Person County Emergency Services Department

May 9, 2012

ANNOUNCEMENT

<u>Administrative</u> <u>Staff</u>

Wes Lail Emergency Services Director

Penny Payne EMS Operations Manager

EMS Shift Captains: Gary Davis, Lewis Powell, Bob Clay, Brian Bowes

Bonnie Jeffrey Billing Specialist

Denise Drumwright Interim Communications Operations Manager

> Hal Oakley Technology Specialist

Effective May 21, 2012, Tommy Cole will become our new Communications Manager for the 911 Center. He has been involved in the communications field for over 20 years and has worked for centers in Alamance, Caswell, and Burlington.

Tommy has also served in liaison and/or advisory capacities with the consolidated 911 center in Guilford County, Guilford-Metro 911 (GM911). He served as Co-Chair of the GM911 800MHz Fleet Map Committee, and currently, he serves as the Chairperson for the GM911 Fire Users Group Committee.

Besides his experience in the communications field, Tommy offers a diversified background in other areas of emergency services. He has served as a grants manager, fire chief for almost 10 years, and exercise specialist for Envirosafe Consultants and Investigations. As an exercise specialist, he has worked with all disciplines of emergency services. Additionally, Tommy serves as the 2nd Vice President on the Executive Board of Directors for the North Carolina State Firemen's Association.

Please join me in welcoming Tommy to our team!

Wes Lail, MPA, CFO Emergency Services Director Person County