



TALK OF THE TOWN

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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Hello Friends and Neighbors,

I had written a brief message talking about how fortunate that we all are to live and grow up in a small town. Then, Matthew came to visit. And like we find sometimes, even with friends and relatives, they wear out their welcome pretty quick.

During a relatively short visit, Matthew left us and moved on, but not before taking our electricity, our homes and possessions and in several cases, the lives of almost 30 North Carolinians. What the storm didn't take was our ability and willingness to help each other and do whatever is needed to overcome the adversity. Everyone has provided aid in whatever way possible, assisting friends, family and strangers alike. Not because anyone had to, but because it was the right thing to do.

This all brings me back to my original message, but the true meaning and sincerity is even greater. There is nothing better than growing up and living in a small town, especially in North Carolina and more importantly, in Vass.

God Bless Us All,
Eddie Callahan

LOSS OF A BOARD MEMBER

Earlier this year, we were all saddened by the passing of George A. Blackwell. Mr. Blackwell served the town as Mayor from 1995 to 1999 and as Commissioner from 2003 to 2015.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 8TH

The presidential election is fast approaching. Contact Moore County Elections 910-947-3868 or visit www.moorecountync.gov for details regarding voting guidelines.

BLUEVASS FESTIVAL NOVEMBER 12TH

Come out and join us for the Veterans BlueVass Festival and Cars Under The Stars Cruise-In to be held at Sandy Ramey Keith Park November 12th from 5-10 p.m. No outside alcohol.

TOWN STREETS UPDATE

The town is in the process of purchasing a rotary cutter which will be used to clean up the roadsides and intersections of impeding brush and limbs on town streets. We are asking the citizens to help with this effort by maintaining any overgrown vegetation on their street front property. All help is much appreciated.

YARD DEBRIS PICK UP ENDS

Make sure your debris complies with the ordinance. Debris pick up begins the first Monday in May and runs through the last Monday in October. Yard debris bags and brush should be placed at the curb **no earlier than Friday for the Monday morning pick up.** Yard debris is not to be placed in your curbside pickup trash cart. A free copy of the ordinance is available at the Municipal Building or on our website www.townofvassnc.gov.

RECYCLING

Please visit Moore County's website www.moorecountync.gov for locations throughout the County.

TOWN WEBSITE www.townofvassnc.gov

Information about the town including the town's Zoning Ordinance and Code of Ordinances can be found here, as well as, information regarding garbage pickup and yard debris. Several forms are also provided here including a Residence Check Form if you are going out of town and forms to reserve the Picnic Shelter or the Community Room. For questions or assistance regarding our website call 910-245-4676.

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