



November 15th, 2023

From: Beaufort County's Office of Emergency Services

Subject: Announcement of New Emergency Management Coordinator

Beaufort County is pleased to announce the hiring of David "DC" Linton Jr. to the position of Emergency Management Coordinator and Operations Chief of Fire and Emergency Management. DC is a Beaufort County native with 21 years of experience in local, state and federal building construction and hazard mitigation project management. He has obtained an associate degree in emergency medical science and is currently pursuing his bachelor's in emergency and disaster management at Western Carolina University. DC has received certifications as a Firefighter II, Fire Officer II, Technical Rescuer, Critical Incident Stress Management, HAZMAT Operations, Confined Space, EMS Officer I and has worked as a Paramedic for Beaufort County Emergency Services since April of 2022.

DC's career exemplifies his genuine desire to serve his community and his commitment to continued professional development. Please join me in congratulating and supporting DC in his new position as Emergency Management Coordinator and Operations Chief of Fire and Emergency Management for Beaufort County.

Sincerely,

Chris Newkirk

Director,

Beaufort County's Office of Emergency Services.