

# Table I. Population, Valuation, County Commissioner, and County Manager

January 2002

County	Est. Pop'n 2001	Approx. Valuation 2001-2002 (Millions of \$)	Chair Board of Commissioners	County Commissioner	County Manager/Administrator
Alamance	131,800	8,352	\$9,600 + \$1,200 travel	\$8,400 + \$1,200 travel	\$94,396 + \$4,900 travel
Alexander	33,603	1,059	\$4,800	\$4,800	\$87,125
Alleghany	10,677	940	\$4,800 + \$45 per meeting	\$3,000 + \$45 per meeting	\$46,901 <sup>1</sup>
Anson	25,000	964	\$7,287 + \$1,200 travel	\$6,412 + \$1,200 travel	\$78,000 + \$4,600 travel
Ashe	23,966	1,644	\$7,500	\$7,200	\$57,210 + \$4,800 travel
Avery	17,147	1,394	\$8,500	\$5,550 + \$3,000 travel	\$43,112 + \$2,000 travel
Beaufort	43,544	2,651	\$4,200 + \$175 Board of Equalization meeting + \$3,000 travel	\$2,700 + \$100 Board of Equalization meeting + \$1,800 travel	\$87,414 + \$3,600 travel
Bertie	19,773	782	\$9,600 + \$4,800 travel	\$8,400 + \$4,800 travel	\$86,000 + \$3,600 travel
Bladen	32,278	1,612	\$7,858 + \$4,800 travel	\$7,043 + \$3,600 travel	\$68,778 + \$3,600 travel
Brunswick	73,143	9,600	\$12,240 + \$50 per meeting	\$10,200 + \$50 per meeting	\$102,288 <sup>2</sup>
Buncombe	206,330	13,200	\$18,424 + \$6,500 travel	\$12,104 + \$5,200 travel	\$124,125 + \$5,200 travel
Burke	89,148	4,794	\$6,494 + \$600 travel	\$6,127 + \$600 travel	\$76,664 + \$4,200 travel
Cabarrus	131,063	11,270	\$11,303 + \$500 travel	\$9,904 + \$450 travel	\$122,834 + \$6,800 travel
Caldwell	77,000	2,984	\$5,298 + \$2,796 travel	\$5,298 + \$2,796 travel	\$90,970 + \$4,800 travel
Camden	6,700	427	\$3,000	\$2,700	\$55,471
Carteret	61,587	5,374	\$4,800 + \$2,400 travel	\$3,600 + \$1,800 travel	\$79,500 + \$4,800 travel
Caswell	23,500	1,040	\$6,516	\$5,796	\$47,976 <sup>1</sup>
Catawba	141,685	7,700	\$8,400 + \$2,400 travel	\$6,000 + \$2,400 travel	\$150,843 + \$8,400 travel
Chatham	48,000	4,140	\$13,050 + \$75 special meeting + \$1,200 travel	\$12,000 + \$75 special meeting + \$1,200 travel	\$89,000 + \$7,500 travel
Cherokee	24,298	1,238	\$10,110 + \$125 per meeting + \$3,600 travel	\$9,686 + \$125 per meeting + \$2,400 travel	\$49,770 + \$3,600 travel
Chowan	14,549	758	\$7,200	\$6,000	\$94,985 + \$6,000 travel
Clay	8,795	551	\$11,804 + \$2,400 travel	\$8,108 + \$1,200 travel	\$37,611 + \$2,400 travel
Cleveland	97,527	4,088	\$9,348 <sup>1</sup>	\$7,452 <sup>1</sup>	\$100,002 + \$4,800 travel
Columbus	54,200	2,296	\$12,645 + \$1,500 travel	\$10,053 + \$1,500 travel	\$65,000 + \$6,000 travel
Craven	89,000	4,440	\$7,500 + \$4,800 travel	\$6,300 + \$4,800 travel	\$105,000 + \$4,800 travel
Cumberland	302,963	12,252	\$20,824 + \$2,400 travel	\$15,375 + \$1,200 travel	\$121,844 + \$8,100 travel
Currituck	18,289	2,285	\$7,200 + \$3,600 travel	\$6,000 + \$3,600 travel	\$76,083 <sup>2</sup>
Dare	29,967	4,860	\$8,190 + \$4,800 travel	\$7,560 + \$3,600 travel	\$107,211
Davidson	147,932	7,900	\$6,518 + \$2,700 travel	\$5,618 + \$2,400 travel	\$98,173 + \$5,400 travel
Davie	35,200	2,423	\$5,206 + \$25 per meeting + \$600 travel	\$3,459 + \$25 per meeting + \$600 travel	\$83,445 <sup>2</sup>
Duplin	49,063	2,203	\$9,000	\$9,000	\$62,779 + \$4,800 travel
Durham	187,035	19,037	\$17,160 + \$1,200 travel	\$14,959 + \$1,200 travel	\$125,000 + \$6,000 travel
Edgecombe	55,606	2,418	\$5,704 + \$4,200 travel	\$4,313 + \$3,420 travel	\$76,000 + \$4,800 travel
Forsyth	306,067	20,922	\$19,656	\$18,278	\$157,498 <sup>2</sup>
Franklin	47,545	2,238	\$8,267 + \$3,600 travel	\$7,266 + \$3,600 travel	vacant
Gaston	190,365	9,768	\$13,780 + \$4,500 travel	\$11,706 + \$3,900 travel	no data
Gates	10,264	458	\$3,288 + \$25 per meeting	\$2,652 + \$25 per meeting	\$73,538 + \$2,625 travel
Graham	7,500	358	\$6,000 + \$50 per meeting	\$6,000 + \$50 per meeting	\$32,000
Granville	no data	1,898	no data	no data	\$70,728
Greene	19,041	630	\$4,383 + \$1,800 travel	\$3,803 + \$1,200 travel	\$58,783

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Guilford	421,048	31,600	\$18,300 + \$1,500 travel	\$14,700 + \$1,500 travel	\$156,000 + \$6,000 travel
Halifax	57,000	2,560	\$5,400 + \$100 per meeting + \$50 per day travel	\$4,800 + \$100 per meeting + \$50 per day travel	vacant
Harnett	91,025	3,608	\$6,302 + \$30 per meeting + \$5,244 travel	\$5,262 + \$30 per meeting + \$5,244 travel	\$94,671 + \$6,490 travel
Haywood	54,045	3,305	\$11,004	\$9,522	\$83,849 + \$3,600 travel
Henderson	89,660	7,118	\$16,233 + \$75 per meeting	\$10,078 + \$75 per meeting	\$91,159
Hertford	22,604	909	\$11,895	\$10,656	\$66,712 <sup>2</sup>
Hoke	33,646	1,149	\$7,612 + \$3,600 travel	\$6,858 + \$3,600 travel	\$80,486 <sup>2</sup>
Hyde	5,826	372	\$5,244	\$3,934	\$50,000 <sup>1</sup>
Iredell	126,186	10,654	\$9,456 + \$2,700 travel	\$8,784 + \$2,400 travel	\$120,852 + \$6,600 travel
Jackson	33,121	3,277	\$13,120	\$9,334	\$78,381 <sup>1</sup>
Johnston	121,965	7,165	\$5,834 + \$4,800 travel	\$4,301 + \$3,600 travel	\$98,880 + \$6,000 travel
Jones	10,381	481	\$5,520 + \$40 per meeting	\$4,968 + \$40 per meeting	\$57,012
Lee	49,040	2,822	\$9,452	\$8,204	\$93,275 + \$7,500 travel
Lenoir	60,000	3,177	\$14,471	\$11,545	\$75,000 + \$9,000 travel
Lincoln	65,372	4,360	\$6,000 + \$2,400 travel	\$4,800 + \$2,400 travel	\$81,583 + \$9,000 travel
McDowell	43,000	1,733	\$7,980	\$7,980	\$76,464 <sup>2</sup>
Macon	30,000	3,500	\$8,733 + \$1,200 travel	\$7,277 + \$1,200 travel	\$82,653 + \$6,200 travel
Madison					
Martin	25,593	1,334	\$7,354 + \$3,600 travel <sup>1</sup>	\$6,514 + \$3,600 travel <sup>1</sup>	\$79,848 <sup>2</sup>
Mecklenburg	695,454	62,800	\$22,044 + \$5,000 travel	\$17,635 + \$5,000 travel	\$145,000 + \$6,000 travel
Mitchell	15,706	935	\$3,900 + \$3,600 travel	\$2,700 + \$3,000 travel	\$49,776 + \$4,800 travel
Montgomery	26,902	1,508	\$7,224	\$6,504	\$72,480 <sup>2</sup>
Moore	74,769	5,192	\$6,360 + \$2,700 travel	\$4,680 + \$2,700 travel	\$94,560 + \$7,800 travel
Nash	92,369	5,000	\$7,200	\$6,000	\$88,000 + \$6,000 travel
New Hanover	160,307	16,500	\$19,678 + \$3,900	\$13,354 + \$3,250	\$125,000 + \$6,000 travel
Northampton	22,086	934	\$8,758 + \$2,550 travel	\$8,050 + \$2,550 travel	\$63,707 <sup>2</sup>
Onslow	150,000	5,550	\$10,288	\$9,475	\$90,507 <sup>2</sup>
Orange	114,254	7,853	\$13,682 + \$1,440 travel	\$10,747 + \$1,140 travel	\$123,383 <sup>2</sup>
Pamlico	12,500	845	\$3,685 + \$50 per out of county meeting + \$1,800 travel	\$3,143 + \$50 per out of county meeting + \$1,200 travel	no data
Pasquotank	34,994	1,411	\$7,800	\$6,600	\$72,580 <sup>1</sup>
Pender	41,082	2,354	\$7,283 + \$1,200 travel	\$6,534 + \$1,200 travel	\$66,426 + \$5,000 travel <sup>1</sup>
Perquimans	11,392	701	\$3,180 + \$50 special meetings	\$2,400 + \$50 special meetings	\$64,644
Person	36,000	1,302	\$10,272	\$8,184	\$64,668
Pitt	133,798	5,000	\$9,000 + \$50 Board of Equalization meeting + \$2,400 travel	\$9,000 + \$50 Board of Equalization meeting + \$2,400 travel	\$110,355 + \$5,000 travel
Polk					
Randolph	130,454	7,950	\$7,200 + \$3,000 travel	\$4,800 + \$1,800 travel	\$108,639
Richmond	4,600	1,831	\$8,494 + \$2,400 travel	\$7,954 + \$2,400 travel	\$90,222
Robeson	123,339	2,877	\$10,800 + \$6,000 travel	\$8,400 + \$6,000 travel	\$86,700 <sup>2</sup>
Rockingham	91,928	4,201	\$8,688 + \$1,800 travel	\$7,488 + \$1,800 travel	\$94,054 + \$4,800 travel
Rowan	130,340	7,552	\$13,668 + \$3,600 travel	\$11,390 + \$3,600 travel	\$128,023 + \$4,800 travel
Rutherford	62,898	3,073	\$9,989 <sup>1</sup>	\$8,648 <sup>1</sup>	\$70,296 + \$4,125 travel
Sampson	60,161	2,351	\$8,436 + \$30 per meeting + \$3,000 travel	\$5,328 + \$30 per meeting + \$3,000 travel	\$81,408 + \$3,600 travel
Scotland	35,201	1,582	\$8,520	\$5,544	\$79,308 + \$6,000 travel
Stanly	58,331	3,440	\$5,772 + \$4,500 travel	\$4,572 + \$4,500 travel	vacant
Stokes	44,000	2,440	\$171 per meeting + \$69 per recessed meeting + \$35 per other meeting	\$171 per meeting + \$69 per recessed meeting + \$35 per other meeting	\$73,847

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Surry	71,466	4,132	\$7,236 + \$30 in county meeting + \$50 out of county meeting	\$6,512 + \$30 in county meeting + \$50 out of county meeting	\$79,932
Swain	12,968	442	\$10,000 + \$3,900 travel	\$5,000 + \$3,250 travel	\$44,031 <sup>2</sup>
Transylvania	29,334	2,411	\$8,240	\$6,695	\$70,046
Tyrrell	4,149	215	\$2,400 + \$50 per meeting	\$50 per meeting	\$64,824
Union	124,000	8,181	\$9,594 + \$7,150 travel	\$8,268 + \$7,150 travel	\$105,958 + \$7,200 travel
Vance	42,900	1,960	\$8,400	\$6,000	\$71,448 + \$4,800 travel
Wake	627,846	63,200	\$16,764	\$14,294	\$145,000 + \$6,000 travel
Warren	19,972	1,172	\$6,966	\$5,572	\$66,617 + \$3,600 travel
Washington	13,723	530	\$3,864 + \$1,596 travel	\$3,228	\$60,660 + \$4,800 travel
Watauga	42,695	3,281	\$6,958 + \$200 travel	\$5,775 + \$150 travel	\$70,085 + \$5,000 travel
Wayne	113,329	4,301	\$9,623 + \$50 per extra meeting + \$3,100 travel	\$7,698 + \$50 per extra meeting + \$3,100 travel	vacant
Wilkes	65,632	3,696	\$6,000 + \$25-50 per meeting + \$3,000 travel	\$6,000 + \$25-50 per meeting + \$2,400 travel	\$72,032
Wilson	73,814	4,395	\$5,400 + \$1,800 travel	\$4,200 + \$1,200 travel	\$91,560 + \$5,100 travel
Yadkin	35,176	2,000	\$2,100 + \$30 per meeting + \$588 travel	\$1,800 + \$30 per meeting + \$588 travel	\$67,080
Yancey	16,241	1,145	\$8,652 + \$400 travel	\$6,490 + \$400 travel	\$41,236

1. Car available

2. Car assigned