NCDOT COUNTY MAP FAQs

What things are shown on NCDOT County Maps?

NCDOT county maps show state maintained transportation features such as interstates, highways, secondary roads, bridges, airports and railroads. The maps also include incorporated cities and towns, community names, major waterways, state and national parks and forests. Other points of interest such as churches, cemeteries, and schools may be shown.

Why are there very few street names on the maps?

Road names are assigned and updated by the individual counties that the roads are in. NCDOT assigns only numbers to the roads they maintain so the road names are rarely used on our maps.

DIGITAL COUNTY MAPS

What kind of software do I need to view the county maps on my computer?

You can view the County Map PDF and SmartPDF images with Adobe Reader or Adobe Acrobat.

PAPER MAPS

How do I order a paper copy of a county map or the state travel map?

There is a form titled "Order Paper Maps" on our web page the can be downloaded and either mailed or emailed to mappingsupport@ncdot.gov to order paper map copies.

Are the county maps available in color?

Although our current printing options don't allow color prints at a reasonable cost, color maps are being considered for future printings.

How do I request a copy of the state travel map?

The NC State Travel Map can be ordered online here:

http://www.ncdot.gov/travel/mappubs/

Who makes changes to the state travel map?

Contact Ron Nealy at <u>rnealy@ncdot.gov</u> if you have any questions, comments or suggestions for the state travel map.

How can I get a paper copy of a traffic volume map?

Traffic Volume maps are now distributed by the Traffic Survey Group. They can be contacted at (919) 771-2519

Does the Mapping Unit handle requests for specialized or thematic maps?

With appropriate management approval, we do create specialized maps for other state agencies. We also have an extensive map collection available for purchase. Along with the county maintenance maps, we also offer bridge maintenance maps, enlarged versions of the state travel map, primary route maps and general reference maps such as county boundaries, and NCDOT Division maps. We can also reproduce copies of historic versions of NCDOT county and state travel maps. However, we do not create custom products for private business or personal use.

Contact the Mapping Unit at (919) 835-8480 for more details.