

Anson County Writers’ Club Welcomes New Members

The Anson County Writers’ Club meets on the fourth Sunday of each month, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the fellowship hall of First Presbyterian Church in Wadesboro, except in July and December. All meetings are open to the public. New members of all ages are welcome. For more information call Sandy Bruney at 704-694-5211 or email [sandybruney@gmail.com](mailto:sandybruney@gmail.com).

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Church

**JANUARY 21 - 23**  
**Winter Revival**  
At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 7pm nightly. Wed-Pastor Terry Little; Thu-Bishop Walter Ellerbe; Fri-Pastor Roman Henry. Everyone is invited.  
**JANUARY 24**  
**Collard Sandwich Sale** At Rocky Mount AME Zion Church, Grassy Island Rd in Ansonville, 11am-5pm. Also fish, chicken wings & hot dogs.  
\* If the weather is snow/rain the event will be postponed.  
**JANUARY 25**  
**Building Fund Program** At Madison Grove Church 11am with Pastor Fred Leak & 2:30pm with Pastor Freddie Little from Cedar Creek Church.  
**Pastor’s Aide** Program At Henry Grove Baptist Church at 3pm with Pastor Blanch Williams of Farily Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Laurinburg.

**Appreciation Service**  
For Elder Mae Robinson at Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 11:45am with Elder Pandora Little. Everyone is invited.  
**FEBRUARY 7**  
**Men’s Breakfast**  
At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 10am. All males, any age are invited. It’s a call to be saved, to be renewed in the Lord. Come fellowship & hear inspiring words.  
**FEBRUARY 8**  
**February Birthday Celebration** At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 2pm with Apostle Annette Ross. Everyone is welcome.  
**Family & Friends Program** At Madison Grove Church, 11am with Pastor Leak & 2:30pm with Min. Carlos Melton from Johnson Chapel Church.  
**Lay Council Program** At Rocky Mount AME Zion Church, Grassy Island Rd in Ansonville, at 2pm with Rev. Donnie Bennett of Mt. Sinai Baptist Church in Rockingham.

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PUBLIC NOTICE EXCHANGE OF REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute § 160A-271, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Polkton hereby gives notices of its intent to authorize the exchange of certain Town-owned real property for real property owned by Jane Martin, of Polkton, N.C.

The proposed exchange involves the following unimproved tracts of land:

1. Town Owned Property:

A 3,048 sq foot tract located along the north side of Polk Street, approximately 132 feet west of the intersection of Polk St and North Williams Street. The parcel identification number is 64350899446; and the tract is valued at approximately \$9,200.

2. Property to be Acquired by the Town:

A 3,052 square foot tract of land, a portion to be taken from two parcels identified by parcel identification numbers 643508994538 and 64350899570. This tract is located along West Freemont Street, approximately 50 feet west of the intersection of West Freemont Street and North Williams Street. The tract is valued at approximately \$9,200.

The exchange will be an even trade, with no cash consideration paid by either party.

All persons interested in this exchange are invited to attend the meeting of the Board of Commissioners to be held at the Polkton Fire Department, 61 W. Polk Street, Polkton, N.C., at 6:00 P.M., on Monday, February 2, 2026. At that meeting, the Board intends to authorize the exchange of the properties described above.

Events

**JANUARY 22**  
**Beekeepers Meet**  
At Extension Office, 501 McLaurin St. in Wadesboro, 7pm. Wade Turner will speak about the upcoming state spring meeting and ACBA President Rodney Allen hosts question and answer session about interest/involvement/goals about honeybees. Learn more about the local chapter, beekeeping educational programs, or if you need a beekeeper to re-home a visiting swarm. Info Facebook page, “Anson Beekeepers Association.”

ONGOING EVENTS

**Alcoholics Anonymous** Regular meetings on Mondays & Thursdays at 6:30pm and Wednesdays at 12 noon. AA welcomes all who are seeking help, as well those wanting to help another person. The AA building is located at 2177 Country Club Rd. in Wadesboro, across from the Anson EMS building.

Beekeepers January Meeting

The Anson County Beekeepers will hold their January meeting on Thursday, January 22 at 7 p.m. at the Anson Extension Office, located at 501 McLaurin Street in Wadesboro. This will be a no-meal meeting, so attendees are encouraged to eat beforehand - hungry beekeepers can get a little testy.

Guest speaker Wade Turner will be on hand to talk about the upcoming state spring meeting, giving members a preview of what’s buzzing across NC’s beekeeping community. Following that, ACBA President Rodney Allen will lead a question-and-answer session focused on interest, involvement, goals, and anything else members want to ask about honeybees (including why they never RSVP).

The evening will also include a 50-50 drawing, and members are asked to bring items for door prizes if possible. Any contribution is appreciated, because bees aren’t the only ones who enjoy a good surprise.

Members are reminded not to forget their annual local and state membership dues, because even bees know nothing runs for free.

For additional information and updates, visit the Anson County Beekeepers page on Facebook.

January Days Worth Celebrating

The calendar has spoken, and late January is clearly feeling ambitious. From honoring handwriting to questioning reality on Opposite Day, here’s a lighthearted look at what each day brings. Participation is optional, but sarcasm is encouraged.

- January 22 (Thursday) – Hot Sauce Day: A perfect excuse to add unnecessary heat to your lunch and pretend the sweating is intentional.
- January 22 (Thursday) – Answer Your Cat’s Questions Day: Prepare to explain dinner schedules, closed doors, and why you don’t sit still long enough.
- Jan. 23 (Friday) – Handwriting Day: Celebrate by realizing cursive has become a secret code only you can’t read.
- January 24 (Saturday) – Macintosh Computer Day: A nostalgic nod to the machine that taught us all patience, fonts, and how to save every five minutes.
- January 24 (Saturday) – Compliment Day: Say something nice to someone—or to yourself—without adding “but” at the end.
- January 25 (Sunday) – Opposite Day: Pants optional, cereal for dinner encouraged, and nothing makes sense on purpose.
- January 26 (Monday) – Spouse’s Day: A gentle reminder to appreciate your spouse before they remind you.
- January 27 (Tuesday) – e-Day: Celebrate the mysterious “e,” which is either a math thing, a technology thing, or both.
- January 27 (Tuesday) – Chocolate Cake Day: The most important day this week, requiring forks, napkins, and no guilt.
- January 28 (Wednesday) – Data Privacy Day: Change your passwords, ignore the warning signs, then promise to do better next year & Fun at Work Day: Management says it’s fun, so smile—this is the fun part.

## Anson County Tax Administrator

# TAX FORECLOSURE AUCTION

Thursday, January 29, 2026 at 11 a.m.

Anson County Courthouse Steps



### PROPERTY TO BE SOLD

<b>A.G. McManus</b> Parcel 647410479076 Vac. Cedar Street Wadesboro, NC	<b>Charles L. Modley</b> Parcel 743318414895 Vac. Off Pee Dee Dr Lilesville, NC
<b>BJS Trust</b> Parcel 648417110942 Vac. Old Lilesville Rd Wadesboro, NC	<b>L.H. Trogden</b> Parcel 743318414921 Vac. Off Pee Dee Dr Lilesville, NC
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Note: Upset bids can be made for up to 10 days after the sale date at the clerk of court’s office.

CALL THE ANSON COUNTY TAX OFFICE  
AT 704-994-3211 FOR MORE INFORMATION