

**18 NCAC 13 .0403            DESCRIPTIONS OF SERVICE AREAS**

(a) Service areas shall be described in a manner sufficient to enable a person to determine whether or not a particular location falls within the service area. NOTE: For example, any of the following descriptions would enable a person to determine whether a location fell within the described service area: the entirety of the State of North Carolina; the entirety of X county; all of X county north of Y highway; the city of Z; the A, B and C subdivisions of Q city; or, those portions of X county between river S and highway Y.

(b) If both a map and a description of a service area are required, then the description of the service area shall correspond to the map.

(c) A description shall not be sufficient if it merely refers to a map without a description of what the map represents.

*History Note:        Authority G.S. 55D-5; 55D-10; 66-354(a);  
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