



NORTH CAROLINA

Department of Transportation

Division 14

COUNTIES SERVED | Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood,
Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Polk, Swain, Transylvania

March 2019 Edition

 **Prepare Now for Severe Weather** 



North Carolina is traditionally an active tornado and severe thunderstorm state, and spring is peak season for severe weather, although it can occur at any time of year. All North Carolinians are urged to prepare and practice safety plans now.

March 3-9 is Severe Weather Preparedness Week, so make sure you know how to stay safe when on the road and bad weather strikes by clicking the button below.

Make Sure You're Ready

Help us Shape the Future



NCDOT is updating its long-range transportation plan to guide North Carolina's future transportation policies and investments.

NC Moves 2050 will provide a 30-year transportation vision and implementation plan for the state. Learn more and [provide your input](#).

Happening Near You...

Interstate 40 Reopens Near Tennessee State Line

NCDOT officials reopened Interstate 40 on Feb. 28 to one lane of traffic heading in each direction around a rock slide at mile marker 7.5.

[Learn more about the reopening after a rockslide](#)

Public Comment Period Still Open for Corridor K

The department will be accepting public comment on new Corridor K proposals through March 15. Public meetings were held in Robbinsville and Andrews in February.

[Get the details](#)

Applications Open for Student Internships

Now is the time for students to apply for summer internships at NCDOT.

The Engineering Assistants Program gives students hands-on experience in areas like science, technology or engineering, plus other fields in the transportation industry which is rapidly changing.

[Learn how to apply](#)



LITTER SWEEP

NORTH CAROLINA

APRIL 13-27, 2019

Volunteer Locally

North Carolina Department of Transportation Biannual Cleanup Drive
Forms, posters and telephone listings are available on our website.

ncdot.gov/littersweep



You Can Make a Difference

While clearing out closets for spring cleaning, why not put on an orange safety vest and gloves to participate in the department's Spring Litter Sweep? This year's campaign runs April 13-27.

[See how to help keep NC beautiful](#)

Grants are available to help students learn how to safely walk and bicycle to school through the NCDOT's Safe Routes to School Program. Communities can use the funds to develop creative programs that educate children and parents about safely walking and bicycling to school.

Grant proposals are [being accepted](#) until March 29.



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