

District 5 News

Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Georgetown, Horry, Marion, Marlboro and Williamsburg counties

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Building and grounds specialists kept offices clean, employees safe during the Covid-19 pandemic

During the Covid-19 pandemic, SCDOT, like most businesses, were unsure how to maintain a functional workforce while preventing the spread of the virus.

Recommendations were changing daily on how to “Stop the Spread.” The front line of most

safety plans was sanitization of basically everything, and our Building and Grounds Specialists were leading the charge.

Every day, multiple times a day, they cleaned and wiped down door knobs, desks, tables, kitchens, and any public area in the DOT.

When protocols stated every-

one stay 6 feet apart, they cleaned. When an employee tested positive, they suited up with PPE and cleaned the area.

We cannot begin to thank these employees for the work they did to keep the SCDOT offices open and safe for everyone.



The District 5 Building and Grounds Specialists are, from left: Betty Brice in Marion County, Agie Grissett in Horry County, Emerson Wallace in Georgetown County, Eric McElveen in Florence County, Theodora Locklear in Marlboro County, Anna DeParolis in Dillon County and Leroy Williams in Williamsburg County. Not Pictured: Connie Bradley in Williamsburg County, Gloria Carter in Darlington County and Leroy Brown in the District 5 Office.

Meet Leroy Brown

Leroy Brown is the building and grounds specialist for the District 5 District Office. He has worked with SCDOT for more than 10 years.

Brown says that the best thing about working at the DOT is he enjoys the work and loves the people he works with. He has been married for more than 25 years and has 5 children and 6 grandchildren.

Brown's hobbies include doing handy man work for his neighbors and fishing. When he retires, he says will be on the river bank fishing every day.

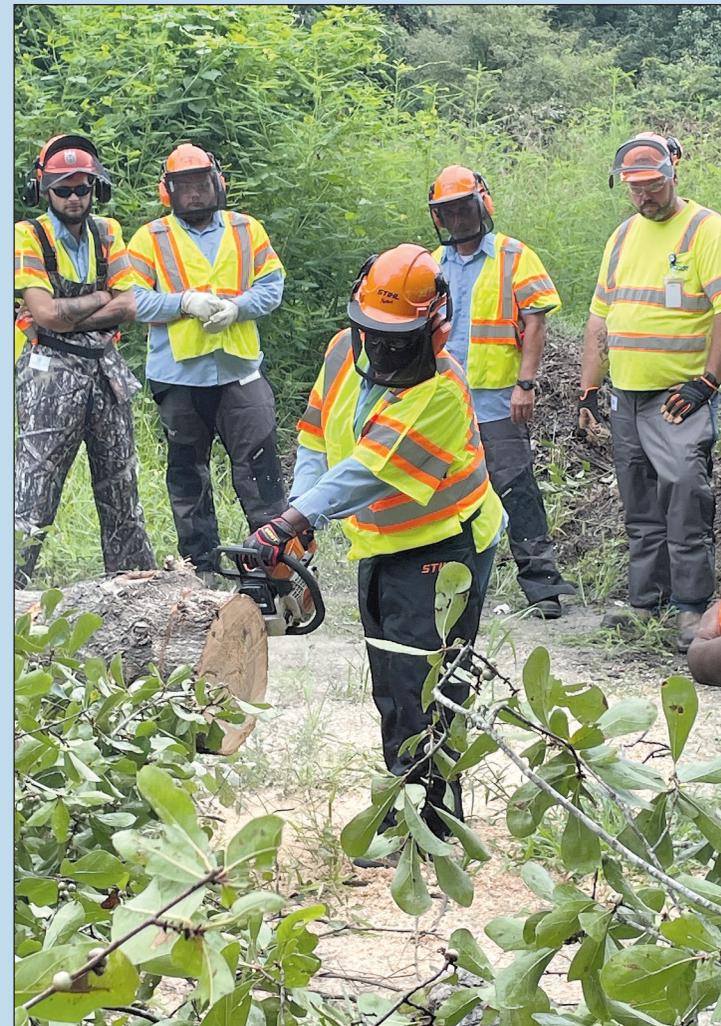


Leroy Brown

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Michael Miller



Malinda Manley practices her cutting skills while other Darlington and Marlboro Maintenance employees watch and wait their turn to practice their skills.

SCDOT encourages chain saw safety

Darlington Maintenance held a Chain Saw Training class recently. SCDOT work crews regularly are asked to remove trees and limbs from the roadway and during inclement weather

it is a necessity.

Maintenance employees sat through a classroom safety briefing and equipment review, then had a hands on practice session. The class was a success for everyone.