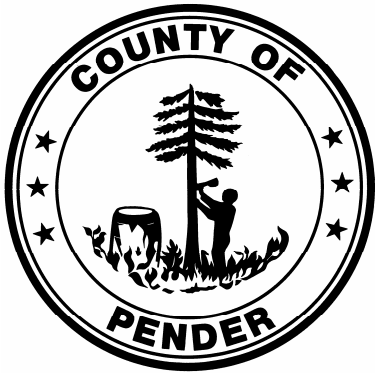




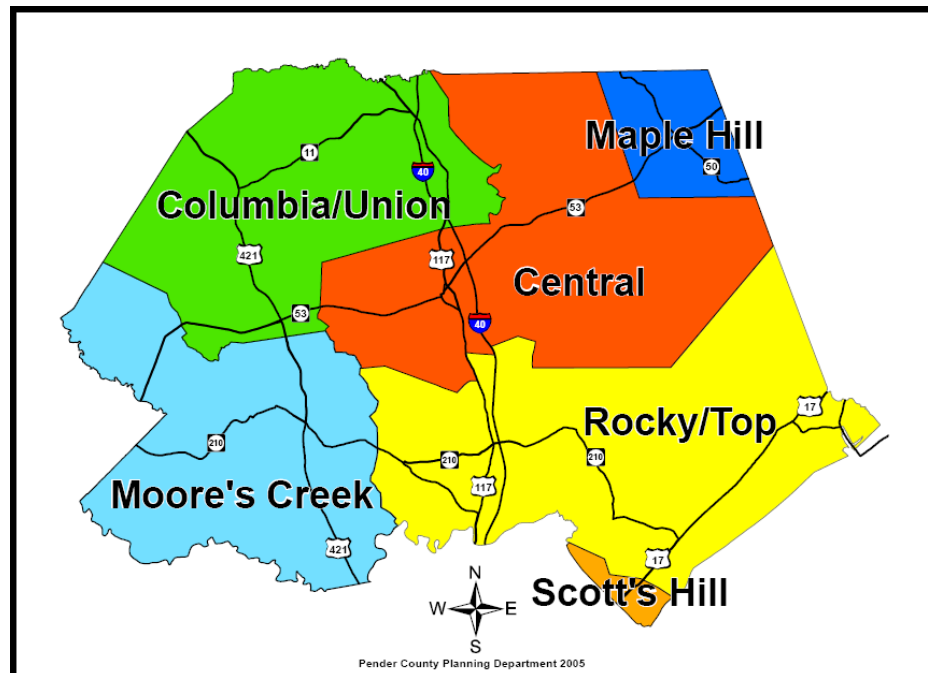
PENDER COUNTY WATER & SEWER DISTRICTS

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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:



MOORE'S CREEK WATER & SEWER DISTRICT

DESCRIPTION

Located in portions of Columbia Township, Long Creek Township, and all of Canetuck Township, Caswell Township, and Grady Township (part of Long Creek Precinct, and Columbia Precinct, and all of Canetuck Precinct, Caswell Precinct, and Grady Precinct). Bounded by Bladen and Sampson Counties on the west beginning at a point, said point being the intersection of Pender, Bladen, and Sampson Counties running northeast along the Sampson County line to the intersection of Caswell Township and Columbia Township. Then southeast following the Boundary of Caswell and Columbia Townships to the intersection of Caswell Township, Columbia Township, and Grady Township. Then northeast following the Columbia Township and Grady Township Boundary to Bell Williams Rd. Then east, crossing Bell Williams Rd, US Hwy 421, and Page Rd, south of NC Hwy 53 and north of Union Chapel Rd, to the Columbia Township and Burgaw Township Boundary at Cypress Creek. Then south following the Columbia Township and Burgaw Township Boundary to the intersection of Columbia Township, Burgaw Township, and Long Creek Township. The southeast following the Burgaw Township and Long Creek Township Boundary to Herrings Chapel Rd. Then south following Herrings Chapel Rd, then southeast following Fennel Town Rd to Highsmith Rd. Then south following Highsmith Rd to Scott Rd. Then south following Scott Rd to NC Hwy 210. Then south following Clarks Landing Rd to the Grady Township and Long Creek Township Boundary at Clarks Landing Rd. The southeast following the Grady Township and Long Creek Township Boundary to the intersection of Grady Township, Long Creek Township, and Rocky Point Township. The south following the Grady Township and Rocky Point Township Boundary to the Pender/New Hanover County line. Then southwest following the Pender/New Hanover County line to the intersection of Pender, New Hanover, and Brunswick Counties. Then west-northwest following the Pender/Brunswick County line, along the Cape Fear River, to the intersection of Pender, Brunswick and Columbus Counties. Then west-northwest following the Pender/Columbus County line to the intersection of Pender, Columbus, and Bladen Counties. Then northeast following the Pender/Bladen County line to the Black River. Then northwest following the Pender/Bladen County line, along the Black River to the point of beginning at the intersection of Pender, Bladen, and Sampson Counties. The "District" **excludes** the incorporated limits of the Town of Atkinson and its' extra territorial jurisdiction (ETJ).

