
192 Magnolia Ext, Kenansville, NC

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Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individual with disabilities



## Onsite Hiring Event at NCWorks Career Center



Every Monday  
1:30 pm to 4:00 pm

To Schedule Your In-person Interview:  
**Call 910-296-1478**

NCWorks Career Center – Duplin  
192 Magnolia Ext, Kenansville, NC

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# NCWorks Career Center Locations

## Carteret County

309 Commerce Avenue  
Morehead City, NC 28557  
(252) 726-7151

## Craven County

2836 Neuse Boulevard  
New Bern, NC 28562  
(252) 514-4828

## Duplin County

192 Magnolia Extension  
Kenansville, NC 28349  
(910) 296-1478

## Greene County

Greene County Education  
Center of LCC  
818 Highway 91 North  
Snow Hill, NC 28580  
(252) 747-5689

## Jones County

Jones County Education  
Center of LCC  
509 Highway 58 North  
Trenton, NC 28585  
(252) 448-4791

## Lenoir County

Lenoir Community College  
231 Highway 58 South  
Kinston, NC 28502  
(252) 775-6021 OR  
(252) 527-7320

## Onslow County

461 Western Boulevard  
Suite 106  
Jacksonville, NC 28546  
(910) 347-2121

## Pamlico County

705 Maine Street  
Bayboro, NC 28515  
(252) 745-9934

## Wayne County

2006 Wayne Memorial Drive  
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## Contact your local

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

5/6/2021	ECWDB Consortium Meeting
5/20/2021	Youth Council Meeting
6/3/2021	NCWorks Business Services Committee Meeting
6/10/2021	NCWorks Career Pathways Committee Meeting
6/24/2021	Executive Committee Meeting
7/8/2021	ECWDB Consortium Meeting
8/5/2021	NCWorks Business Services Committee Meeting

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