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## **Cumberland County Hires Veterans Services Director**

FAYETTEVILLE – Cumberland County Manager James Martin announced today that Eric Redrick has been hired as the county's Veterans Services Director. Redrick will start Nov. 4 and is coming from the N.C. Department of Commerce Division of Workforce Solutions in Robeson County, where he has served three years as a veteran employment consultant.

Since retiring from the U.S. Army in 1997 with 22 years of service, Redrick, 61, has developed a connection to the veterans in our community. He worked from 2005 to 2010 in the Fayetteville office of the Employment Security Commission as a disabled veteran outreach specialist and has participated in the local Veterans Council.

Redrick, a native of Hamlet, N.C., holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from Campbell University and a master's degree in human resources development/management and leadership from Webster University.

"I am really excited and pleased Mr. Redrick will be joining the Cumberland County team. His professional qualifications and drive to provide excellent customer service and support to our veterans make him ideal to lead our Veterans Services Department," Martin said.

Redrick's annual salary will be \$47,000.

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