



## PUBLIC INFORMATION

### ITEM NO. 4

**DATE OF MEETING:** December 9, 2013

**REQUESTED BY:** Mickey Duvall, County Manager

**SHORT TITLE:** Recognition of Erik Harvey to Serve on the North Carolina Local Government Information Systems Association Board

**BACKGROUND:** Erik Harvey, IT Director for Pender County on November 13<sup>th</sup> during the North Carolina Local Government Information Systems Association (NCLGISA) Fall Training Symposium, the NCLGISA membership voted Mr. Harvey in to serve a one (1) year term as the Secretary to the NCLGISA Board. NCLGISA's active membership is estimated at over 2,500 local, regional, state, federal, K-12, colleges, and university IT professionals across the state.

"I consider it a great honor and a privilege that I can continue serving NCLGISA in my new role. I'm blessed and very fortunate to work alongside so many hardworking and creative IT professionals at all levels of government, including those IT folks right here in Pender County. I believe my involvement will be advantageous to Pender County, the IT Department, and to our citizens. My staff and I are all driven by the goals of Pender County and will continue our current efforts to make it one of the preminent, if not the best, in the state for its' leadership and advancement in Information Technology. I look forward to fulfilling these duties and responsibilities".

NCLGISA is an association of North Carolina local government information technology professionals. Its purpose is to assist its members by sharing experiences and ideas and in undertaking cooperative efforts intended to achieve the association's goal of improving the effectiveness of local government information systems. The association is a state chapter of GMIS, an Association of Government IT Leaders.

NCLGISA and the UNC School of Government's Center for Public Technology work hand in hand to provide collaborative educational opportunities for government IT officials, with the common goal of strengthening North Carolina communities through the appropriate use of Information Technology.