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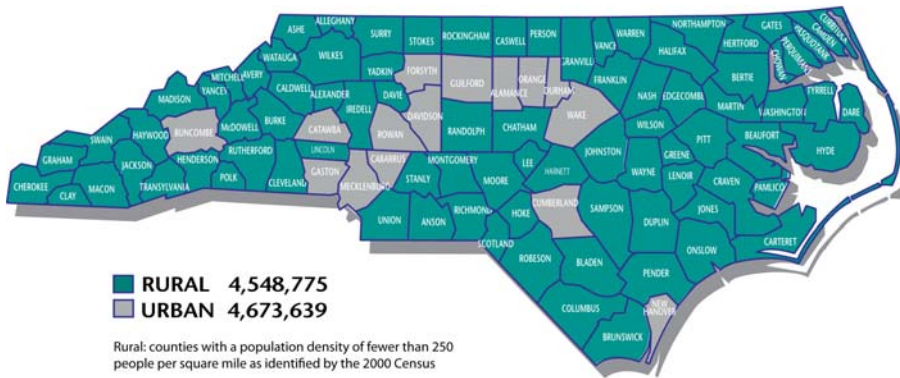
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North Carolina Rural Counties



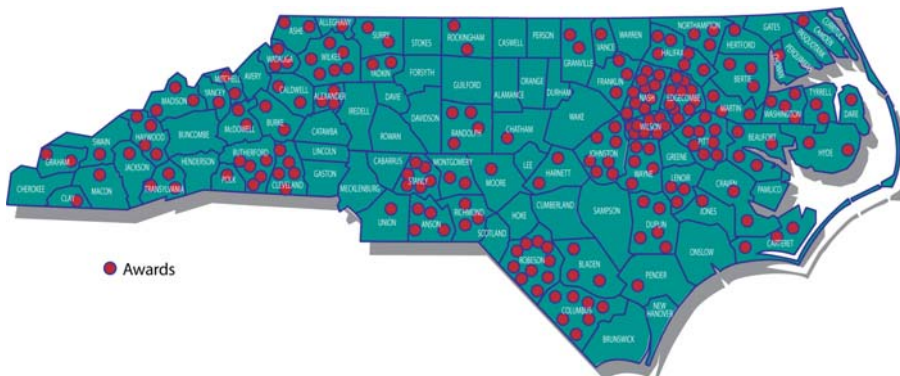
Clean Water Partners



Clean Water Partners Grants, FY09

- 202 grants
- \$70 million
- \$206 million leveraged
- 222,700+ customers served

Clean Water Partners Grants, FY09



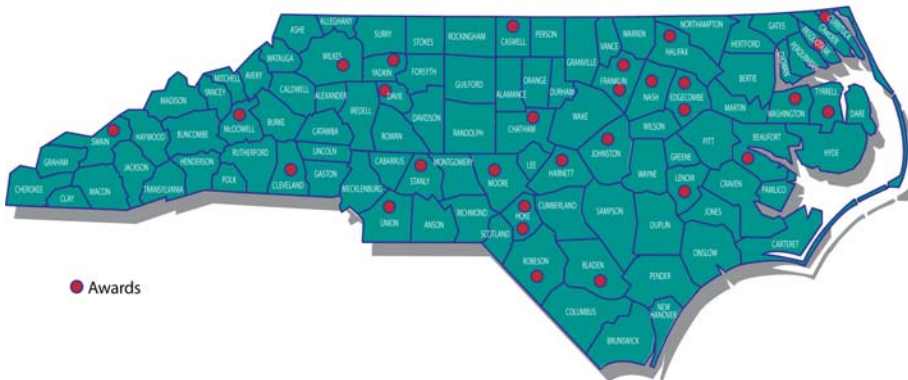
Job Creation Programs



EIF Water & Sewer Grants, FY09

- 29 grants
- \$10.5 million
- 26 new or expanded businesses
- 961 new jobs
- \$16.2 million leveraged

EIF Water & Sewer Grants, FY09



Building Reuse and Related Programs

- Building Reuse and Restoration Grants
- Brownfields Grants
- Rural Health Care Initiative



Building Reuse Grants, FY09

- **64 grants**
- **\$8 million**
- **\$62.5 million leveraged**
- **45 new or expanded businesses**
- **674 new jobs**



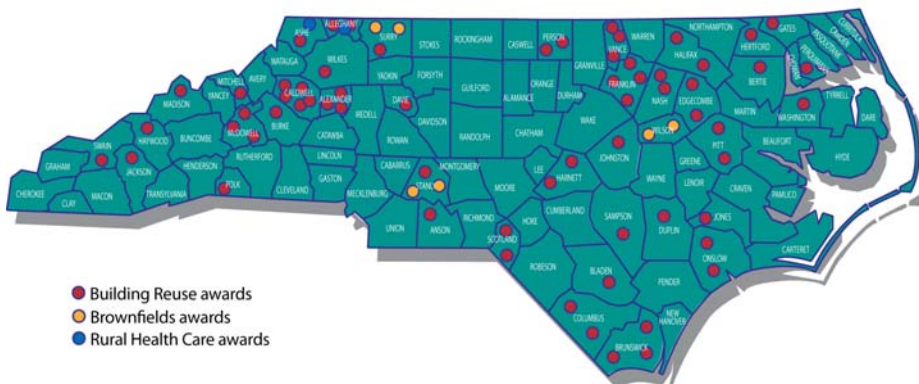
Brownfields Grants, FY09

- **3 regions**
- **6 grants**
- **\$375,000**

Rural Health Care Grants, FY09

- 2 grants
- \$396,000
- \$4.6 million leveraged
- 33 new jobs

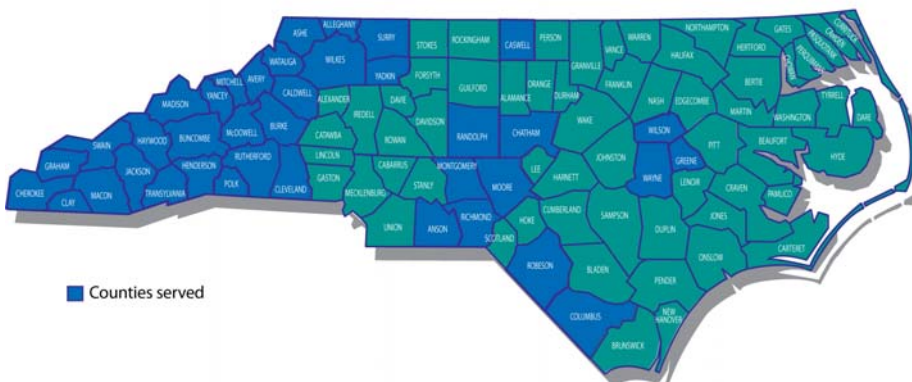
Building Reuse and Related Grants, FY09



Economic Innovation Grants, FY09

- 13 grants
- \$2.3 million
- \$3.1 million leveraged
- 19 new businesses
- 251 new jobs

Economic Innovation Grants, FY09



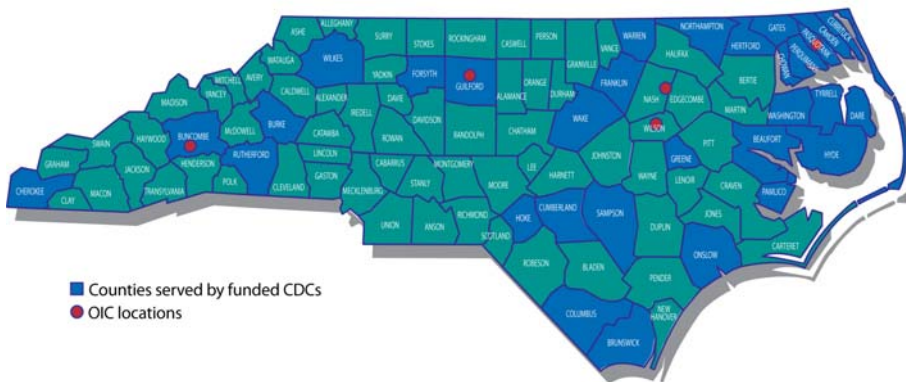
Capacity Building Programs



CDC Grants, FY09

- 23 grants
 - \$1 million
 - \$3.1 million leveraged
 - 10,800 residents served
 - 320 home foreclosures prevented
- + 5 OIC grants totaling \$270,000

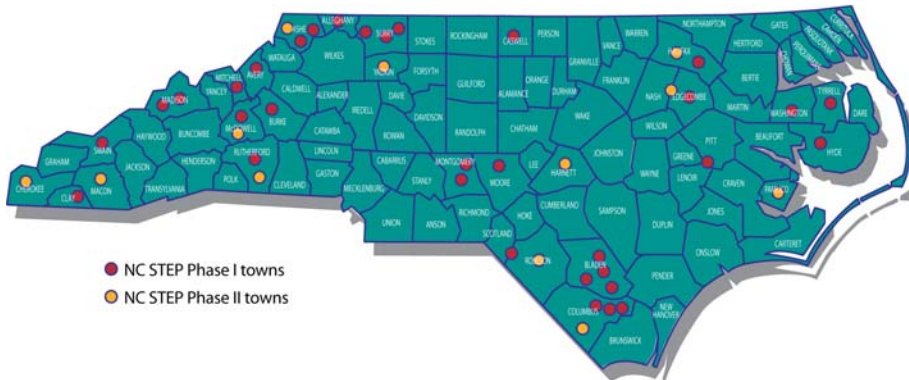
CDC and OIC Grants, FY09



NC STEP Program, FY09

- 30 sites (45 towns)
- 20 strategies completed (33 towns)
- 55 projects completed
- 52 projects under way
- 7 workshops, 421 participants
- Direct technical assistance for 847

NC STEP Program, FY09



Microenterprise Loan Program



Microenterprise Loan Program, FY09

- 56 loans
- \$361,700
- Average loan of \$6,459
- 39% to women, 52% to minorities,
18% to low-income individuals

Microenterprise Service Area

