

OFFICIAL CALL

OF THE

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: ELECTED OFFICERS, STANDING APPOINTEES,
AREA REPRESENTATIVES, STANDING AND SPECIAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS,

CLUB PRESIDENTS, NCFRW PAST PRESIDENTS,

MEMBERS-AT-LARGE

AND THE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (ALL ELECTED OFFICERS)

FOR THE

NCFRW EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

AND

FEBRUARY MEETING OF THE NCFRW BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FEBRUARY 27-28, 2015

RAMADA INN & CONFERENCE CENTER
STATESVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

www.ncfrw.com

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: WILL MEET FROM 2:00-4:00 P.M., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2015. PRESIDENT'S MEETING AND TREASURER'S ROUNDTABLE WILL BE HELD AT 8:15 A.M. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2015. FOLLOWED BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING AT 9:15 A.M. TO APPROVE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING, RECEIVE THE TREASURER, OFFICER AND COMMITTEE REPORTS AND TO COMPLETE THE BUSINESS PENDING BEFORE THAT BODY. BOARD MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO ALL NCFRW MEMBERS.

INCLUDED IN THE OFFICIAL NOTICE:

1. REGISTRATION FORM
2. HOTEL INFORMATION
3. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Special note: NCFRW is improving our offerings through **preferred, online registration. Please observe the procedures and deadlines for registration and payment. If you choose to pay by personal check, you may do so before an early bird deadline.**

FOR MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING, SEE OUR WEBSITE, www.ncfrw.com IN THE MEMBERS ONLY SECTION.

NORTH CAROLINA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN
www.ncfrw.com
FEBRUARY BOARD MEETING
FEBRUARY 27-28, 2015 – RAMADA INN & CONFERENCE CENTER
1215 Garner Bagnal Blvd. Statesville, NC 28677

NCFRW REGISTRATION FORM

(Please complete one form for each person attending any or all functions. Copies may be made)

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN AT WWW.NCFRW.COM

➔IF YOU WISH TO PAY BY CHECK, YOU MUST REGISTER BEFORE 2/20/15<
➔AFTER 2/20/15, REGISTRATION IS ONLY AVAILABLE ONLINE<

Please type or print: Name _____
(Exactly as you want it to appear on name tag)

Full Address: _____

Telephone: (Home) _____ (Work) _____

Email Address: _____

Club Name: _____
(Please write out club name you can abbreviate Co or RWC)

Office held: _____ NCFRW Position _____

Guest of (if applicable): _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check the events you plan to attend (and show # for each)	Cost	*AFTER 2/20/15 OR Walk-In
_____ Friday Night – Spotlight Dinner	\$22/person	\$32/person
_____ Saturday Board Meeting (materials & workshops)	\$15	\$30
_____ Saturday Lunch – “Leading Ladies Luncheon”	\$19/person	\$29/person
_____ February Board Meeting Sponsor (<i>optional</i>)	\$100	\$100

Total enclosed (Your check is your receipt)

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PLEASE CHECK WORKSHOP YOU WILL BE ATTENDING:

_____ I will attend the NCFRW Workshop 2:15pm – 4:15pm

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS OPEN AT WWW.NCFRW.COM

If mailed, PAYMENT MUST BE ENCLOSED W/ REGISTRATION FORM & received before 2/20/15.

Make check payable to NCFRW

Mail to: Donna Averitt, NCFRW Treasurer,

4665 Greendale Way, Winston-Salem, NC 27103 336-575-9492 donnaaveritt@gmail.com

Registration times: Friday, 5:00-7:00 p.m., Saturday, 7:30 – 9:30 a.m.

Note: If you are only attending a meal, registration will also be open 30 minutes before meal events.

North Carolina Federation of Republican Women

www.ncfrw.com

February Board of Directors Meeting

February 27-28, 2015

Hotel Information- Ramada Inn & Conference Center

Hotel Information

Ramada Inn & Conference Center

1215 Garner Bagnal Blvd Statesville, NC 28677



Advance Room Rate:

Call: 704-878-9691

Ask for Group Rate: NCFRW Republican Women

\$65 Standard King or Double (free internet access)

Plus tax equal to combined state & local occupancy tax

Rate Guarantee Deadline: Friday, February 13, 2015

****IMPORTANT INFORMATION – PLEASE READ***

Please note: Please make your reservations by contacting the hotel directly at the phone number 704-878-9691. Guaranteed rate is first-come, first-served based on availability.

Hotel Deadline: The anticipated deadline for hotel rates is Friday February 13, 2015. If you have any difficulty making reservations, please contact Zan Bunn at 919-414-0473 or zanbunn@gmail.com (Subject: URGENT HOTEL).



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February Board of Directors Meeting

February 27-28, 2015

Statesville, NC

Schedule of Events

Friday, February 27, 2015

2:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting (Executive Committee Members)
4:00 p.m.	Ramada Inn Hotel Check-In
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	NCFRW Registration
7:00 – 8:45 p.m.	Friday Spotlight Dinner – Governor James G. Martin
9:00 p.m.	Hospitality Suite

Saturday, February 28, 2015

7:30 – 9:30 a.m.	Registration
8:15 – 9:00 a.m.	President & Treasurer Roundtables
9:15 – 12:00 p.m.	Board of Directors Meeting
12:00 – 2:00 p.m.	“Leading Ladies” Luncheon Rep. Rena Turner (NC-84 Iredell) Rep. Michele Presnell (NC-118 Haywood Madison Yancey) Lt. Col. William Cowan (ret), Military & Terrorism Expert Analyst
2:00pm	Book Signing, “Snatching Hillary” Lt. Col. William Cowan (ret)
2:15 - 4:15 p.m.	Workshop Update on Common Core in NC – Lindalyn Kakadelis, John Locke

Biographies



Governor James G. Martin

JAMES G. MARTIN was born in Savannah, Georgia. He received a bachelor of science degree from Davidson College in 1957 and his PH.D. from Princeton University in 1960. From 1960 to 1972 he taught chemistry at Davidson College. In 1966 he began the first of three terms as Mecklenburg County Commissioner and served as chair. He also founded the nine-county Centralina Council of Governments. He served as its chair from 1968 to 1972. In 1970, he was elected president on the North Carolina Association of Regional Councils. From 1973 to 1984, he was a member of the U.S. House of Representatives, where he served six terms. During his tenure, he chaired the House Republican Research Committee and served on the House Ways and Means Committee. He served as president of the Council of State Governments and chair of the Southern Regional Education Board, the Southern Growth Policies Board, and the Southern Technology Council. He was elected governor in November 1984 and reelected in November 1988. Governor Martin's

agenda addressed quality of life, better schools, better roads, better jobs, and a better environment for the people of the state. *(Bio courtesy of Republican Governor's Association website, Photo courtesy of WBTV)*



Rep. Rena Turner (NC-84 Iredell) www.nchouse84.com

Born, raised, and educated in Iredell County, Representative Rena Turner is well-prepared to serve her second term representing her neighbors in newly-formed District 84. From an early age, Representative Turner worked on the family dairy farm picking cotton, driving trucks, loading hay bales, and taking the 4 a.m. shift to milk cows. Formerly a teacher in the Iredell-Statesville Schools, Representative Turner taught at Oakwood Junior High (now Statesville Middle School) and at Harmony Elementary after earning both her undergraduate and graduate degrees from Lenoir-Rhyne University, a private liberal arts school in the rolling hills of North Carolina's Piedmont. Representative Turner went on to serve as the Clerk of Superior Court for Iredell County, where she gained a vast appreciation how North Carolina's laws actually affect residents. Unlike clerks of court in other states, clerks of the Superior Court in North Carolina have numerous quasi-judicial functions — including probate, adoptions, competency proceedings, condemnation of private lands, and foreclosures. In that capacity, she was honored by her peers to serve as

President of the North Carolina Clerks of Superior Court Conference. Representative Turner received the Distinguished Rotarian Award in 2008 and was named a Paul Harris Fellow by the Statesville Rotary Club. She was honored with the Laity Award for her participation and leadership in Friendship United Methodist Church, where she has been choir director and organist for 40 years. Representative Turner served on seven committees in her freshman term: Agriculture; Appropriations; Education; Government; Judiciary; State Personnel; and the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Justice and Public Safety. Her strong conservative principles and effectiveness representing the citizens of Iredell County led to a decisive re-election victory, garnering Representative Turner nearly 70% of the vote in 2014. This year, Representative Turner was chosen by Speaker Moore to chair the Committee on Aging and to serve as Vice-Chair of the Judiciary Committee. She will also serve on the Agriculture Committee, the Appropriations Committee, the Committee on K-12 Education, the State Personnel Committee, and the Transportation Committee. Representative Turner and her husband Donald have been married for 43 years and live in Olin. They have three children and seven grandchildren.



Rep. Michele Presnell (NC-118 Madison Haywood Yancey)

www.nchouse118.com

Serving her second term in the North Carolina General Assembly, Representative Michele Presnell has a long and accomplished history of public service. A Yancey County Commissioner and past president of the Yancey County Chamber of Commerce, Representative Presnell has also served as President and a former board member of the Mayland Community College Foundation (for Mitchell, Avery, and Yancey Counties). Representative Presnell is also on the Council for Aging's Senior Citizens Board, which is working diligently to secure funds for a new Senior Center in Yancey County. A National Rifle Association member with her concealed carry permit, Representative Presnell is also a member of the National Federation of Independent Businesses. Her husband, Keith Presnell, is a former North Carolina State Senator and former Chairman of the Yancey County Board of Commissioners. For the past 26 years, Representative Presnell has owned and managed her own business, Serendipity Custom Frames, in Burnsville. In the General

Assembly, Representative Presnell served on seven committees in her freshman term: Agriculture; Appropriations; Commerce and Job Development; Education; Government; Regulatory Reform; and the Joint Legislative Economic Development and Global Engagement Oversight Committee. In 2014, Representative Presnell was instrumental in saving over 1,000 local manufacturing jobs for the people of her district. And despite millions of dollars being spent against her by outside liberal interest groups, Representative Presnell was re-elected to the House with an impressive victory in 2014. This year, Representative Presnell was chosen by Speaker Moore to chair the Commerce and Job Development Committee and to also serve as a Vice-Chairman of the Appropriations Committee. She will also serve on the Agriculture Committee, the Transportation Committee, and the Committee on Wildlife Resources. The Presnells have three children, five grandchildren, and have lived in the same house in Burnsville now for over 33 years.



Lieutenant Colonel William Cowan, USMC, Retired

Bill Cowan is a retired Marine Corps lieutenant colonel. A highly decorated Vietnam veteran he went on to become a founding member of the Pentagon's super-secret Intelligence Support Activity. A Senate staffer for Warren Rudman and key author of the legislation creating U.S. Special Operations Command, Bill has spent much of his professional life in special activities and operations for the U.S. Government. For 13 years he has been a Fox News Channel military and terrorism analyst. **A new book can be reviewed at**

www.snatchinghillary.com



Lindalyn Kakadelis www.johnlocke.org/about/bio/23/

Since 2001, Lindalyn Kakadelis has worked with the John Locke Foundation. She currently is the Director of Education Outreach for the organization. Before this assignment she served as the Director of the North Carolina Education Alliance, a resource network providing North Carolinians with comprehensive data on topics affecting K-12 education. Before coming to the Alliance, Mrs. Kakadelis served as the Director of Children's Scholarship Fund (CSF) of Charlotte for more than two years. CSF, a privately funded charity providing tuition assistance to lower-income students, gives disadvantaged families the freedom to choose the best school for their child.

Mrs. Kakadelis also served two terms on the Charlotte Mecklenburg Board of Education (CMS). First elected in 1995, she worked on the Legislative and Curriculum Committees and chaired the Policy Committee. One of Mrs. Kakadelis' key achievements as a CMS board member was her involvement in the implementation of an urban public school choice plan benefiting more than 100,000 students. Mrs. Kakadelis has also served as a founding board member of Queen's Grant Charter School in Charlotte.

Mrs. Kakadelis began her career in education as an elementary school teacher, later becoming a preschool director, PTA member, and PTA legislative chairperson when she had children.