



**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CLOSURE MESSAGE**

Rutherford County Economic Development will continue to work with county and state health officials to monitor the evolving coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. To help prevent the spread of the virus, effective immediately and until further notice, the Economic Development office will be closed to visitors.

Economic Development personnel are still available via email, phone and other technological means, and will continue to assist you to the best of their ability. Find contact info for Rutherford County Economic Development staff on our website at <http://www.rutherfordncedc.com/>

Please know that these changes are intended to protect the health and safety of our community while striving to provide the resources and services you need. We will continue to closely monitor the situation and act consistent with local, state and national recommendations.

We thank you for your patience and understanding at this time, and we are committed to continue serving and growing our community. Together we will see it through, one day at a time.

Feel free to call our office at 828-287-6200 for more info and updates as they become available. And above all, take the necessary precautions to keep you and your neighbors safe.

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