

Hutchins, NC State Volunteer Fire Chief of the Year



**Chief Wesley D. Hutchins
Walkertown Fire Department**

The Town Of Walkertown is proud to announce and congratulate Walkertown's Fire Chief Wesley Hutchins for being voted the North Carolina State Volunteer Fire Chief Of The Year at the mid-year NC Association of Fire Chiefs Conference, February 6th, at Wrightsville Beach, NC. A fireman for over 33 years, Chief Hutchins is also Dean of Emergency Services, Forsyth Technical Community College.

Chief Hutchins, a native of Walkertown holds an Associate in Applied Science Degree in Fire Protection Technology from Guilford Technical Community College and a Bachelor of Science Degree from Gardner-Webb University. He is a graduate of the National Fire Academy's Executive Fire Officer Program. Chief Hutchins is a Past President Piedmont North Carolina Firefighters Association, a past president of the Forsyth County Fire Rescue Association, and a past President of the North Carolina State Firemen's Association Executive board. Wesley is a Certified Level III Fire Service Instructor, Fire Officer I, Firefighter II, and EMT.

He lives in Walkertown with his wife Mary, and two children, Mallory and Reid.