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**Chowan Community Funds Foundation announces new board member**

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The board of advisors of the Chowan Community Funds Foundation announces new advisory board member Dr. Landon Mason, according to Katharine Farless, board president.

Mason is the executive director of the Economic Improvement Council Inc. and the pastor of Greater Saunders Grove Missionary Baptist Church. He is the district chairman of the North Carolina Community Action Association and holds degrees from Troy State University, Norfolk State University, Virginia University and Andersonville Theological Seminary. He and his wife Maxine Mason reside in Tyner.

“We are very excited to have Dr. Mason join our board,” Farless said. “We look forward to working with him to benefit our local community.”

**About the Chowan Community Fund Foundation**

The Chowan Community Funds Foundation was founded in 2006 and is an affiliate foundation of the North Carolina Community Foundation. CCCF is led by a local volunteer advisory board that helps build community assets through the creation of permanent endowments, makes grants and leverages leadership – all for the benefit of Chowan County. In addition to Farless, board members include: Lynne Layton (vice president), Robin Sams (secretary/treasurer), John Bryant, Robert Ford, Cynthia Harding, Paul Hicks and Landon Mason.

Tax-deductible contributions, made payable to the Chowan Community Funds Foundation, can be mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, 3737 Glenwood Ave. Suite 460, Raleigh, NC 27612. Contributions can also be made online at [nccommunityfoundation.org](http://nccommunityfoundation.org).

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The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has administered more than \$130 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With nearly \$247 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with a network of affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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