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Population of Candor - 840 Population of Montgomery County - 26,364

Our town is a mere 8 miles from the geographical center of the state, located in Star, N.C.

You are approx. 2.5 hours from the coast/2.5 hours from the mountains. 30 min from Pinehurst and Asheboro. 1 hour from Greensboro, High Point, & Winston-Salem. 1.5 hours from Raleigh, Charlotte, Fayetteville. You are living in a great location central to the state, that is quiet and easy-going, without the large city headaches. However, you're close enough to the urban areas to visit or commute to work/school.

Topographically, you live in the "Sandhills", in an area that borders the "Piedmont".

Our county boasts 56,000+ acres of Uwharrie National Forest (1 of 4 national forests in N.C.), two lakes (Tillery & Badin), 2 golf courses (Denson's Creek & Tillery Tradition), and the Sandhills - great for those who love to "play outdoors"! Camping, fishing, kayaking, horse-back riding, mountain biking, bird-watching, hiking, swimming, waterskiing, OHV trails, geocaching, golf, paddleboarding, exploring, and more!

There are five towns in Montgomery County - Candor, Biscoe, Star, Mount Gilead, and Troy (the County Seat).

Town Creek Indian Mound is our local State Historic Site, and is located in Mount Gilead. *Open weekly, Tues-Sat, 9-5pm. (910)439-6802.*

QUICK REFERENCE NUMBERS

Candor Police Department (910)974-4777

Mont. Co. Sheriff's Office
Office (910)572-1313/Dispatch (910)571-7107
*Call 911 in case of emergency

FirstHealth Montgomery Memorial Hospital 520 Allen St., Troy, NC - (910)571-5000

Montgomery Co. Animal Control (910)572-3067

Montgomery Co. Administration (910)576-4221

Montgomery Co. Schools (910)576-6511 Candor Elementary School (910)974-4582 East Middle School (910)428-3278 Montgomery Central H.S. (910)556-5500

Montgomery Community College (MCC) (910)898-9600

Poison Control (800)222-1222

National Suicide Prevention Dial 988

Troy-Montgomery Senior Center (910)572-4464

Health Department (910)572-1393

Uwharrie Ranger Station (Troy) (910)576-6391

Esther House Crisis Line (910)586-0005

Sandhills Opioid Response Consortium (910)331-0474/(910)572-1393 ext. 1243

Duke Energy

Emergencies/Outages (800)343-3525 New/Upgrade Construction (800)774-0246

U.S. Post Office - Candor (910)974-4791

Hours: Mon-Fri, 8:30am-1:00pm & 2:00-4:30pm Sat, 9:00am-12:00pm; Sun - CLOSED

> Mont. Co. Convenience (Refuse) Site Brutonville - 421 E. Vivian St., Candor (910)974-3132

Summer Hours April 1 - October 31 Monday - Saturday / 7am - 7pm / Sunday - CLOSED

Winter Hours November 1 - March 31 Monday - Saturday / 7am - 6pm / Sunday - CLOSED



The Peach Capital of North Carolina

GUIDE

helpful things you should know about your town & county.

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N.C. PEACH FESTIVAL

Our signature event began in 1996 in the parking lot of Candor Elementary School, and has now grown to 12,000 visitors annually to Fitzgerald Park (145 S. Depot St.). The Peach Festival **ALWAYS TAKES PLACE ON THE 3**RD **SATURDAY IN JULY!** In recent years, we have added Thursday and Friday events to the lineup for a fantastic weekend of N.C. Peach Festival FUN! **www.NCPeachFestival.com**



The average NC Peach Growing Season is 4 months long (June-Sept), peaking in July!



Local Peach Growers

Chappell Peaches (910)673-1878 Hillcrest Peaches (910)220-2004 Kalawi Farms (910)673-5996 Parson's Farm (910)975-4237



FOOD TRUCK FRIDAY

Check Town of Candor website for schedule.

COFFEE & CANDOR

3rd Thursday each month. Candor Town Hall, 8:30 - 10:30am.

BRINGING VINTAGE HOME - A VINTAGE MARKET Fitzgerald Park, 145 S. Depot St. - Early Fall.

CVFD HALLOWEEN TRUNK or TREAT

Candor Fire Dept., 215 N. School St. Last Sunday before October 31st.

CHRISTMAS IN CANDOR

Fitzgerald Park, 145 S. Depot St. 1st Friday in December.

Cendor, N.C. The Peach Capital of North Carolina Chartered in 1891

Candor Town Board

Mayor, Phillip Hearne
Mayor Pro-Tem, Jerry Brewer
Comm. Layton Booker; Comm. Daniel Harris;
Comm. David Kellis; Comm. Tim Smith

WATER BILLS ARE DUE:

On the 19th of each month. After the 19th you will be charged a \$10 late fee. The second date to pay by is the 25th of each month. Failure to pay by this date will result in water disconnection + a \$50 Reconnect Fee. Payments may be made: In Person - Online - Bank Draft

TRASH PICKUP DAY: TUESDAYS

Garbage pickup is \$10/month and the charge is included on your monthly water bill. Extra trash cans are available at an additional \$10/month charge.

*Call Candor Town Hall for replacement can(s).

TOWN BOARD MEETINGS:

1st Monday of each month (No mtg. in July), Candor Town Hall @ 7:00pm. *Public welcome to attend.*

JOHN THOMPSON MARKETPLACE RENTAL:

\$150 Deposit - **CASH ONLY.** Fill out rental form & pay deposit at Candor Town Hall, Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm. \$50 REFUND, if area clean upon event conclusion.

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

Town of Candor - townofcandornc.com NC Peach Festival - ncpeachfestival.com Mont. Co. Admin - montgomerycountync.com Mont. Co. Schools - montgomery.k12.nc.us MCC - montgomery.edu Tourism - discoveruwharrie.com Happenings Around Our State - VisitNC.com

LOCAL RESTAURANTS

Blake's Restaurant - 165 Hillview St. Ext., (910)974-3503
Cuatro Caminos Mex. Rest. - 125 W. Main, (910)974-3088
Krispy Krunchy Chicken (Sunoco) - 515 E. Main, (910)974-2014
Kristi's Pizza & Japanese Food - 111 S. Main, (910)974-3100
Taqueria Nely's - 145 S. Main, (910)974-4488
Wendy's - 801 NC Hwy 211 (Pilot Travel Center)

John C. Currie Memorial Library

A part of the Mont. Co. Public Library System

138 S. School St. (910)974-4033 **M-F, 2-6:00pm**



YARD DEBRIS

Public Works Dept. picks up yard debris each Thursday.

Yard Debris Sizes:

Limbs/Branches can be no longer than 6' (ft.), with a diameter no larger that 2" (in). THE TOWN WILL NOT PICK UP IF LARGER.

MUST BE BAGGED:

Leaves/grass clippings/pinestraw/pinecones - any small yard debris.

YARD DEBRIS MUST BE FREE OF:

Garbage, cables/wiring, furniture, appliances, household items, etc. before it will be picked up.

*Residents are responsible for having anything larger hauled away and at your own expense (e.g. tree trunks, large branches, entire shrubs, logs, etc).

TOWN DUMP TRUCK

As a resident of Candor you may use the town dump truck for large items (such as cleaning off lots or cleaning out buildings). The cost is \$100/load, plus any tipping fee charged by the county landfill. WE DO NOT LOAD THE TRUCK - we will leave the truck for you to load, then we will pick it up. If you have trees or large limbs cut, please have the tree company dispose of that debris. Call 974-4221 for truck rental & use.

*On a related note, the Town does not pickup furniture or household items (must be taken to convenience site or landfill). Appliances must be taken to the county landfill, only.

BUILDING PERMITS

Authorization to Issue Building Permit forms are available at Candor Town Hall and must be filed before obtaining a building permit from the Montgomery Co. Planning Dept. There is a \$100 fee.

TOWN ORDINANCES

Copies of Town of Candor Ordinances are available at the Town Hall and on the town website.

CEMETERY PLOTS

In Town Residents - \$300/cemetery plot
Out of Town Residents - \$900/cemetery plot
Cemetery information, and applications to purchase
cemetery plots, are available at Candor Town Hall.

TownofCandorNC.com