

County Salaries in North Carolina 2012

TABLE 6. FINANCE DIRECTOR, PURCHASING AGENT, ACCOUNTANT, AND ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN																		
January 1, 2012																		
County	Finance Director			Purchasing Agent			Accountant				Accounts Payable Technician				Payroll Technician			
	Min.	Max.	Actual	Min.	Max.	Actual	No.	Min.	Max.	Actual	No.	Min.	Max.	Actual	No.	Min.	Max.	Actual
Alamance	\$54,332	\$86,932	\$83,792	\$36,561	\$58,498	\$55,000	1	\$36,561	\$58,498	\$48,720	4	\$28,075	\$44,921	\$37,087	1	\$33,480	\$53,568	\$53,631
Alexander	71,229	98,189	95,794	n/a				n/a			1	30,765	42,140	39,382	1	30,765	42,410	39,382
Alleghany	45,110	67,667	45,110	n/a				n/a										
Anson	56,665	83,649	56,669	n/a			1	46,130	68,096	54,810	1	25,932	38,280	28,359	1	25,932	38,280	28,359
Ashe	53,187	75,150	68,082	n/a			1	42,849	60,543	49,692	2	33,114	53,202	37,857		n/a		
Avery	assistant county manager			n/a			1	35,575	49,331	40,585	1	27,957	38,985	27,957	1	29,075	40,546	29,075
Beaufort	assistant county manager and human resources director			n/a				n/a			1	28,903	40,464	34,683	1	28,903	40,464	34,683
Bertie	52,784	77,919	50,270	n/a				n/a			1	29,277	43,218	32,136		n/a		
Bladen	50,948	64,531	62,835	27,159	34,402	30,779		n/a			2	28,411	35,987	30,937	1	29,663	37,573	34,278
Brunswick	75,375	120,599	118,757	assistant county manager			2	50,290	80,464	58,009	3	32,373	51,797	39,980	1	34,165	54,664	43,169
Buncombe		134,974	134,974	n/a			1	46,282	70,752	61,505	5	28,523	43,631	36,705	1	37,150	56,794	40,730
Burke	71314	110535	80419	36,016	55,824	39,624	1	41,694	64,624	41,704	2	25,595	39,674	27,830	1	31,110	48,224	32,510
Cabarrus	assistant county manager			39,325	50,693	59,220	3	45,520	70,272	56,014	3	32,339	49,941	37,797	2	37,422	57,801	45,918
Caldwell	50,878	84,798	65,323	30,001	50,002	41,696		n/a			2	27,473	45,789	28,500	1	27,473	45,789	38,205
Camden																		
Carteret	assistant county manager			42,612	68,180	46,385	4	42,612	68,180	50,116	1	23,998	38,397	27,581	1	30,691	49,106	34,104
Caswell																		
Catawba	82,786	128,445	106,875	48,399	75,093	65,813	1	50,815	78,845	58,466	8	32,757	50,816	37,534	8	32,757	50,816	37,534
Chatham	assistant county manager			34,076	50,346	46,550	1	43,491	64,256	61,656	1	28,035	41,420	34,598	2	30,909	45,666	30,909
Cherokee	57,255	95,671	70,000	34,340	55,315	36,443		n/a			1	29,454	46,292	36,014		n/a		
Chowan	36,814	66,107	66,107	n/a				n/a			1	27,470	49,330	46,981	1	42,613	76,526	54,384
Clay			48,791	n/a				n/a										
Cleveland	68,364	106,710	82,452	32,310	50,442	36,342	1	35,484	55,380	40,836	4	26,808	41,814	30,858	1	29,494	45,942	32,310
Columbus	54,942	109,814	64,260	33,106	67,215	45,884		n/a			1	24,762	49,927	40,616	1	22,527	45,052	32,640
Craven	83,355	168,503	149,824	n/a				n/a							1	34,203	69,105	50,963
Cumberland	assistant county manager			46,394	78,801	58,652	9	46,394	89,504	61,440	6	37,025	68,202	40,176	2	30,805	51,845	34,547
Currituck	n/a			n/a			1	34,500	47,657	43,498	3	29,142	40,154	29,652		n/a		
Dare	assistant to county manager			39,155	62,647	62,647	1	43,087	63,938	47,987	3	26,706	42,728	37,771	1	29,385	47,017	46,061
Davidson	63,113	94,670	89,266	47,158	70,736	57,673	1	49,521	74,282	62,837	1	27,656	41,484	28,005	3	36,994	55,490	48,420
Davie	59,622	92,457	72,258	n/a			1	49,051	76,065	59,487	2	28,677	44,473	38,416	1	36,601	56,761	52,077
Duplin	55,753	99,008	73,563	n/a			1	37,520	66,631	37,520	1	28,436	50,498	29,004	1	26,270	46,653	26,795
Durham	84,444	145,377	141,570	49,052	84,444	83,181	4	40,261	69,307	51,930	5	29,933	51,534	36,728	1	33,043	56,885	53,725
Edgecombe	50,312	87,187	66,450	30,887	53,525	34,319	1	35,755	61,962	37,742	2	26,681	43,237	29,646	1	28,015	48,549	39,847
Forsyth	102,718	166,917	160,201	n/a			3	44,414	72,173	56,312	17	26,601	43,226	32,263	2	29,990	48,733	43,586
Franklin	62,886	89,837	82,806	n/a				n/a			1	28,806	41,156	38,068	1	31,577	45,110	38,068
											2	28,806	41,155	32,501				
Gaston	85,135	131,977	121,312	37,380	57,952	50,465	3	37,379	57,952	50,465	8	28,409	44,043	38,531		n/a		
Gates	49,333	63,896	50,324	n/a				n/a			1	32,600	42,227	34,606		n/a		
Graham																		
Granville	51,239	90,384	86,080	n/a				n/a			1	31,470	55,514	47,423	1	28,535	50,334	35,607
Greene	43,056	60,113	49,301	n/a				n/a			1	32,265	45,003	32,265	1			\$14.04/hr
Guilford	94,619	160,852	125,000	70,606	120,030	82,326	3	37,444	63,655	53,919	28	30,805	52,369	36,915	10	35,661	60,623	41,473
Halifax	assistant county manager			n/a			2	39,922	64,807	50,280	1	21,991	35,699	22,545	1	26,827	43,549	29,630
Harnett	75,476	116,988	107,000	33,916	52,570		4	38,482	59,647	46,180	1	27,477	42,589	30,815	1	35,374	54,830	42,449
Haywood	71,353	107,031	100,381	34,345	51,518	38,761	1	34,345	51,518	42,372	1	31,450	47,177	32,079	1	26,133	39,198	31,400
Henderson	67,548	104,715	92,970	n/a				n/a			3	27,417	42,471	31,551	1	34,671	53,742	42,296
Hertford	44,151	68,434	54,694	n/a			1	31,377	48,635	39,632	1	24,585	38,107	27,864		n/a		
Hoke	73,122	104,167	79,390	n/a				n/a			4	34,135	46,916	37,641	1	35,461	50,106	42,152
Hyde																		
Iredell	76,545	118,721	117,543	40,782	63,253	62,626		31,137	48,294	45,720		26,010	40,343	31,135		n/a		
Jackson																		
Johnston	75,624	128,362	87,288	n/a			1	48,696	82,659	53,431	1	40,834	69,316	43,478	1	42,673	72,433	46,027
Jones	63,349	80,701	66,498	n/a				n/a			1	26,035	32,807	29,883		n/a		
Lee	assistant county manager			n/a				n/a			1	28,988	40,582	28,988	1	36,296	50,815	36,297
Lenoir	47,576	83,952	55,173	n/a				n/a			1	30,055	53,036	43,529		n/a		
Lincoln	67,776	103,397	73,021	n/a			4	35,666	54,411	40,433	5	27,862	42,506	39,858		n/a		
McDowell	49,500	72,754	69,228	25,938	38,139	33,672		n/a			1	23,484	34,518	23,484	1	23,484	34,518	25,938
Macon	82,656	123,984	123,188	36,063	54,095	41,200	1	36,063	54,095	50,614	1	25,629	28,445	31,598	1	28,256	42,383	30,559
Madison			60,652	n/a				n/a			1		40,895					
Martin	50,485	80,666	61,479	n/a				n/a			2	37,095	59,301	38,022	1	24,961	39,904	26,226
Mecklenburg	112,800	195,811	160,073	n/a			19	39,123	93,404	49,016	23	27,606	56,848	34,974	1	29,919	56,848	39,158
Mitchell	49,820	71,172	56,703	n/a				n/a			1		27,664		1	27,664	39,521	28,494
Montgomery																		
Moore	70,054	109,985	97,000	37,152	58,329	50,750	1	47,416	74,443	64,495	7	23,948	37,598	36,270	1	33,697	52,905	41,765
Nash	71,500	114,400	98,308	n/a			1	40,735	65,176	46,837	2	29,848	47,757	36,601	1	33,915	54,264	43,124
New Hanover	96,512	148,034	115,147	49,942	75,109	48,930	2	45,406	69,680	46,930	23	29,224	44,866	32,652		n/a		
Northampton	61,022	107,680	84,119	n/a			2	35,678	59,958	40,563	4	24,184	42,612	29,546		n/a		
Onslow	70,196	112,314	vacant	40,537	64,859	58,429	2	37,476</										

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Randolph	assistant county manager			\$37,690	\$54,907	\$42,349	1	\$43,347	\$66,976	\$47,736	4	\$28,600	\$43,347	\$33,098	1	\$34,341	\$52,603	\$43,347
Richmond	\$50,913	\$74,077	\$67,445	n/a			1	44,228	64,348	59,957	7	24,039	46,348	25,179		n/a		
Robeson	73,296	90,887	97,955	n/a				n/a			3	33,682	41,766	40,868	1	38,196	45,545	45,545
Rockingham	assistant county manager			33,783	50,675	41,634		n/a				n/a			1	29,557	44,336	29,557
Rowan	75,311	119,555	104,187	43,848	69,606	46,967	3	41,742	80,673	51,921	4	26,818	42,571	30,616	4	29,590	46,967	35,485
Rutherford			vacant	n/a			1	35,648	53,047	37,001		n/a			2	27,806	41,894	33,919
Sampson																		
Scotland	county manager			38,280	54,096	37,116	2	40,044	67,728	45,606	4	25,536	39,480	28,329	1	25,536	36,480	28,329
Stanly	60,641	90,961	63,668	n/a			1	38,677	58,017	40,619	3	26,989	40,484	31,460		n/a		
Stokes	45,057	73,368	56,644	32,923	53,610	43,070	1	24,056	39,172	27,378	1	24,056	39,172	27,378	1	26,020	42,369	30,815
Surry	55,596	94,872	88,440 ^a	30,012	49,572	34,020		n/a			1	32,616	54,300	36,276	1	32,616	54,300	36,276
Swain	33,533	49,416	37,802	n/a				n/a			2	20,663	30,451	23,457	1	36,619	53,963	52,530
Transylvania	64,771	97,156	77,912	29,211	43,816	29,815		n/a			1	26,500	39,741	30,576	1	29,211	43,816	33,969
Tyrrell	county manager			n/a				n/a								n/a		
Union	93,246	139,870	vacant	50,174	75,260	50,174	3	36,413	63,033	43,307	15	29,409	57,620	37,545	1	35,165	52,747	40,000
Vance	57,408	91,860	74,244	n/a				n/a			1	24,876	39,804	26,124	1	31,008	49,608	44,760
Wake	79,400	135,100	102,802	64,750	110,250	99,307	9	37,000	63,000	48,533	26	25,500	43,100	35,938	1	32,750	55,750	38,542
Warren	54,724	87,816	77,079	n/a				n/a			3	23,876	38,314	26,519	1	26,324	42,241	36,860
Washington*	54,264	78,624	68,000	n/a				n/a			1	\$13.31/hr.	\$19.25/hr.	\$13.63/hr.		n/a		
Watauga	67,585	104,756	72,100	n/a				n/a			3	29,285	51,798	30,733	1	33,419	51,798	48,258
Wayne	81,165	126,590	91,831	45,196	70,490	47,484	2	43,044	67,133	44,671		n/a				n/a		
Wilkes	44,612	85,639	65,025	26,014	47,920	33,691		n/a			2	25,888	49,053	31,300	1	35,702	55,338	32,056
Wilson	57,480	97,200	79,620	n/a				n/a			1	28,488	48,132	34,500	1	41,436	70,008	43,898
Yadkin	56,835	85,253	58,502 ^{a,b}	n/a			1	37,285	55,928	41,166	1	25,643	38,465	32,167		n/a		
Yancey	31,645	47,368	42,000	n/a				n/a			1	19,427	27,043	21,450		part-time		21,138
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