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2012 – STATEWIDE COMMUNITY REENTRY NEED & RESOURCE ASSESSMENT



2013 – NCCAA BECOMES DESIGNATED INTERMEDIARY AGENCY



2014 – REENTRY COUNCIL FORMED & SERVICE DELIVERY BEGINS



2015 – CURRENT – STAFF &
COUNCIL MEMBER
TRANSITIONS TO BUILD
CAPACITY

Challenges

- Tri-County Council
- Lack of transportation options
- Community buy-in
- Local politics
- Stigma

- Refined Council Structure
 - Nash/Edgecombe Executive Committee
 - Wilson Executive Committee
- Strong Council leadership
- More than 500 people enrolled last programmatic year
- Improved partner relations (employers, nonprofits, faith-based, local government, law enforcement, etc.)
- Reentry Week Events
 - 2 Resource Fairs
 - 1 Stakeholder Luncheon
 - 1 Block Party (200+ attendees)
- Leveraged funds (Gov. Crime Commission, Z Smith Reynolds, NCCAA, PNC Bank, NCDPS)
- Dedicated & skilled staff
- Second Chance Awards (Edgecombe County & City of Rocky Mount, NCDPS)
- Positive Media Coverage

Successes

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Challenges abound in helping ex-offenders reintegrate into society

Brie Handgraaf

Saturday, September 20, 2014

TARBORO – More than 3,600 people in a seven-month time frame are set to be released from state prisons and jails in Nash, Edgecombe and Wilson counties. The NEW Reentry Council works to help those ex-offenders reintegrate into society.

"The need is great," said N.C. Community Action Association Fellow Krystina Dilliard. "Individuals are coming back with great needs and this area has been designated by the state as a high need population."

Dillard said the grant-funded program serves the area by building



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By Drew C. Wilson

Times Staff Writer

The North Carolina Community Action Association wants to reintroduce the Nash, Edgecombe and Wilson Reentry Council to Wilson County

Sharon Goodson, executive director of the association, a statewide membership group of 37 nonprofits across the state, addressed members of the Ex-Offenders Advisory Group Monday in Wilson.





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