



**2020 CENSUS
Regional Meeting**
Thursday
February 13, 2020 - 5:30 pm
Warren County
Armory Civic Center
501 US Hwy 158 Business East
Warrenton, NC 27589

What is a census and why is it important? Once a decade, America comes together to count every resident in the United States, creating national awareness of the importance of the census and its valuable statistics. The decennial census was first taken in 1790, as mandated by the [Constitution](#). It counts our population and households, providing the basis for [reapportioning congressional seats](#), redistricting, and distributing more than \$675 billion in federal funds annually to support states, counties and communities' vital programs — impacting housing, education, transportation, employment, health care and public policy.

Let's address the challenges of rural NC.

How do we identify the under counted population of senior citizens, children 5 years & under, homeless, our veterans and minority males 18 to 50 years old
Confidentiality in reporting
Financing CENSUS Outreach
Questions the CENSUS will and will not ask
Where & how to take the CENSUS
Community Concerns

Guest speakers:

Representatives from Federal, State & Local Organizations

A CENSUS Employment Recruiter

&

Marcus Bass, Executive Director
NC Black Alliance <https://ncblackalliance.org/>

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