Tuesday, July 8 at $2\ \mathrm{p.m.}$ at the Grace Senior Center - conducted by trained SHIIP Volunteer Counselors. The seminar will cover Medicare Part A and Part B benefits, the prescription drug benefit (Part D), Medicare Advantage plans and Medicare supplement insurance. SHIIP, the Senior Health Insurance Information Program, is a service of the State of North Carolina. SHIIP counselors are trained by the state and do not sell or promote any insurance companies, policies or agents. Persons interested should call Grace Senior Center at 704-

Are you going to be eligible for Medicare in the near future? Have you been on Medicare for a while and want to better understand what it offers? Do you have a family member you

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help with Medicare issues?



James and Ruby Hannah Celebrate 60 Years Together

James and Ruby Hannah celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary recently. A reception was held on June 14th at Faith Baptist Church. Ray and Lorraine (daughter-in-law) Kifer

The Hannahs were married on June 16, 1954, at First Baptist Church of Pageland, S.C. They are the parents of two sons, Roger and Jerreal (deceased). They also have three grandsons, John, Clint and Jordan, a step granddaughter, Jessica, and three step great-granddaughters. The Hannah's are active members of Faith Baptist Church.

Webinar on Protecting Family Photos and Records Now Available

A class four hurricane with winds of 140 miles per hour is headed in your direction. What family papers and photographs will you grab as you rush out the door? What's the best way to store old letters and family diaries to protect them from weather disasters and normal deterioration? The State Archives of North Carolina can help you discover how to protect your photos and records.

The State Archives' YouTube channel www.youtube.com/ncarchives offers a series of online tutorials that provide information on the care and preservation of family treasures. "The Care and Handling of Family Papers" tutorials were developed in conjunction with the State Historical Records Advisory Board, funded by a grant from the National Historical Records and Publications Commission.

Identifying and Protecting Essential Family Records provides an overview of how to identify what family records and papers are crucial to collect and protect in the event of a natural or manmade disaster. General Paper Preservation Tips describes how paper deteriorates and the steps you can take to extend the life of family papers in your care. Caring for and Sharing Family and Personal Papers is a step-by-step guide on how to organize, care for and share family papers.

The Care and Preservation of Family Photographs provides an overview about the care and handling of family photographs, dos and don'ts for the proper care of your photographs and when to consult a conservator for those photographs that are badly damaged. Managing and Preserving Digital Images emphasizes the importance of good management and recordkeeping when managing digital photographs, suggestions for easy access to your digital photographs and tips for retaining most digital data.

For information, please call (919) 807-7326. The State Archives is part of the Office of Archives and History within the N.C. Department of Cultural Resources.

Farm Fresh Ventures Weekly Produce Boxes Still Available

People worldwide are rediscovering the benefits of buying local food. It is fresh and that means it is tastier and more nutritious. It is also good for your local economy - buying directly from family farmers helps them stay in business. Farm Fresh Ventures is now accepting subscribers for their weekly produce boxes that provide 5

to 7 different fresh produce items, sufficient for a family of four. The items are all sourced from area farmers, usually picked the same day they are delivered.

When you subscribe to Farm Fresh Ventures, you receive weekly produce boxes that provide 5-7 different fresh produce items from local growers from May through September 2014. Throughout the season boxes there will be a variety of produce, including but not limited to: Apples, Lettuces, Herbs, Beans, Cabbage, Carrots, Greens, Eggplant, Garlic, Onions, Melons, Grapes, Okra, Peaches, Pecans, Peppers, Potatoes (Irish & Sweet), Pumpkins, Squash (Summer & Winter), Strawberries, Tomatoes, Turnips and Zucchini just to name a few! In Anson County boxes can be picked up from 3 to 6 p.m. on Tuesdays at the Anson County Farmers Market on Highway 52 South in

Wadesboro, near Wadesboro Primary School and Coffing Hoist. The full subscription cost for May through September is \$406. Deliveries have started, so the price is prorated depending on when you subscribe. For more information contact Thomas Cureton at the Anson County Extension Office, 704-694-2415 or farmfreshventures@gmail.com.



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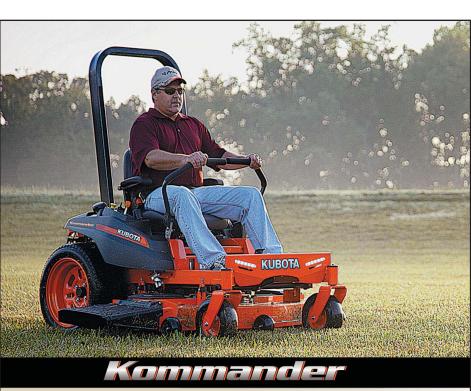
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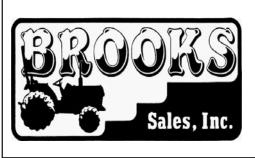


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The Sheriff must be knowledgeable in ALL areas of the Criminal Justice System, including: Jail Operations, Civil

	MIKE SMITH	LANDRIC REID
JAIL OPERATIONS: The Sheriff is responsible for the 60 bed county jail. Jail operations are the highest liability for county governments.	,	Has no jail operation experience.
HIRING (and sometimes firing): The Sheriff has 64 employees at the Sheriff's Office/Jail and 911.	Has been involved in the hiring and state certification of both sworn and non-sworn employees in law enforcement.	Has no experience hiring law enforcement officers.
SUPERVISION: The Sheriff has 64 employees at the Sheriff's Office/Jail and 911.	Has supervised as a Patrol Sgt, Lieutenant, Chief Deputy and Chief of Detectives. As Chief Deputy supervised 45 employees.	Has no supervisory experience. Has been a Patrol trooper his entire law enforcement career.
CIVIL PROCESS: Generally these are papers for money owed, repossessions, money judgments or special proceedings. Civil process is the highest liability	V -	Has no civil process experience.

process.

multiple murders.

area for a Sheriff, second only to the Jail. **CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS:**

The Sheriff is the highest law enforcement officer in a county. He is responsible for investigating all crimes, including murders, B&E's, larcenies, armed robberies, assaults and other criminal acts

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:

The Sheriff's Office is the lead agency for investigating Domestic Violence, from the service of Domestic Violence papers to the seizure and storage of weapons from the suspect.

DRUG INVESTIGATIONS:

The Sheriff conducts ongoing drug operations. vehicle and building searches, and seizure of evidence. Works with state and federal law agencies on multi-task force operations.

COURT SECURITY:

The Sheriff is responsible for courthouse security, maintaining order in courtrooms. moving prisoners to and from courts, and maintaining order inside courtrooms.

\$5 million dollars for the Sheriff's Office, Jail and 911 Operations. He must understand how to put together a budget, stay within that budget and maintain a budget, along with line-item distribution throughout a budget year.

COMMUNITY POLICING:

This concept of law enforcement puts officers in closer contact and more direct interaction with the public.

Domestic Violence service.

Has worked closely with Domestic

Violence and has experience in all areas of

Has been a detective and investigated

all felonies, from simple larcenies to

Has served as Chief of Detectives.

Has worked undercover operations within

his department and with multi-agencies. Has no experience in Coordinated drug task forces and worked ongoing drug investigations. major drug seizure operations.

Has worked in courtrooms as a court Has no experience in bailiff and as a court security officer courtroom/courthouse

The Sheriff is responsible for a budget of over Has put together and worked in setting budgets and staying within his assigned budget.

providing security for judges and

other officers of the court.

Also has grant writing experience.

Has no experience in law enforcement budgets.

security.

Has investigated traffic

Has no experience in Domestic

Violence as related to a

Sheriff's responsibilities.

related incidents only.

Currently works in a police department that follows the concept of Has no experience in community policing. Supervises the community policing. Citizens Police Academy.

This list could go on and on in areas of state and federal grants, training certifications, dealing with vendors and suppliers, state bid contracts and such...and the results would be the same.



There is only one candidate qualified to be the Sheriff of Anson County and that candidate is MIKE SMITH.

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