**Ms. Dobbs NC Government Notes #2**

**Local Government:**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**County Government:**

* There are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ counties in North Carolina
* Run by:
	+ Elected \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Manage budget & levy taxes
	+ Commissioners \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a County \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
		- Oversees day to day operations of the county

**Other Elected County Officials:**

* Sheriff - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Board of Education
	+ **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,** hires administrators, textbooks, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Services Provided by Counties:**

* Community Colleges & Courts ( )
* Jails **-** Overseen by the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Soil & Water conservation **: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** & solid waste management

**Municipal Government:**

* Municipality **- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
* Governed by:
	+ **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_:** elected
	+ City Council: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ :** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ by City Council

**Responsibilities of City Government:**

* Mayor
	+ **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
* City Council
	+ **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_&** passes municipal laws ( )
* City Manager
	+ Runs city day to day, hires/fires city employees, & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Services Provided by Cities:**

* Public transportation, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, public housing, public \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, libraries, parks & recreation

**Where Do Cities Come From?**

* When a group of ppl settle in an area want to establish a city, they ask the General Assembly to become \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ Creates city \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & estb geographic boundaries
* Once \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the town creates a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ a document that gives a city/town authority & establishes how it will be governed

**Issues Facing Cities:**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Zoning:**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ decide the purpose of pieces of land in a city
* Zoning \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Typical zoning areas:Residential, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, mixed use, & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Annexation:**

* Annexation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Pros: New residents get services provided by the city
	+ Police, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, waste, & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Cons:
	+ Taxes go up - \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	+ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - City ordinances take effect

**Civic Participation:**

* Voting & \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - give \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the chance to speak on issues

**State & Local Law Enforcement:**

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Police ( Ex:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)
	+ Protect interstate highways and assisting motorists
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Police (Ex:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)
	+ Enforce laws in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ parts of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Police (Ex:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)
	+ Enforce laws in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_& provide security service

**Financing State & Local Government:**

* Where does the state get money for its budget?????????
	+ Majority comes from \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**What Does the State Spend Its Money On???**

* Majority $ spent on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Financing County Government:**

* Where do counties get most of their money?

**What Do Counties Spend Their Money On???**

* Majority $ spent on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Issues in Education:**

* Budgets:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Public Policies: schools that don’t meet standards can be taken over by state govt
* Non-educational Issues: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Alternatives to the Current System:**

* Charter Schools: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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* Tuition Vouchers: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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