



CONOVER NEIGHBOR JUNE 2023

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Black Tie Event Band in Concert!

City of Conover hosts live music at City Park amphitheater.

- June 23rd at 6:30pm!
- Sponsored by Village Motors of Conover and supported by a grant from the United Arts Council of Catawba County.
- FREE and open to the public
- Numerous food trucks and beer sold to benefit Catawba County Guardian Ad Litem

Hickory Metro Convention Center Expansion and Updates

Construction has started on a 46,000 square foot 14-million-dollar expansion to the center.

- Hickory and Conover co-own and operate the Convention Center through a joint board.
- Convention Center is funded by hotel taxes and revenue from events. Not local taxes.

Why the Expansion Matters...

- Visitors spend a lot of money at local businesses
- Convention Center will have over 130,000 sqft located all on one level making it one of largest among its regional competitors.
- Our community will host larger sporting tournaments and conventions.
- These events put our community on the map and in people's minds.





Juneteenth Celebration

Catawba County agencies and organizations will commemorate Juneteenth with celebrations, family gatherings and more.

- June 17th 2-6pm in Conover City Park
- Inflatables, food trucks, vendors and live music at the Norman B. Coley Amphitheater

Mark Your Calendar

- Conover Farmer's Market is open Saturdays 8-noon through August 26th.
 - June 17th - Music by Bethany Grace.
 - June 24th - Community Day: Conover Police- medication takeback and kids ID, Conover Fire Truck on site, Lions' Club- kid's mobile eye screenings, Catawba County traveling library, and music by Keith Williams.
- Bicycle Rodeo - City of Conover is partnering with Safe Kids Catawba County to provide helmets to qualifying children in our area on June 3rd, 4:30-7:30pm at Conover City Park. Conover Fire will be cooking hot dogs for this event!
- Downtown Conover Sidewalk Sale - June 10th 10am-3pm. Support our local shops!
- Red Cross Blood Drive at the Community Room June 22nd, 11am-3:30pm. Sign up at [RedCrossBlood.org](https://www.RedCrossBlood.org), use code "City of Conover".
- New Finance Department opening in July! Stay tuned for opening date!
- City Council - First Monday of the month at 7pm at City Hall, Council Chambers
- Planning Board - First Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at City Hall, Council Chambers



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