



## July Wrap Up, Looking Ahead

Good afternoon Lindsay!

This month I wanted to give a special shoutout to the neighborhoods planning National Night Out events in their neighborhoods. I look forward to stopping by some of your events as a hop across the city on August 2nd as you welcome our emergency responders into your neighborhood.

For those of you ready for fall events, mark your calendar for the following three events:

1. The Cabarrus County Fair is set to return from September 9th through 17th



2. The Annual Fall Litter Sweep dates are set for September 19th through 30th



3. The Concord International Festival in Downtown will be taking place on October 1st.



As always, feel free to reach out to your [neighborhood liaisons](#) with updates, questions and invitations to your upcoming neighborhood meetings.

**Scroll down for this month's updates!**

Have a great rest of the week,

Katherine Ramirez  
Community Outreach Coordinator

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## Announcements

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### 988 Crisis Support Number Launched

This month, 988 was designated as the new three-digit dialing code that will

# 988 24/7 Crisis & Support



route callers to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. 988 offers 24/7 access to trained crisis counselors who can help people experiencing mental health-related distress.

People can call or text 988 or chat [988lifeline.org](https://www.988lifeline.org) for themselves or if they are worried about a loved one who may need crisis support.

988 serves as a universal entry point so that no matter where you live in the United States, you can reach a trained crisis counselor who can help.

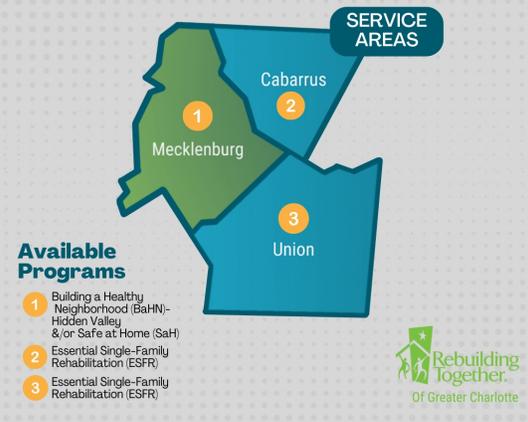
## Rebuilding Together is Now Serving Concord

Rebuilding Together of Greater Charlotte is now serving #ConcordNC!

Their mission is to repair homes, revitalize communities, and rebuild lives. They're now accepting applications for the Essential Single Family Rehabilitation Program (ESFRP) that finances major repairs for Cabarrus County homeowners who are elderly or have disabilities and whose incomes are below 80% of the median for their area.

[Learn more and apply here](#)

**Now serving Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, & Union Counties!**



## The Summer Leisure Times is Here

The city's Parks and Recreation Department offers quality programming and services for residents of all ages.

A virtual distribution of the Leisure Times includes a list of all the upcoming classes and events taking place this summer throughout the city in our different facilities.

If you are looking to explore a new greenway or park, visit page 15 in this issue.



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## The Cabarrus Health Alliance Seeks Community Input

In the future, [Cabarrus Health Alliance](#) plans to launch a mobile unit that will be stationed around the county and will offer a menu of services.



They have released a survey to capture the community's interest in receiving services from a mobile unit. Your feedback is highly valued and will be used to determine when and where services of interest will be offered.

Take the survey in English

Tome la encuesta en Español

## Upcoming Events

### W.W. Flowe Master Plan Meeting

The City of Concord Parks & Recreation Department is requesting the community's input on the vision and future development of W.W. Flowe Park.

The City will host an open-house style workshop on **July 28, 2022 from 5:30 to 8:00 at Fire Station #8 (1485 Old Charlotte Road)** to seek public comments, and discuss concepts with the community.

Can't make it to the meeting? Share your thoughts in the [W.W. Flowe Master Plan Survey](#).



Take the survey



More event details

## Small Business Saturday in Downtown

The last Saturday of the month is also **Small Business Saturday** Shop, eat, or drink at a participating business and enter for the chance to win \$100 in Downtown Concord Dollars! Enter at checkout by scanning the QR Code or completing an entry slip.

This Saturday, July 30, **Buzz City Games** is hosting a **Tesla Cruise-In** with chance to win 1 of 5 \$20 gift cards to the store!

Another Food Truck & Tacos La Chulada will be on site along with an array of Teslas from 11am - 4pm.

## Next Yard Waste Bag Giveaway is August 1

Beginning this month, yard waste must be placed in paper bags or a reusable container clearly labeled "yard waste." To help ease the transition, the City of Concord will be hosting monthly yard waste bag and "yard waste" label stickers giveaways.

The August giveaway will be taking place at Logan Multi-Purpose Center

(184 Booker Dr SW) from 12PM to 4PM.

Learn more about Solid Waste Services changes and access the full list of giveaway dates and locations.

# Yard Waste Bag Giveaway Schedule

All giveaway events will be held from 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

July 8, 2022	Fire Station 11 - 8695 Weddington Rd
August 1, 2022	Logan Multi-Purpose Center - 184 Booker Dr SW
September 1, 2022	Fire Station 3 - 100 Warren C. Coleman Blvd N
October 3, 2022	Fire Station 4 - 1165 Warren C. Coleman Blvd S
November 1, 2022	Fire Station 9 - 1020 Ivey Cline Rd
December 1, 2022	Fire Station 5 - 170 Pitts School Rd
January 3, 2023	Fire Station 3 - 100 Warren C. Coleman Blvd N
February 1, 2023	Fire Station 8 - 1485 Old Charlotte Rd SW
March 1, 2023	Academy Rec Center - 147 Academy Ave NW
April 3, 2023	Fire Station 12 - 3300 Roberta Rd
May 1, 2023	Fire Station 9 - 1020 Ivey Cline Rd
June 1, 2023	Fire Station 4 - 1165 Warren Coleman Blvd S



The City of Concord will host yard waste bag giveaways each month on a first come, first served basis. **Yard waste paper bags (limit of 10 per household each month) and stickers that say "YARD WASTE"** for residents who prefer to use their own reusable container will be distributed at the events.

For more information, please visit: [concordnc.gov/solidwaste](http://concordnc.gov/solidwaste) or call 704-920-5555



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