



NORTH CAROLINA

Department of Transportation

Division 13

COUNTIES SERVED | *Buncombe, Burke, Madison, Mitchell,
McDowell, Rutherford, Yancey*

September 2018 Edition

Start the School Year Off Safely



Students are back in school across North Carolina, so it's important for parents to help their children stay safe at bus stops and for drivers to know the rules of the road.

On average, there are nearly 3,000 incidents of cars passing stopped school buses every school day in North Carolina. Take a few minutes to read over them...it could save a life.

Do You Know NC's School Bus Passing Laws?

NCDOT Releases Regional Projects for Division 13

Five regional projects will be programmed for construction, including the widening of U.S. 221 north of Rutherfordton in the upcoming 2020-2029 State Transportation Improvement Program.

[See what other projects made the cut](#)



NCDOT Prepared for World Equestrian Games

NCDOT accelerated adding new ramps to the I-26/U.S. 74 interchange by three years and building bridges near the Tryon International Equestrian Center to help North Carolina with the World Equestrian Games.

[Know where to park before you go](#)



Bowen Bridges to Be Resurfaced This Month

The lights will be bright on the Bowen Bridges. A NCDOT contractor will begin night-work to improve the riding surface of the Bowen Bridges on Sept. 10. All exits will remain open and the work is being done at night to limit traffic backups.

[Learn more about the plan](#)

LITTER SWEEP
NORTH CAROLINA

APPLY FOR
ADOPT-A-HIGHWAY
ONLINE
<https://apps.ncdot.gov/LHA>

September 15-29, 2018

VOLUNTEER LOCALLY

Get Outside and Help Keep North Carolina Beautiful

Before getting busy raking leaves, join groups of volunteers across the state as NCDOT's Adopt-A-Highway program kicks off its Fall Litter Sweep from Sept. 15-29.

Volunteers are provided cleanup supplies such as orange trash bags, gloves and orange safety vests by their local NCDOT county maintenance office.

[Click to join the litter sweep effort](#)

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