



Organizations Supporting a Significant Increase in North Carolina's Cigarette Excise Tax

As of July 2005

Major Daily Newspapers Endorsing Significant Increase in NC Cigarette Tax:

Asheville Citizen Times
Charlotte Observer
Durham Herald Sun
Fayetteville Observer
Greensboro News-Record
Greenville Reflector
Raleigh News and Observer
The Robesonian
Wilmington Star
Winston-Salem Journal
Wilson Daily

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A Safer Place Youth Network
Access Care
Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Coalition of NC
Alamance County Medical Society
Albemarle District Board of Health (Bertie, Currituck, Camden, Chowan, Pasquotank and Perquimans)
American Cancer Society, Southeast Division, Inc
American Heart Association
American Lung Association
Anchor Club/TATU of South Brunswick High School
Anson County Board of Health
Appalachian Board of Health
Appalachian District Board of Health (Alleghany, Ashe and Watauga Counties)
Ashe County Health Council, A Healthy Carolinians Task Force
Association of North Carolina Boards of Health
Asthma Alliance
Brunswick County Board of Health
Buncombe County Board of Health
Buncombe County Project ASSIST Coalition
Caldwell Council on Adolescent Health
Caldwell County Health Department Board of Health
Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids
Capitol Pediatrics
Catawba County Board of Health (included on Brd of Commissioner's legislative agenda)
Chatham County Board of Health
Chatham County Breathe Easy Coalition
Chowan Regional Health Care Foundation
Christian Action League of North Carolina, Inc.
Clay County Health Department

Clay County Tobacco Awareness Group
Cleveland County Health Department
Common Cause of NC
Council on Adolescents of Catawba County
Council on Christian Life and Public Affairs of the Baptist State Convention
Covenant with North Carolina's Children – *supports to the national median*
Craven County Board of Health
Craven-Pamlico-Jones Counties Medical Society
Dare County Board of Health
Democratic Precinct Swift Creek 04
Democratic Precinct Swift Creek 06
Duplin Partners for Health
Durham County Board of Health
Durham County Commissioners
Durham Mental Health Board
Durham-Orange Medical Society
Eastern District NC Public Health Association
El Pueblo
Empowering Youth with Effective Strategies, EYES, Inc.
Fit City Challenge Coalition of Charlotte
Forsyth County Board of Health
Gaston County Board of Health
Goldsboro Pediatrics, PA
Good Samaritan Clinic of Haywood County
Greater Greensboro Society of Medicine
Guilford County Board of Health
Guildford Health Partnership
Guilford Pain Management
Halifax-Northampton County Medical Society
Harnett County Board of Health
Haywood County Board of Health
Haywood County Medical Society
Health Action Council
Health Link Advisory Board of Rowan County
Healthy Alamance Substance Abuse Task (Force)
Healthy Caldwellians
Healthy Carolinians Council of Orange County
Henderson County Medical Society
High Point Medical Society
Immigrant Health ACCESS Project
Institute for Health, Science, and Society
Justus-Warren Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Task Force
League of Women Voters of North Carolina
Lee County Board of Health
Legislative Study Commission on Children and Youth
Madison Community Health Organization
Madison County Board of Health
Madison County Healthy Carolinian Consortium
Management Concepts, Inc.
March of Dimes North Carolina Chapter
Mecklenburg Board of County Commissioners
Mecklenburg County Medical Society
Medical Review of North Carolina

Mental Health Association of North Carolina
Montgomery County Board of Health (not supported by the County Board of Commissioners)
National Association of Social Workers – NC Chapter
New Hanover County Board of Health
NC AARP
NC Academy of Family Physicians
NC Academy of Physician Assistants
NC Alliance for Health
NC Association for the Advancement of Health Education
NC Association of Athletics, Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (NCAAHPERD)
NC Association of Educators (NCAE)
NC Association of Local Health Directors
NC Association of Student Assistance Professionals
NC Chapter of the Society for Public Health Education (SOPHE)
NC Child Care Coalition
NC Child Fatality Task Force
NC College of Emergency Physicians
NC Commission of Indian Affairs
NC Consumers Council, Inc.
NC Council of Churches
NC Dental Hygiene Association
NC Dietetic Association
NC Health Access Coalition – *supports to the national median*
NC Medical Society
NC Minority Health Advisory Council
NC Pediatric Society
NC Prevention Partners
NC Public Health Association
NC School Board Association
Neuse Center
North Carolinians for Health Care
Northhampton County Board of Health
Olde Asheboro Street Neighborhood
Onslow County Board of Health
Orange County Board of Health
Pender County Board of Health
Planned Parenthood of Central North Carolina
Pilgrim United Church of Christ
Poe Center for Health Education
Question Why Central Region
Robeson County Community Child Protection/Fatality Prevention Team
Robeson County Board of Health
Robeson County Partnership for Children
Rowan County Board of Health
SAVE of NC GASP
School Health Association of North Carolina
Scotland County Board of Health
Senior PHARMAssist
St. Paul's United Methodist Women
State Employees Association of North Carolina (SEANC)
S.W.A.T.
Triangle Older Women's League
Wake County Human Services Board

Wake County Medical Society
Wake County Medical Society Alliance
Watagua County Healthy Carolinians
Wilkes Community Health Council
Wilkes County Board of Health
Wilkes County Medical Society
Yancey and Mitchell County Medical Society