## Andrew "Drew" Meyer Program Specialist Human Services

Drew's employment with Wake County began in October 1979 at Wake House, which is an emergency shelter for Wake County youth. He worked as a manager for the first 18 years of his career.

In 2000, Drew moved to 4-H Youth Development where he served as a supervisor and team leader for the 4-H Youth in Transition team. This team serves youth who are in out-of-home placements and involved with the juvenile justice system or otherwise identified as at-risk. Drew has also been an important part of the 4-H camp experience for thousands of Wake County children throughout the years. Drew's desire to help youth and families create positive futures has been the driving force for his career. He is also active in the community and has served as a volunteer chair for the Susan Komen Race for the Cure.

Drew is an inspiration and mentor to colleagues, a helper to parents, and a champion for youth. His 4-H colleagues are grateful for his leadership and friendship through the years and are excited to hear about his retirement adventures.

After 39 years of service, Drew will be retiring on April 1. In retirement, he looks forward to spending time with his wife, children and his soon to be grandchild.

Please join me in congratulating Drew on his retirement.