

Effective March 24, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, and the declaration of a local, state, and national emergency, the Stokes County Register of Deeds office is taking the following measures to secure the health and safety of our employees and the public:

1. Close the office to the public.
2. Urge all submitters of documents to use our electronic recording system for recording documents.
3. The office will accept regular USPS mail-in recordings, as well as overnight deliveries via FedEx, UPS, etc.
4. Urge the public to use our GetCertificateNow program available on our website to process requests for copies of birth, death, and marriage records. Our website is www.co.stokes.nc.us/deeds . If internet availability is a problem, the customer may mail in a written request for copies. The request must contain the type of record requested (birth, death, or marriage certificate), name of the individual on the record, relationship to the individual (self, parent, child, etc.), a return address, and a signature of the requestor. Requests may be mailed to:

BRANDON HOOKER
STOKES COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS
PO Box 67
Danbury, NC 27016

5. Notaries needing to take their oath of office, couples wanting to obtain a marriage license, or veterans needing to record their discharge papers (DD214), may do so by appointment only. All those seeking appointments will not be seen if they are sick. Appointments may be made by calling (336) 593-2414.
6. We have a table set up in the hallway for drop-off recordings, as well as vital copy request forms, marriage license applications, assumed business name certificates, etc. You may leave your documents in their respective trays and they will be processed in the order in which we receive them.

We thank you for your patience and understanding during this time.



Brandon Hooker,
Stokes County Register of Deeds