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<ul class="usa-pagination__list pager__items js-pager__items">
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Ensure that lists are structured correctly. See: <https://www.w3.org/WAI/WCAG22/Understanding/info-and-relationships>

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<h6 class="meckco-latest-news--item-title">New Sound, Same Fun: Meck Sounds Music Series Announced for 2026</h6>
```



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Ensure the order of headings is semantically correct. See:

<https://www.w3.org/WAI/WCAG22/quickref/>

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Page should contain a level-one heading: Fix all of the following: Page must have a level-one heading



Page: [/](#)

Element:

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<html lang="en" dir="ltr" prefix="og: https://ogp.me/ns#" class="js fontawesome-i2svg-active fontawesome-i2svg-complete">
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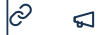
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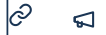
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Element:

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  Birth and Death Certificates </a>
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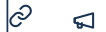
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<a class="usa-link" href="https://health.mecknc.gov/services/office-vital-records">
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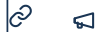
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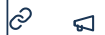
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Element:

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Page: [/](#) [WCAG 2.4.3](#)

Element:

```
<a>Skip to main content</a>
```

 **SONDE FIX PLAN**
 Review tabIndex values. Prefer tabIndex="0" and use DOM order for focus sequence.



MEDIUM "div:nth-of-type(4)" is visually at position 11 but receives focus at position 1 (drift: 10). WCAG 2.4.3 

Page: [/](#) [WCAG 2.4.3](#)

Element:



```
<div></div>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Align DOM order with visual presentation, or use tabIndex to match the visual sequence.

MEDIUM

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Element:

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MEDIUM

"div:nth-of-type(4)" is visually at position 12 but receives focus at position 1 (drift: 11).

WCAG 2.4.3



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Element:

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<div></div>
```



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Page: [/Need-a-Speaker](#) [WCAG 2.4.3](#)

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<a>Skip to main content



SONDE FIX PLAN

Review tabIndex values. Prefer tabIndex="0" and use DOM order for focus sequence.

MEDIUM

"div:nth-of-type(4)" is visually at position 12 but receives focus at position 1 (drift: 11).

WCAG 2.4.3



Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 2.4.3](#)

Element:

```
<div></div>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Align DOM order with visual presentation, or use tabIndex to match the visual sequence.

MEDIUM

Focus jumps backward from "div:nth-of-type(4)" to "Skip to main content" (visual distance: 1324px). Explicit tabIndex detected.

WCAG 2.4.3



Page: [/brand-guidelines](#) [WCAG 2.4.3](#)

Element:

```
<a>Skip to main content</a>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Review tabIndex values. Prefer tabIndex="0" and use DOM order for focus sequence.

MEDIUM

Element overflows viewport by 206px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<div><li class="meckco-card" style="width: 100%; display: inline-block;">
    <div class="meckco-card-outer-wrapper--program">
    <a class="meckco-card__link-outer" href="https://calendar.m
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM

Element overflows viewport by 238px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<div class="slick-slide" data-slick-index="1" role="group" aria-label="slide 2" aria-
-hidden="true"><div><li class="meckco-card" style="width: 100%; display: inline-bloc
k;">
    <div clas
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM

Element overflows viewport by 206px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<div class="meckco-card-outer-wrapper--program">  
<a class="meckco-card__link-outer" href="https://calendar.mecknc.gov/event/womens-advisory-board-meeting-24" tabindex="-1">  
  <div class="usa-card__c
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 206px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<header class="usa-card__header meckco-card__header">  
  <time datetime="1777325400">  
    Monday, April 27, 2026  
  </time>  
  <div class="usa-card__heading meckco-body-text-lead"
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 206px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<li class="meckco-card" style="width: 100%; display: inline-block;">  
  <div class="meckco-card-outer-wrapper--program">  
<a class="meckco-card__link-outer" href="https://calendar.mecknc
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Content clipped by 6px when text spacing is applied per WCAG 1.4.12.

WCAG 1.4.12



Text may be hidden when users adjust spacing for readability.

Page: [WCAG 1.4.12](#)

Element:

```
<div class="image-text--image"><div><div>
  <header class="usa-card__header meckco-card__header">
    <time datetime="1777325400">
      Mon
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 19684px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<div class="slick-track" style="opacity: 1; width: 20000px; transform: translate3d(0
px, 0px, 0px);"><div class="slick-slide slick-current slick-active" data-slick-index
="0" role="group" aria-label="sl
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 182px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<div class="usa-card__heading meckco-body-text-lead">
  Women's Advisory Board Meeting
</div>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 126px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<time datetime="1777325400">
  Monday, April 27, 2026
</time>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 206px at 320px width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<a class="meckco-card__link-outer" href="https://calendar.mecknc.gov/event/womens-advisory-board-meeting-24" tabindex="-1">
  <div class="usa-card__container meckco-card__container bg-meckco-color-f
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Page requires horizontal scrolling at 320px width (12px overflow). Content should reflow without horizontal scrolling at this width.

WCAG 1.4.10



Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<html>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Use responsive CSS (max-width, flex-wrap, media queries) to ensure content reflows at narrow widths.

MEDIUM Content clipped by 95px when text spacing is applied per WCAG 1.4.12. Text may be hidden when users adjust spacing for readability.

WCAG 1.4.12



Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 1.4.12](#)

Element:

```
<a href="#main-content" class="visually-hidden focusable">
  Skip to main content
</a>
```



SONDE FIX PLAN

Avoid fixed-height containers with overflow: hidden for text content. Use min-height or allow containers to grow.

MEDIUM Element overflows viewport by 55px at 320px width. WCAG 1.4.10

Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 1.4.10](#)

Element:

```
<li class="usa-breadcrumb__list-item usa-current" aria-current="page">
    Privacy & Legal Notices
</li>
```

SONDE FIX PLAN
Set max-width: 100% or use overflow-wrap to prevent horizontal overflow.

MEDIUM Content clipped by 25px when text spacing is applied per WCAG 1.4.12. Text may be hidden when users adjust spacing for readability. WCAG 1.4.12

Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 1.4.12](#)

Element:

```
<label for="edit-search-api-fulltext" class="visually-hidden">Search</label>
```

SONDE FIX PLAN
Avoid fixed-height containers with overflow: hidden for text content. Use min-height or allow containers to grow.

LOW Deep focus region: nav "Footer navigation" has 15 tab stops before focus escapes. Consider adding skip navigation or grouping with arrow keys. WCAG 2.4.1

Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#) [WCAG 2.4.1](#)

Element:

```
<nav role="nav">Footer navigation</nav>
```

SONDE FIX PLAN
Add a "skip to content" link or use roving tabindex to reduce the number of Tab stops.

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts

Page: [/](#)

Element:



```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts

Page: [/](#)

Element:

```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts  

Page: [/About](#)

Element:



```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts  

Page: [/Accessibility-Toolbar](#)

Element:



```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts  

Page: [/Departments](#)

Element:



```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts  

Page: [/Need-a-Speaker](#)

Element:

```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts  

Page: [/Policies/Privacy-and-Legal-Notices](#)

Element:

```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

LOW

Broken link: <https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty> returned status 403 Forbidden after 1 attempts



Page: </brand-guidelines>

Element:

```
<a href="https://www.twitter.com/MeckCounty">Twitter - X</a>
```

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