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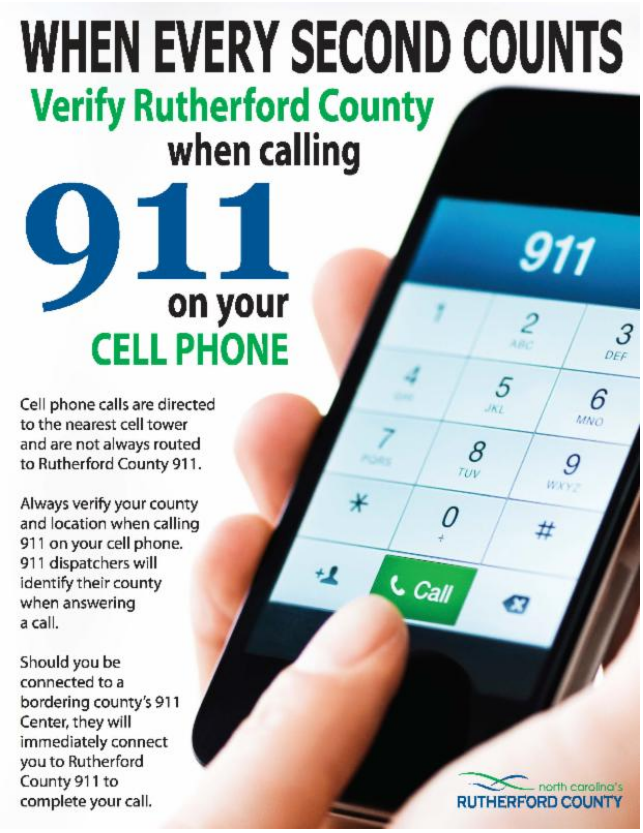
In Case of Emergency

A Public Service Announcement of Rutherford County

Help Us, Help You



Imagine this....

Your loved one seems to be having the symptoms of a stroke. You dial 9-1-1 from your cell phone and you reach another county's 9-1-1 center. They answer the phone, "Cleveland County 911, where is your emergency?" In your mode of panic, you don't not hear them identify the county that you have reached. You give them the address where your loved one is, but they have a similar road name in their county. They take your information and advise you that help is on the way. You now have the wrong county responding to the wrong location. By the time you realize that help has not arrived and you call 911 again, 10 or more minutes could have lapsed. Time is very crucial when you have an emergency.

Rutherford County is bordered by eight other counties. It's not uncommon for joining counties to have identical or similar road names. ALWAYS make sure you have the correct county when calling 911.

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