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News Release

County Receives Award for Budget

December 1, 2014, Monroe, NC – Union County's Administrative Services, Budget Division has been awarded the Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for its budget by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA).

The award represents a significant achievement by Union County and reflects the commitment of Union County and staff to meeting the highest principles of government budgeting.

In order to receive the budget award, Union County had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. These guidelines are designed to assess how well Union County's budget serves as a policy document, financial plan, operations guide and communications device. Budget documents must be rated "proficient" in all four categories, and the 14 mandatory criteria within those categories, to receive the award.

The GFOA is a major professional association servicing the needs of more than 18,000 appointed and elected local, state and provincial-level government officials and other finance practitioners.

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