

TABLE V. COUNTY ATTORNEY January 2014											
County	Comments	YOS	Full-time Salary	Retainer	Fees	Paralegals No.	Amount as Compared with Past	Reason if Higher	Services Covered by Retainer	Departments Served by County Attorney	
Alamance		6	\$108,156			1	\$41,844			ABCDEFGHIJKLMOTUVWX	
Alexander	no data										
Alleghany				15,000	\$0		normal		ace	ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPSTUVW	
Anson				14,628	14,628		n/a	normal	ace	ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPRTUV	
Ashe					34,754		higher	litigation		ABCDEFGHIKLMQSTUVW	
Avery	no data										
Beaufort				28,604			n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFGLMRSTVW	
Bertie					147,000		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIKLMRSTUVW	
Bladen				3,600					a	X	
Brunswick		17	140,000							ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPQRSTUVW	
	1 assistant		101,745			1	47,385				
Buncombe			vacant			4	43,107			A	
	2 attorneys		82,227-143,454								
Burke				49,920	59,419		n/a	higher	litigation	ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPRTUW	
Cabarrus	part-time	13	37,757		36,191		n/a			ABCDEFGHIJKLMOTVW	
Caldwell				3,600			n/a		acde	X	
Camden	n/a			contracted							
Carteret		15	64,961	\$150/hr.		1	34,213	normal	acde	ABCDEFGIKLMOPRTV	
Caswell				30,000	31,502		n/a	normal	bcdef	ABCDEFGIJLMOSUVW	
Catawba		6	114,440			1	39,434			ABCDEFGHIJLMOTUVW	
	1 assistant		81,598								
Chatham				45,000	108,544	1	43,714	lower	ac	ABCDEFGIJLMRVW	
Cherokee		27	no data	35,000			n/a	lower	acdef	ABCDEFGHIKMOSW	
	1 pos - Sheriff (\$43,000)										
Chowan					22,290		n/a	lower		X	
Clay					no data		normal			ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPRSTUW	
Cleveland				23,600	111,998		n/a	higher	litigation	ABCDEFGHIJLMOTVW	
Columbus		4	74,000			1	37,428	normal	acde	X	
	assistant		67,162								
Craven					228,000		n/a	normal		ABCDEFGHIKLMOPQRSTUV	
Cumberland		3	170,625			3	39,686			ABCDFGIJLMRPSUTVW	
	2 assistants		106,226								
Currituck		5	176,868				n/a			X	
	assistant		40,334								
Dare			no data							ABCDEFGHIJKLMPRW	
Davidson		4	99,983							ABCDEFGIJLMOPTUVW	
	assistant		88,000								
Davie				48,000	7,803		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPRTV	
Duplin			100,988							ABCDEFGHIJKLMOQRSTUVW	
	assistant (part time)		33,137			1	41,424				
Durham			178,404					normal		X	
	3 assistants (part time)		38,323			3	55,256			ABCDEFGHIJLOTUV	
Edgecombe				44,000	1,371			normal	acdef	X	
Forsyth			156,686			4	45,729			X	
	3 assistants		92,123								
Franklin					100,666		n/a	normal	abcdef	ABCDFGHIJKLMOPQSTVW	
Gaston		32	144,508			2	49,021	normal		ABCDEFGIJLMOPSTVW	
	assistant		78,312								
Gates											
Graham				7,800	58,000		n/a	normal	abcdef	ABCDEFHILMSTUVW	
Granville					88,014			normal	acdef	ABCDEFGHIKLMOPRSTVW	
Greene								normal		ABCDEFGHILMNOTV	
Guilford			153,000			1	39,316	normal		ABCDEFGHILMNSTVW	
	7 assistants		89,857							ABCDEFGHILMNSTVW	
Halifax			100,337				n/a			ABCDEFGIJLMOPQRSTVW	
Harnett				7,200	68,145	2	44,496	normal	acde	X	
	2 staff attorbeys		74,536-120,498								
Haywood				42,000	101,130			no data	acdef	ABCDEFGHIJKLMOSTVW	
Henderson		13	126,506			2	37,796			ABCDEFGHIJKLMOVTW	
	assistant		87,830								
Hertford	no data								acef	ABCDEFHIMOPRSTVW	
Hoke				5,000	45,592		n/a	lower	acdef	X	
Hyde	no data									ABCDEFILMOPRSTU	
Iredell	2 assistants		38,302	16,800	47,237			normal	ac	X	
Jackson				66,316			n/a			ABCDEFGIKLMPUVW	
Johnston				342,272	144,672	1	37,113	normal	acde	ABCDFGIJLMNOPQRSTUVW	
Jones					55,000					ABCDEFGHIKLMOPRSTW	
Lee			vacant							ABCDEFGHIJKPTVW	
Lenoir	no data									ABCDEFGHILMOSTUVW	
Lincoln					193,468		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFGHIJKLMOPTVW	
McDowell				16,694				normal	bce	X	
Macon											
Madison				15,350	32,657		n/a	higher	6	ABCDEFGIJKLMUVW	
Martin				7,200	13,707			normal	bcdef	X	
Mecklenburg		5	157,659							ABCDFGIJLMNSTW	
	asst.—4 positions		104,866								
Mitchell					43,105			higher	4	ABCDEFHIKMT	
Montgomery	no data								ce	X	
Moore		6	105,377			2	41,837	normal		ABCDEFGHJKLMOPRTVW	
	asst.—2 positions		87,082							ABCDEFGHJKLMOPRTVW	
Nash				18,000	\$60-\$150/hr.		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDFGHIKLMORVW	
New Hanover			147,400							ABCDEFGIJLMQTVW	
	asst.—2 positions		110,299			2	44,787				
Northampton					10,751		n/a	normal	a	ABCDEFGHIKMOPRSTUVW	
Onslow			148,304			1	41,156			ABCDEFGHIJKLMOQTVW	
	assistant		75,000								
Orange			140,454				n/a			X	

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	asst.—3 positions		78,919							
Pamlico				no data	no data		no data		acde	ABCEGIKLMRV
Pasquotank		11	87,281			1	35,695			ABCDEFHIJLMORUVW
Pender				48,000			n/a	normal	ac	ABCDEFGHIJKLMPTV
Perquimans					20,320		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIKLPRTUVW
Person					\$150/hr.			normal		X
Pitt		9	131,319			1	57,149			ABCDEFGHIMOSTVW
	1 assistant		86,115							
Polk				11,918	56,537		n/a	lower	acdef	ABCDEFIJKMOSTUVW
Randolph				15,000	2,100		n/a	lower	a	L
	associate		59,904-92,227							
Richmond				6,000	26,203	1	35,799	normal	acdef	X
Robeson			vacant				n/a		acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMOPRTVW
Rockingham		1	106,575				n/a			ABCDEFHIJLMOSTVW
Rowan				15,996	128,548		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMOQTVW
Rutherford				10,000	132,976			normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMOPQSTVW
Sampson					26,565		n/a	normal	abcde	ABCDEFHIJLMOPQRSTVW
Scotland				no data	no data				a	ABCDEFHIJLMOPSTUVW
Stanly			83,673				n/a	normal		ABCDEFHIJLMOPQSTV
	1 assistant		39,735							ABCDEFHIJLMOPQRSTV
Stokes										
Surry				4,800	164,588		n/a	higher	1	acdef
Swain										ABCDEFHIJLMOPSTUVW
Transylvania				6,000	21,608		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMOSTVW
Tyrrell				28,320			n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIKLPRTVW
Union					\$55-\$250/hr			normal	bcef	ABCDEFHIJLMOPRTVW
			Sr. Staff Atty 97433-146,141							
			Staff Attorney 54,855-82,284	\$56,707						
Vance				6,000	43,000		n/a	normal	acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMOSTUVW
Wake			173,467				n/a			ABCDFGHJKLMOVW
	asst.—10 positions		95,381							
Warren				4,800	164,061		n/a	normal	ace	ACDEFHIJLMOPSTUVW
Washington			44,568							no data
Watauga					111,313		n/a	normal	acdef	ABDEFHIJLMSTVW
Wayne		38	98,675				n/a			IJLMOQSTVW
Wilkes					205,255		n/a	normal		X
Wilson				no data	no data		no data		acdef	ABCDEFHIJLMORUVW
Yadkin				105,000				lower	ace	X
Yancey				no data	no data					ABCDEFIKMPTUVW
Codes for Departments Served by County Attorney				Codes for Reason if Higher						
A. Board of Commissioners				1. unusual litigation or complex business transaction						
B. General Administration				2. substantial increase in salary or retainer						
C. Tax Supervisor				3. revaluation year						
D. Tax Collector				4. unusual number of tax foreclosures						
E. Sheriff				5. additional services requested by board of commissioners						
F. Register of Deeds				6. payments to more than one attorney						
G. Public Health				7. also serves as county manager						
H. Social Services				8. qualified candidate						
I. Board of Elections										
J. Public Library										
K. Recreation				Codes for Services Covered by Retainer						
L. Planning				a. attendance at all regular and special meetings of the board of commissioners						
M. Inspections				b. attendance at commissioners' meeting only on request						
N. Mental Health				c. available for routine consultation with board of commissioners and county department heads						
O. Emergency Medical Services				d. drafting ordinances and resolutions for commissioners						
P. Public Works				e. preparation of routine legal documents (deeds, simple contracts, etc.)						
Q. Airport Authority				f. preparation of legal advertisements						
R. Water System										
S. Economic Development										
T. Veterans' Service										
U. Agricultural Extension										
V. Animal Control										
W. Landfill										
X. All departments										