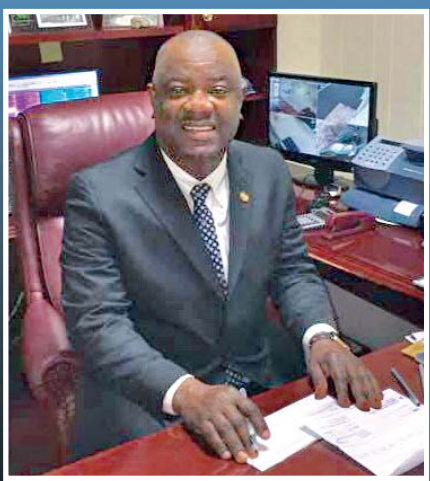


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**Educational Seminar On NC Voter ID Requirement**

**AUGUST 5 & 6 6:30PM**

The Anson County Board of Elections will conduct educational seminars on the North Carolina Voter ID requirement.

Lockhart-Taylor Center

The Anson County Board of Elections will hold an educational seminar about voter photo identification requirements at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, August 5 and Tuesday, August 6 at the Lockhart-Taylor Center, 514 North Washington Street, Wadesboro, NC. Room Location: Studio B

**THE SEMINAR IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.**

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Session Law 2018-144 requires each county board of elections to hold at least two voter ID seminars before September 1, 2019. Attendees also will receive information about voting options, including Absentee-By-Mail, One-Stop Early Voting and Election Day voting. Information about provisional voting, the availability of free North Carolina voter ID cards and residency requirements for voting also will be provided.

For more information on the voter ID requirement in North Carolina, please go to [www.ncsbe.gov/Voter-ID](http://www.ncsbe.gov/Voter-ID).

Questions? Please contact the Anson County Board of Elections at 704-994-3223 or via email at [sadams@co.anson.nc.us](mailto:sadams@co.anson.nc.us)



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**NC Peach Growers Pleased with 2019 Crop**

After several hit-or-miss years, peach growers across the state are celebrating what is shaping up to be a solid peach growing season.

"Consumers can expect peaches to be in good quantity and quality this year," said Agriculture Commissioner Steve Troxler. "Many growers began picking in early June with plans to continue through the end of August."

Unlike surrounding states, most of North Carolina's peaches are sold directly to consumers at roadside stands and farmers markets. In fact, consumers can find peach orchards in about two-thirds of the state's counties.

Troxler encourages consumers to check with their favorite peach grower for availability and timing of their favorite varieties.

North Carolina is home to about 800 acres of peaches. In 2017, peach growers contributed \$2.7 million to the state's economy, with more than two dozen varieties grown.



**Anson Parks & Rec Football**

Anson County Parks and Recreation is offering Tackle Football and Flag Football programs. The registration fee is \$30, with a deadline to register of August 9.

The football programs include:

- Tackle Football Division I - ages 10 & under
- Tackle Football Division II - ages 12 & under
- Flag Football 7 on 7 - ages 6 & under
- Flag Football 11 on 11 - ages 8 & under

For questions and more information call Allen Jackson at 704-694-5751 or email [Ajackson@co.anson.nc.us](mailto:Ajackson@co.anson.nc.us).

**Free Groceries for Families in Need August 7**

For families in need, free groceries will be available. The Mobile Food Pantry and CHS Mobile Health Unit will be at Wingate Baptist Church, located at 109 East Elm Street in Wingate, on Wednesday, August 7. Please arrive and register between 8 and 10 a.m. The food distribution begins upon the truck arrival, usually between 9 to 9:30 a.m.

- Be sure to bring your own bags, boxes or carts to carry your food.
- Arrive between 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. to be sure you can receive food.
- If it is raining the day of or before the delivery, contact Anson Crisis Ministry for a recorded message to know if it is cancelled: 704-694-2445.
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Interested in volunteering for the Mobile Food Pantry? Email [tschumpert@wnc-cumc.net](mailto:tschumpert@wnc-cumc.net). The goal of the Mobile Food Pantry is to feed the hungry and serve those in need.

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