



REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

ITEM NO. 9

DATE OF MEETING: August 19, 2013

REQUESTED BY: Barbara A. Murray, Tax Collector, Tax Collections Office

SHORT TITLE: Resolution Approving Annual Settlement of the Pender County Tax Collector

BACKGROUND: N.C.G.S. 105-373 (a) requires the Tax Collector to make an "annual settlement," which indicates unpaid taxes for the current year as well as prior years. The annual settlement is the real and personal property taxes left "on the books" at the close of the fiscal year (June 30, 2013). The amounts consist of Pender County Taxes, Solid Waste User Fees, Fire Tax, Rescue Tax, and Town Taxes. Making the annual settlement, this does not mean the Tax Collector will cease pursuing collections.

SPECIFIC ACTION REQUESTED: Approve the Annual Settlement of the Pender County Tax Collector.

COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION

Respectfully recommend approval.


Initial

RESOLUTION

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Pender County Board of Commissioners that:

the annual settlement of the Pender County Tax Collector is accepted. The Chairman and/or County Manager is authorized to execute any/all agreements necessary to implement resolutions.

AMENDMENTS:

MOVED _____ SECONDED _____

APPROVED _____ DENIED _____ UNANIMOUS

YEA VOTES: Brown ___ McCoy ___ Tate ___ Ward ___ Williams ___

George R. Brown, Chairman 08/19/13
Date

ATTEST 08/19/13
Date

**SETTLEMENT OF TAXES FOR TAX YEAR 2012
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013**

To: Pender County Board of Commissioners

From: Barbara A. Murray, Tax Collector

Date: August 19, 2013

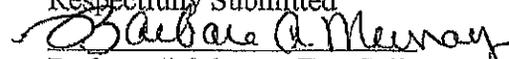
CHARGES TO TAX COLLECTOR:

1.	Total amount of all taxes and penalties placed in the Tax Collector's hands for collection of the above year:	\$43,964,922.98
2.	All additional cost added to levy for collection by the Tax Collector:	91,153.12
3.	All interest on taxes collected by the Tax Collector:	165,406.33
Total:		\$44,221,482.43

CREDITS TO THE TAX COLLECTOR:

1.	All sums deposited by the Tax Collector to the credit of the taxing unit or receipted for by the proper official:	\$42,531,481.24
2.	Releases allowed by the governing body:	237,969.67
3.	Refunds allowed by the governing body:	-39,203.74
4.	The principle amount of taxes past due constituting of liens against real property as of June 30, 2013	918,912.51
5.	The principle amount of taxes past due on unsecured personal property as of June 30, 2013	102,960.51
6.	The principle amount of taxes past due on motor vehicles as of June 30, 2013	469,362.24
Total:		\$44,221,482.43

Respectfully Submitted


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***The percentage rate collected on all taxes (Annual and Motor vehicles) for county only was 96.86%

**The percentage rate collected on Annual Taxes for the county only was 97.79%

*The percentage rate collected on Motor Vehicles for the county only was 83.88%

**SETTLEMENT OF TAXES FOR TAX YEARS 2003-2011
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013**

To: Pender County Board of Commissioners
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CHARGES TO TAX COLLECTOR:

1.	Total amount of all taxes and penalties placed in the Tax Collector's hands for collection for back years:	\$4,001,165.89
2.	All additional cost added to levy for collection by the Tax Collector:	37,352.19
3.	All interest on taxes collected by the Tax Collector:	226,189.18
Total:		\$4,264,707.26

CREDITS TO THE TAX COLLECTOR:

1.	All sums deposited by the Tax Collector to the credit of the taxing unit or receipted for by the proper official:	\$1,898,440.82
2.	Releases allowed by the governing body:	96,410.33
3.	Refunds allowed by the governing body:	-43,651.60
4.	The principle amount of taxes past due constituting of liens against real property as of June 30, 2013	811,267.75
5.	The principle amount of taxes past due on unsecured personal property as of June 30, 2013	729,078.14
6.	The principle amount of taxes past due on motor vehicles as of June 30, 2013	773,161.82
Total:		\$4,264,707.26

Respectfully Submitted


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