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## LENOIR,NC

Your Chamber Ambassador: Stephenie Oxford Deesy 828-729-5959 stephenie@lifeinwnc.com www.MountainsideRealtyNC.com Welcome to Lenoir! It is rare for an area to appeal to people either looking for a retirement home or vacation home. Here, you can slow down and appreciate our natural wonders and historically rich area, with a strong arts culture, as well as keeping busy with shopping, festivals, music concerts, and plenty of outdoor activities.

Relocating to a new area can be exciting, but can also be stressful trying to choose the area that best fits your needs. In North Carolina, the state does not tax social security or inheritance. In Lenoir, our cost of living is 5% below the national average, and the activities are plentiful. If you enjoy the outdoors, there are miles and miles of hiking and biking trails and greenways, as well as rivers perfect for canoeing and kayaking. We also have 5 of the 19 courses included in the Blue Ridge Parkway Golf Trail. And for those who prefer to continue their lifelong learning, our community college has wonderful personal enrichment programs like culinary, aviation, and beekeeping. Community involvement is very easy with many national and local civic groups, and volunteering opportunities with many youth and charitable organizations.

Your medical needs can be well attended to with our community hospital that provides many specialty services such as heart disease, cancer, memory care, osteoporosis, and diabetes, just to name a few. To request your copy of our 78-page community magazine, just email, or call. We are looking forward to meeting you!