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The Kerr-Tar Regional Council of Governments held its Annual Awards Banquet on Thursday, September 22, 2016 at The Henderson Vance Farmers Market in Henderson, NC. Tommy Hester, Chairman of the Kerr-Tar Board of Directors presided over the meeting, which hosted an attendance of 140. Guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Pat Mitchell of the NC Department of Commerce and Rural Economic Development.

New officers for 2016/2017 were installed as follows:

**CHAIRMAN: Barry Richardson – Warren County  
Warren County Commissioner**

**VICE CHAIRMAN: Quon Bridges – City of Oxford  
Commissioner City of Oxford**

**TREASURER: Jimmy Clayton – Person County  
Person County Commissioner**

Finance Manager, Donna Lee sang the National Anthem prior to dinner.

Kerr-Tar Annual Award presentations were made as follows:

**KERR-TAR OUTSTANDING BOARD MEMBER AWARD**

**David Smith – Granville County Commissioner**  
Making the presentation was Kathy May  
Director of Granville County Senior Center

**OUTSTANDING MUNICIPAL ELECTED OFFICIAL**

**Merilyn Newell- Mayor of Roxboro**  
Making the presentation was Henry Daniel  
Council Member City of Roxboro

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**OUTSTANDING COUNTY ELECTED OFFICIAL**

**Tony Cozart – Granville County Commissioner**  
Making the presentation was Louis Bechtel  
Granville County Department of Social Services

**OUTSTANDING CITY OR COUNTY MANAGER**

**Mike Felts – County Manager Granville County**  
Making the presentation was Zelodis Jay  
Granville County Commissioner

**OUTSTANDING CITY OR COUNTY CLERK TO THE BOARD**

**Trevie Adams – City of Roxboro**  
Making the presentation was Brooks Lockhart  
City Manager of the City of Roxboro

We also acknowledge the assistance of Matt Jackson, Mike Overton and Sam Gerald of the Henderson Police for assistance with shuttle service and parking for the event.