

## UTILITIES

### Electric Service

Please note that there are two providers in the Rolesville area. Please call to confirm which company services your location:

Duke Energy Progress: .....866-582-6345  
Wake Electric .....800-474-6300  
.....919-863-6300

### Water & Sewer

City of Raleigh .....919-996-3245

### Natural Gas

Dominion Energy.....877-776-2427

### Garbage, Recycling & Yard Waste

Town of Rolesville.....919-556-3506

*Small business development and entrepreneurship are important aspects of a thriving business community. The Town of Rolesville would like to welcome you and we look forward to cheering on your success.*

*We know opening a business can be a challenging task and The Town of Rolesville is here to help.*

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## NEW BUSINESS

*Starting a business in  
Rolesville North Carolina*

## BUSINESS REGISTRATION

All new businesses are required to register with the NC Secretary of State's Office prior to conducting business in North Carolina. Go to [www.sosnc.gov](http://www.sosnc.gov) and search "Launching a Business".

## SIGNAGE

To apply for a new sign visit [Rolesvillenc.gov/planning/signs](http://Rolesvillenc.gov/planning/signs) and follow the instructions provided.

## USING AN EXISTING BUILDING

To use an existing building a *Change of Tenant Application* is required. To locate this application, go to [www.RolesvilleNC.gov/planning](http://www.RolesvilleNC.gov/planning) and search Forms and Applications. Upon approval, the application will be shared with the Fire Marshal's Office. They will contact you directly to schedule an inspection for compliance with the North Carolina fire and building code.

## NEW CONSTRUCTION OR RENOVATIONS

For new construction or renovating an existing structure, you'll need to follow these steps.

### STEP 1: PRE-DEVELOPMENT MEETING

Set up a predevelopment meeting to discuss the proposed project with Town Planning Staff by contacting the Planning Department at 919.554.6517.

### STEP 2: SITE PLAN SUBMITTAL

A complete site plan application package is made by the business owner or representative in order for Town Staff to review the project for compliance with Town Code and regulations. The Planning Department Staff can assist you with specific questions regarding the plan submittal and review process.

### STEP 3: BUILDING PLANS SUBMITTAL

The business owner or representative must submit a permit application for Wake County to review the project. Visit the Wake County Permit Portal to set up an account and submit your permit application.

### STEP 4: PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING

After all approvals have been granted, please contact the Planning Department to schedule a pre-construction meeting.

### STEP 5: BUILDING INSPECTIONS

All construction must be inspected as it is performed. Once a permit has been issued, Wake County Inspectors will perform the inspections. Inspections can be scheduled through the portal, or by calling 919-856-6060. If you have any additional questions or need assistance, please contact the Planning Department.

## RESOURCES AND INFORMATION

Business Link North Carolina (BLNC) is a free service for anyone seeking to start a small business in North Carolina. They offer one-on-one phone consultations to those in need of general support and are available to help you navigate topics like regulatory requirements, licensing stipulations, small-business training and more. Get in touch with a BLNC business counselor, toll free at (800) 228-8443 or contact them online at [www.blnc.gov](http://www.blnc.gov)

Small business resources are available on the Town of Rolesville's website at: [www.RolesvilleNC.gov](http://www.RolesvilleNC.gov) search "Small Business Resources".

WRAL TechWire provides a Start Up Guide for Emerging Entrepreneurs at: [www.startupguide.wraltechwire.com](http://www.startupguide.wraltechwire.com)

Wake Tech's Small Business Center: Go to [www.waketech.edu](http://www.waketech.edu) and search quick links for "Businesses".



Be sure to check in with the **Rolesville Chamber of Commerce** at [www.rolesvillechamber.org](http://www.rolesvillechamber.org) or call 919-562-7069 to learn how the Chamber can support your business.