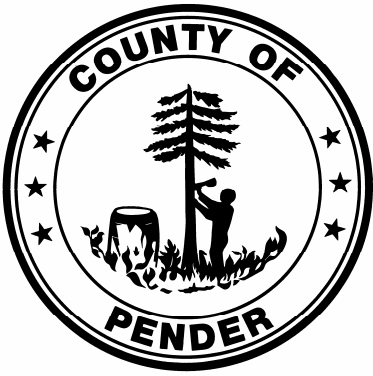




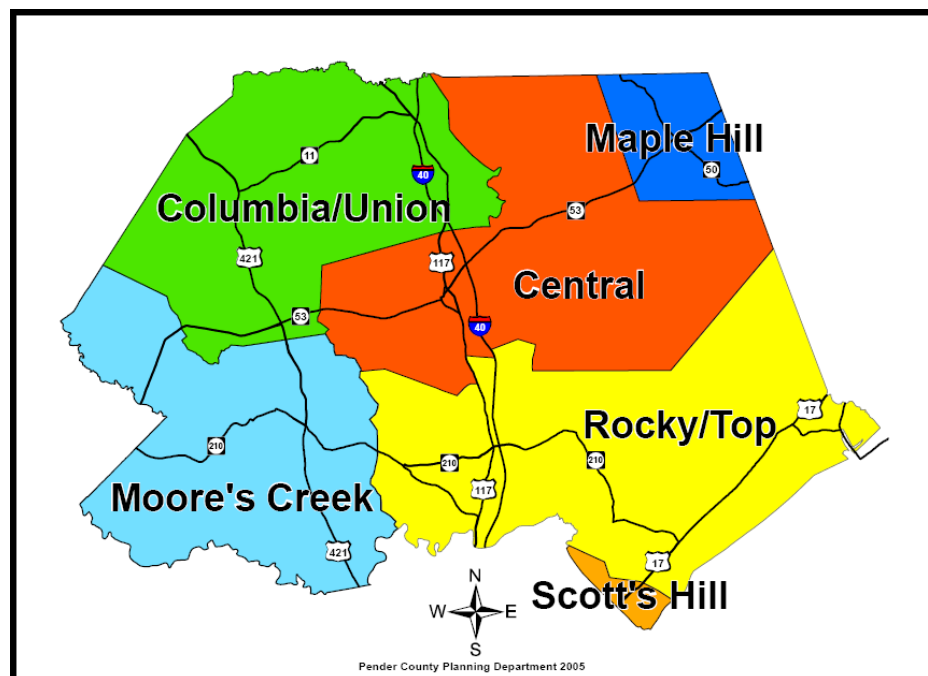
PENDER COUNTY WATER & SEWER DISTRICTS

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED FORMATION OF SCOTTS HILL, CENTRAL PENDER, MOORE'S CREEK, COLUMBIA/UNION, AND MAPLE HILL WATER & SEWER DISTRICTS

The Board of Commissioners of Pender County, North Carolina will hold public hearings on Monday, February 20, 2006 beginning at 7:00 p.m. or soon thereafter in the Public Meeting Room, 805 South Walker Street, Burgaw, NC 28425.

The purpose of the public hearings is to receive public comment concerning proposals for the County to create "Scotts Hill" "Central Pender", "Moore's Creek", and "Columbia/Union" Water and Sewer Districts. The Maple Hill Water District is proposed to become a Water and Sewer District. The reason for creating these districts is to provide an organizational structure for applying for State and Federal grants and loans in order to fund the design and construction of water and wastewater facilities. Detailed information regarding the proposed districts and their boundaries is available at the County Manager's office, 807 S. Walker St., Burgaw, NC 28425 (910.259.1200) during regular office hours. The following map provides a general description of the areas to be covered by the new districts:



MAPLE HILL WATER & SEWER DISTRICT

DESCRIPTION

Located in a portion Holly Township (part of Upper Holly Precinct). Bounded on the north by the Pender/Duplin County line, on the east the Pender/Onslow County line, on the south by Sandy Run Swamp, and on the west by Angola Creek, and Being more particularly described as follows. Beginning at a point, said point being the point of intersection of Pender, Duplin, and Onslow Counties, said point also being the most northeastern corner of Pender County thence following the Pender/Onslow County line southeast approximately seven (7) miles. Then due west approximately six (6) miles until reaching Angola Creek, crossing Williams Rd and Old Maple Hill Rd. Then north-northwest approximately seven (7) miles to the Pender/Duplin County line, running parallel to the Pender/Onslow County line crossing NC Hwy 53. Then due east to the point of beginning at the intersection of Pender, Duplin, and Onslow Counties. These are exactly the boundaries of the currently formed "Maple Hill Water District".

