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### Hickory – **History of Social Services Program at Patrick Beaver Memorial Library**

Come to Patrick Beaver Memorial Library on Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. for the opportunity to learn more about the history of social services in Catawba County. Catawba County Social Services Public Information Officer Margaret Day Allen will be the presenter. She will share highlights of what she learned while researching the history of social services in Catawba County for her book “Help in Hard Times.”

Copies of the book will be available for purchase and all proceeds will be used to assist their clients with needs not met by other resources. May is National Foster Care Month so there will also be information available about the foster care program.

This program is free and open to the public. Registration is not required. For more information, please call 304-0500 ext. 7235. Patrick Beaver Memorial Library is located at 375 3<sup>rd</sup> Street NE on the SALT Block.

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