

NC RURAL GRANTS IMPACT REPORT



NC DEPARTMENT
of COMMERCE
RURAL ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT

results

\$76.6

MILLION
RURAL INFRASTRUCTURE
AUTHORITY AWARDS
(DEC. 2013 - JUNE 2019)

GRANTS 332
COUNTIES 80
JOBS 9964

93% OF FUNDS
SUPPORT
TIER 1 & TIER 2 COUNTIES

80% OF FUNDS
SUPPORT
EXISTING NC BUSINESSES

93% OF FUNDS
SUPPORT
PRIORITY INDUSTRIES

Average Project Size

GRANT
AMOUNT

\$230,602

GRANTED
PER JOB

\$7,683

JOBS
COMMITTED

30

Rural Grant Programs administers the building reuse, infrastructure and demolition grants authorized by N.C.G.S. 143B-472.127 at NC Department of Commerce. Under the direction of the Rural Infrastructure Authority, the program awards grants to local governments to support economic development projects that lead to job creation and increased economic opportunity.

RURAL GRANTS BY PROSPERITY ZONE

Western			
	Amount	Grants	Jobs
Cherokee	\$1,075,000	5	159
Clay	\$292,500	3	36
Henderson	\$434,340	2	84
Macon	\$275,277	2	24
Madison	\$685,000	3	60
Polk	\$250,000	1	30
Rutherford	\$4,103,596	16	453
Transylvania	\$100,000	2	18
Total	\$7,215,713	34	864
Northwest			
Alexander	\$1,511,156	6	150
Alleghany	\$124,285	2	16
Ashe	\$600,000	2	50
Avery	\$70,000	1	14
Burke	\$5,091,255	13	651
Caldwell	\$2,773,943	13	335
Catawba	\$4,793,234	16	536
McDowell	\$1,569,966	9	175
Mitchell	\$142,000	2	10
Wilkes	\$187,500	2	15
Yancey	\$95,000	3	13
Total	\$16,958,339	69	1965
Southwest			
Anson	\$225,000	2	47
Cleveland	\$1,000,000	2	157
Gaston	\$1,922,500	7	203
Iredell	\$850,000	3	203
Lincoln	\$663,000	3	192
Rowan	\$343,435	2	28
Stanly	\$913,985	5	120
Total	\$5,917,920	24	950
Piedmont-Triad			
Alamance	\$1,752,500	5	204
Caswell	\$120,000	1	10
Davidson	\$1,692,962	7	159
Davie	\$2,304,500	7	378
Forsyth	\$200,000	1	23
Guilford	\$680,000	2	15
Randolph	\$2,376,192	17	265
Rockingham	\$2,665,000	7	346
Surry	\$1,825,218	7	183
Yadkin	\$190,000	1	19
Total	\$13,806,372	55	1602

North Central			
	Amount	Grants	Jobs
Chatham	\$235,000	1	19
Edgecombe	\$460,000	2	55
Franklin	\$1,255,000	7	139
Granville	\$2,725,288	9	474
Harnett	\$760,516	4	109
Johnston	\$1,375,000	6	280
Lee	\$1,362,169	7	164
Nash	\$685,000	3	62
Person	\$300,000	1	60
Vance	\$880,000	4	134
Warren	\$41,250	1	0
Wilson	\$1,122,500	4	114
Total	\$11,201,724	49	1610
Sandhills			
Bladen	\$169,327	2	64
Columbus	\$162,850	2	32
Cumberland	\$262,780	3	105
Hoke	\$1,000,000	2	150
Montgomery	\$1,171,000	6	196
Moore	\$95,000	2	19
Richmond	\$522,000	2	40
Robeson	\$3,595,000	12	342
Sampson	\$290,000	2	47
Scotland	\$625,000	2	81
Total	\$7,892,957	35	1076
Northeast			
Beaufort	\$1,157,762	6	129
Bertie	\$245,093	4	23
Camden	\$50,000	1	5
Chowan	\$837,112	3	84
Dare	\$500,000	1	50
Halifax	\$1,687,502	7	156
Hertford	\$28,875	1	0
Hyde	\$135,000	3	16
Martin	\$1,287,500	4	118
Northampton	\$210,000	1	21
Pasquotank	\$400,000	1	50
Pitt	\$2,126,875	12	204
Total	\$8,665,719	44	856
Southeast			
Brunswick	\$875,000	2	273
Carteret	\$40,000	1	5
Craven	\$310,000	2	28
Duplin	\$547,351	5	74
Greene	\$200,000	1	16
Lenoir	\$362,500	3	38
Onslow	\$390,375	2	340
Pender	\$500,000	1	100
Wayne	\$1,675,925	5	167
Total	\$4,901,151	22	1041

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