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for
The 59th Annual Meeting
of the



NORTH CAROLINA
ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

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CONSTITUTION & BYLAWS
OF
THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION
OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

In compliance with §55A-2-06 of the General Statutes of North Carolina

Article 1
Name

The name of this organization shall be the North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists.

Article 2
Purpose

The purposes of this state association of churches are to assist in the establishment and maintenance of voluntary associations of autonomous Free Will Baptist churches in fulfilling their ecclesiastical mission; to foster and promote involvement in the state and national associations of Free Will Baptist churches; and to encourage cooperative support, conduct meetings, and create fellowship among district associations of Free Will Baptist churches to further the cause of Christ. This organization operates as an association of churches exclusively for charitable, religious, and educational purposes according to the Bible as interpreted by Free Will Baptist doctrine.

Article 3
Statement of Faith

3.01 Incorporation by Reference. This association's statement of faith incorporates by reference parts II and III of The National Association of Free Will Baptist's *A Treatise of the Faith and Practice of the National Association of Free Will Baptists, Inc.*, which lists the statement of faith of Free Will Baptists.

3.02 Additional Faith Provisions. In addition to the beliefs incorporated by reference in section 3.01 of these bylaws, this association also adopts, as part of its statement of faith, the following positions:

(1) Marriage and Sexuality

- a. We believe that the term "marriage" has only one, legitimate meaning, and that is marriage sanctioned by God, which joins one man and one woman in a single, covenantal union, as delineated by Scripture. Marriage ceremonies performed in any facility owned, leased or rented by this association will be only those ceremonies sanctioned by God, joining one man with one woman as their genders were determined at birth. Whenever there is a conflict between the association's position and any new legal standard for marriage, the association's statement of faith, doctrines and biblical positions will govern. (Gen. 2:24; Eph. 5:22-23; Mark 10:6-9; I Cor. 7:1-9)
- b. We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of marriage as defined in (a) above. We believe that any other type of sexual activity, identity or expression that lies outside of this definition of marriage, including

those that are becoming more accepted in the culture and the courts, are contradictory to God's natural design and purpose for sexual activity. (Gen. 2:24; Gen. 19:5; Lev. 18:1-30; Rom. 1: 26-29; 1 Cor. 5:1; 6:9-10; 1 Thess. 4:1-8; Heb. 13:4)

- c. We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God and the rejection of one's biological gender is a rejection of the image of God within that person. (Genesis 1:26-27)

(2) Sanctity of Life

- a. Abortion. We believe that human life begins at conception and that the unborn child is a living human being. Abortion is murder and constitutes the unjustified, unexcused taking of unborn human life. (Job 3:16; Ps. 51:5; 139:13-16; Isa. 44:24; 49:1, 5; Jer. 1:5; 20:15-18; Luke 1:36, 44)
- b. Euthanasia. We believe that an act or omission which, of itself or by intention, facilitates premature death, is assuming a decision that is to be reserved for God. We do not believe that discontinuing medical procedures that are extraordinary or disproportionate to the expected outcome is euthanasia. (Ex. 20:13; 23:7; Matt. 5:21; Acts 17:28)

- (3) Love. We believe that we should demonstrate love for others, not only toward fellow believers, but also toward those who are not believers, those who oppose us, and those who engage in sinful actions. We are to deal graciously, gently, patiently, and humbly with those who oppose us. God forbids the stirring up of strife, the taking of revenge, or the threat or use of violence as a means of resolving personal conflict or obtaining personal justice. Although God commands us to abhor sinful actions, we are to love and pray for any person who engages in such actions. (Lev. 19:18; Matt. 5:44-48; Luke 6:31; John 13:34-35; Rom. 12:9-10; 17-21; 13:8-10; Phil. 2:2-4; II Tim. 2:24-26; Titus 3:2; I Peter 3:8-9; 1 John 3:17-18)

- (4) Lawsuits within the Church. We believe that Christians are prohibited from bringing civil lawsuits within the Church. We do believe, however, that a Christian may seek compensation for injuries from another Christian's insurance company as long as the claim is pursued without malice or slander. (1 Cor. 6:1-8; Eph. 4:31-32)

- (5) Protection of Children. We believe that children are a heritage from the Lord and must be absolutely protected within the body of Christ from any form of abuse or molestation. This association has zero tolerance for any person, whether paid staff, volunteer, member of an affiliated church, or visitor, who abuses or molests a child. (Ps. 127:3-5; Matt. 18:6; Matt. 19:14; Mark 10:14)

3.03 Authority of the Statement of Faith. The statement of faith does not exhaust the extent of our faith; the Bible itself is the sole and final source of all we believe. However, we do believe that the statement of faith, which includes the incorporated provisions and additional positions set forth in section 3.02 above, accurately represents the teachings of the Bible and, therefore, is binding upon all board members, officers, district associations, member churches, delegates, staff, and volunteers. All literature, whether print or electronic, used in the association, shall be in complete agreement with the statement of faith. All activities permitted or performed in any facilities owned, rented, or leased by this association, or engaged in by any staff member of the association (volunteer or paid) and all decisions of the administration of this association shall not conflict with the statement of faith.

Article 4 Membership

4.01 Requirements for Membership in the State Association. District associations of Free Will Baptist churches located within the State of North Carolina may apply for membership in this state association. A state association credentials committee, appointed by the state association's executive board ("executive board"), shall examine the application and make any other investigation it deems appropriate. The credentials committee shall make a recommendation to the executive board as to the appropriate action to take regarding membership. The decision regarding an application for membership shall be made by majority vote of delegates present and voting at the state association annual meeting.

4.02 Annual Report. Each district association holding membership in this state association shall send a report of statistics to the annual state association meeting on a form provided annually by the state association. Failure to complete and return this report for two successive annual membership sessions of the state association may be the basis for dismissal from the state association by a majority vote of delegates of district association members present and voting at the annual state association meeting.

4.03 Membership Affiliations. Each local church holding membership in an affiliated district association that is accepted for membership in this state association shall automatically be a member of this state association.

Article 5 Representation

5.01 Choosing of District Association Delegates to State Association Meetings. Every district association shall elect or appoint delegates to the state association meetings by a majority vote of the district association members.

5.02 Seating of District Association Delegates at State Association Meetings. Seating of delegates to state association meetings shall be through recommendation of a credentials committee. Any potential delegate whose credentials are not recommended for approval by the credentials committee may be seated only by a majority vote of seated delegates who are present and voting.

Article 6 Standing Boards

6.01 Executive Board

- (1) Composition. The executive board shall consist of the officers (moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, and treasurer) and three members at large elected by the members of the state association.
- (2) General Duties. The executive board shall (a) arrange the program for the annual meeting and any special meetings of the association; (b) fill by majority vote vacancies that may occur on the executive board or other standing boards between meetings of the state association; (c) promote the work of the state association; (d) review the annual reports and proposed budgets of the executive board and any other boards and committees before they are

presented to the state association annual meeting; (e) provide for and give general supervision to state association sponsored programs and service ministries; (f) decide by majority vote to employ and supervise a promotional director; and (g) determine honorariums or compensation, if necessary and appropriate.

- (3) Authority of Executive Board. The executive board is not authorized to act for the state association except as provided by these bylaws of the state association or as specifically directed by majority vote of the delegates from the district associations.
- (4) Creation of Committees. The executive board may, by majority vote, create various committees as it deems necessary and appropriate in compliance with Article 10 of these bylaws.
- (5) Election of Executive Board Members. Members of the executive board who are also officers of the state association (moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, and treasurer) shall be elected in accordance with Article 8 of these bylaws. Three additional members of the executive board shall be elected to serve on the executive board and shall be elected by the district association delegates at the annual state association business meeting. No person may hold membership on both the executive board and another standing board at the same time.
- (6) Term of Office of Executive Board Members. Each officer shall be elected for a term of two years and are eligible for re-election for another two-year term, their tenures not to exceed four consecutive years. Members-at-large shall be elected to a term of three years and are eligible for re-election for another three-year term, their tenures not to exceed six consecutive years. Any current member-at-large elected to serve as an officer shall not serve more than a total of six consecutive years as a member of the board.
- (7) Custodian of Association Property. The executive board shall be the legal custodian of all property belonging to the association, except in the case of the other standing boards of the association, which by action of the association are authorized to incorporate.

6.02 Other Standing Boards

- (1) List of other standing boards. The following standing boards shall exist as part of the state association:
 - a. North Carolina Free Will Baptist State Missions Board
 - b. North Carolina Free Will Baptist Youth Ministries Board
- (2) Duties of Other Standing Boards. Each of the other standing boards shall:
 - a. Promote the work within the state as would generally be recognized as coming within the purview of the respective board.
 - b. Be responsible to the state association for all their actions.
 - c. Propose bylaws for the governing of their respective work (the bylaws of each board shall be presented to the state association for approval).
 - d. Maintain accurate records of all committee meetings and decisions, and make an annual report of its accomplishments to the state association.
 - e. Prepare a budget of proposed expenditures that shall be presented to the association for approval.
- (3) Election and Terms of Office of Other Standing Board Members

- a. Each of the standing boards listed in section 6.02 shall be composed of five members elected by the state association members at the annual meeting of the state association.
- b. No person shall hold membership on more than one standing board at the same time.
- c. The members of the boards listed in 6.02 shall each have a term of office of five years with their terms arranged so that one member's term expires annually.
- d. Each of the standing boards listed in section 6.02 shall elect among its members a director and a clerk.

(4) Meetings of Other Standing Boards

- a. Meetings of other standing boards shall be held at the discretion of each board's director.
- b. A quorum for standing board meetings listed in this section shall consist of a majority of current board members. Any one or more standing board members may participate in a meeting of a standing board by means of a conference telephone, web-based conference, or similar communications equipment or device, by means of which all persons participating in the meeting can hear each other at the same time. Participating by such means shall constitute presence in person at a meeting for purposes of determining if a quorum is present.
- c. Notice of meetings shall be provided by the standing board's clerk at least one week prior to the date of the meeting by each member's chosen method of notice (U.S. Postal Mail, electronic mail, text or phone call).
- d. A majority vote of present and voting members of the standing board shall carry the motion or decision being considered. Absentee voting is not permitted, and no voting shall be done by proxy in standing board meetings.

Article 7

Officers and Their Duties

7.01 Corporate Officers. The officers of this state association shall be members of the executive board and shall include a state association moderator, an assistant moderator, a clerk, and a treasurer.

7.02 State Association Moderator. The state association moderator shall (1) preside at meetings of the state association and its executive board; (2) call meetings of the executive board of his own volition or upon request of at least three members of the executive board; and (3) fulfill whatever responsibilities that may be commensurate with the office or that may be delegated by the executive board.

7.03 Assistant Moderator. The assistant moderator shall (1) preside at the request of, or in the absence of, the moderator at the meetings of the state association and its executive board; and shall (2) assist the moderator in such manner as may be requested.

7.04 Clerk. The clerk shall (1) prepare accurate minutes of the proceedings of all meetings of the state association and the executive board; (2) provide for the safe keeping of such minutes; (3) preserve the record of said proceedings in a book provided for this purpose; (4) handle such official correspondence as may be directed by the state association; (5) sign, certify, or attest documents as may be required by law; (6) see that reports, statements, certificates, and all other documents and records required by law are properly kept and filed; and (7) see that notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these bylaws. In the case of the absence or disability of the clerk, or upon his or her refusal to act, notice may be given by the moderator or the assistant moderator of the executive board.

7.05 Treasurer. The treasurer shall hold in trust all money that belongs to the state association or its executive board and, along with the moderator, is invested with the authority to authorize the disbursement of state association funds. He shall keep an account of all funds received and disbursed and make interim reports to the board as requested and to the annual meeting of the state association.

Article 8

Election of Officers

8.01 Limitations on Officers. No person shall hold more than one state association elected office at the same time unless an exception is made by a majority vote of the executive board. The offices of moderator and assistant moderator shall be filled on an alternating basis from the eastern and western parts of the state; Durham shall be the dividing line. When the moderator is elected from one area, the assistant moderator shall be elected from the other.

8.02 Nominations of Officers. Prior to each annual meeting, the executive board shall elect, by a majority vote, a nominating committee, which shall present their nominations report to the association delegates at the annual meeting. After the nominating committee report is presented, additional nominations for any office may be made from the floor.

8.03 Election of Officers. After nominations have been presented, all officers shall be elected by a majority vote of the association delegates present and voting at the annual state association meeting.

8.04 Term of Office. Consistent with section 6.01(6) of these bylaws, each officer of the executive board and of this association (moderator, assistant moderator, clerk, and treasurer) shall have a term of office of two years, with their terms arranged so that one member's term expires annually.

Article 9

Meetings of the Executive Board and the State Association

9.01 Annual State Association Meeting. This association shall convene in regular annual session on the first Monday and Tuesday after the first Sunday in June at a place determined by the executive board. In the event of an emergency resulting from a cancellation of the place approved by the state association during the annual meeting, the executive board shall have the power to make a suitable choice of location for the remainder of the annual meeting.

9.02 Special State Association Meetings. The executive board moderator (or a majority vote of the executive board if the office of moderator is vacant or if the moderator is the subject of possible disciplinary action) may call for special state association meetings.

9.03 Executive Board Meetings. Executive board meetings shall be held on a quarterly basis or as determined by the executive board. Special meetings may be called by a majority vote of the executive board, and any business appropriately conducted at the annual business meeting may be conducted at a special meeting.

9.04 Quorum. A quorum for board meetings shall consist of a majority of current executive board members. A quorum for annual or special state association meetings shall be those qualified members in attendance at such meeting.

9.05 Notice of Meetings

- (1) State Association Meetings. Notice of the annual state association meeting shall only be sent if the date, location or time of the annual meeting differs from the date listed above in section 9.01. If notice is sent, it shall include the date, time, and location of the meeting and be sent via U.S. Postal Mail to each state association at least four weeks preceding the meeting. Notice of special state association meetings must include the date, time, location, and purpose of the meeting and shall be sent via email or U.S. Postal Mail at least two weeks prior to the scheduled meeting.
- (2) Board Meetings. Notice of quarterly executive board meetings shall include the date, time, and location of the meeting, and be sent to each board member in accordance with his or her preferred written method of notice, whether via email or U.S. Postal Mail, at least one week preceding the meeting. Notice of special board meetings must include the date, time, location, and purpose of the meeting and shall be sent to each board member via email or phone at least twenty-four hours prior to the scheduled meeting.

9.06 Moderation at Meetings

- (1) Moderator. The moderator, or in his absence or unwillingness to act, the assistant moderator, shall preside at all executive board meetings and state association meetings.
- (2) Rules of Procedure. The moderator, or in his absence or unwillingness to act, the assistant moderator, shall determine the rules of procedure according to his sense of fairness and common sense, giving all executive board members and association delegates a reasonable opportunity to be heard on a matter. For rules of decorum, Robert's Rules of Order should be used as a guide when applicable, except in cases where Robert's Rules are superseded by the rules of the association. The moderator is the final authority on questions of procedure, and his decision is final and controlling. For any meeting under this article, the moderator, in his sole discretion, shall have full and unilateral authority to require nonmembers (or children, if circumstances so warrant) to leave the meeting room and to order the immediate removal of any member or other person present who is deemed by the moderator to be disruptive to the proceedings by act or presence. If the moderator determines that compliance with his order of removal is unsatisfactory, he may, in his sole discretion, revoke the disruptive person's right to remain on the premises and treat the person as a trespasser.

9.07 Voting at Meetings

- (1) Eligible Persons. Voting at executive board and state association meetings is limited to eligible persons present at the meeting. "Eligible persons" means, for purposes of executive board meetings, duly elected executive board members and, for purposes of state association meetings, eligible delegates from district associations in good standing with the state association.
- (2) Absentee and Proxy Voting. Absentee voting is not permitted, and no voting shall be done by proxy in any state association, executive or other standing board, or committee meeting.
- (3) Electronic Means of Participation. Any one or more executive board members may participate in a meeting of the executive board by means of a conference telephone, web-based conference, or similar communications equipment or device by means of which all persons

participating in the meeting can hear each other at the same time. Participating by such means shall constitute presence in person at a meeting for purposes of determining if a quorum is present. Electronic means of participation is not permitted for purposes of quorum or voting at state association meetings.

- (4) **Required Number of Votes.** A majority vote will constitute the requisite number of votes for passage of amendments and motions, whether by the executive board voting at a meeting of the executive board or by the delegates voting in a state association meeting.

Article 10 Committees

10.01 Creation of Committees. Various special committees shall be created by majority vote of the executive board or the state association delegates when need arises. The number of members of a committee shall be determined by the establishing body (executive board or state association as a whole). Committee members shall be appointed by the moderator unless otherwise provided by the action creating the committee. Committee members shall serve for the length of time provided in 10.02, until their work has been completed, until they are released, or until their successors are chosen.

10.02 Term of Committee Service. The members of any committees established by the executive board shall each serve a term of office of three years, with their terms arranged so that at least one committee member's term expires annually.

10.03 Standing Committees. Except as otherwise provided below, the following committees shall be appointed annually by the board to serve the board and to serve during the annual state association meeting.

- (1) **Credentials Committee.** The credentials committee shall consist of three members. This committee shall examine all letters to the association, applications for membership in the association, and credentials of the various delegates. The committee shall make recommendations to the state association and its executive board regarding the seating of delegates and the action to take on applications of district associations in the state association.
- (2) **Resolutions Committee.** The resolutions committee shall screen resolutions that are presented to the annual association meeting. Only resolutions determined by this committee to be worthy are to be presented to the association by the committee.
- (3) **Finance Committee.** The finance committee shall receive and account for all funds received and used by the state association.

10.04 Quorum and Voting at Committee Meetings. For purposes of conducting committee meetings and business, a majority of committee members shall constitute a quorum, and a majority of those members present and voting shall constitute the requisite number of votes for passage of proposals and motions.

10.05 Authority of Committees. Committees, whether standing or special, have no authority to act on behalf of the association. Their primary function is to research and recommend. Committees shall make available upon request all records and materials to the executive board, who shall have the right to overrule any plans or decisions made by the committee. Each committee shall elect among its number a

chairman and a secretary. The chairman shall conduct the business of the committee meetings, and the secretary shall keep minutes of each meeting and timely submit the minutes to both the executive board moderator and secretary to be filed with the association's records. If deemed appropriate by the executive board, the committee secretary, in conjunction with the chairman, shall submit an annual report to the executive board of the decisions and plans of the committee.

Article 11

Discipline

This association has no judicial or appellate powers conflicting with the independence of the local church or bodies constituting this state association.

Article 12

Limitation of Liability and Binding Arbitration

12.01 Limitation of Liability. This association is not responsible for the actions of local member churches or district associations that constitute the members of this association nor for the actions of members or attendees of such local churches or district associations.

12.02 Submission to Arbitration. Delegates to this association, officers, board members, and members of the local churches or district associations that constitute the membership of this association agree to submit to binding arbitration any legal matters that arise between the member churches, district associations, or conventions and this association or between the individuals within the member churches, district associations, or conventions and this association that cannot otherwise be resolved, and they expressly waive any and all rights in law and equity to bring any civil disagreement before a court of law, except that judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof.

12.03 Arbitration Procedures. The procedures for arbitration shall be as adopted by the executive board. If the executive board has not adopted procedures, the church will use arbitration procedures provided by the National Center for Life and Liberty. This arbitration provision is ecclesiastical and faith-based in nature and is intended to operate under the rules and guidelines of this association. It is not intended to operate under any state or federal guidelines for arbitration.

Article 13

Tax-Exemption Provisions

13.01 Private Inurement. No part of the net earnings of the association shall inure to the benefit of or be distributable to its members, officers, board members, or other private persons except that the association shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth above in Article 2.

13.02 Political Involvement. No substantial part of the activities of the association shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and to the extent prohibited by law, the association shall not participate in or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

13.03 Limitation of Activities. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the association shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by an organization exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) or (b) by an organization contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the IRC.

13.04 Dissolution. Upon the dissolution of the corporation, no part of the corporation's assets shall inure to the benefit of any of its members and shall be distributed to the National Association of Free Will Baptists or to another organization of like faith and practice that is organized for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of IRC 501(c)(3) at the time of distribution. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization(s) as said court shall determine, that are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

13.05 Nondiscrimination Policy. This association shall not discriminate against member churches, district associations, officers, delegates, board members, or others on the basis of race, color, or national and ethnic origin. As a religious institution, however, this organization reserves the right to deny membership or employment or to terminate the membership or employment of persons whose lifestyle, words, actions, or otherwise do not align with the association's incorporated Treatise of Faith and Practice, additional articles of faith, code of conduct, or other policies of this organization.

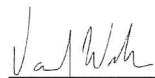
Article 14 Amendments

These bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the member delegates present and voting at a state association meeting provided the amendment is presented, at a minimum, the day before the vote.

These bylaws were adopted by a majority vote of the member delegates present and voting at a duly called meeting of the state association in which a quorum was present.

These bylaws supersede any other bylaws of the state association.

06/06/2017
Date


State Association Clerk

North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists

Executive Board Meeting Agenda

Embassy Suites Y March 16, 2020 Y 7:15 p.m.

Type of Meeting: Executive Board Meeting

Meeting Facilitator: Josh Baer, Assistant Moderator; Jeff Silver, Clerk

Attendees: Josh Baer, Scott Coghill, Pat Hall, Jeff Jones, Jeff Silver, Chris Truett, Reuben Cason
(partially available via phone: Gene Williams)

1. Open with Scripture and Prayer by Brother Scott about being on mission.

Staying focused. John 21

2. Review of Previous Minutes- Send out agenda a week before for input.

Discussed the last meeting in November. Motion Chris second Jeff **M/S/C** to receive minutes.

3. Promotional Office Report

Received Promotional Office 2021 Budget- **M/S/C**

Add 3% per year to the budget for Ken (Bookkeeper).

Accept report **M/S/C**

Executive board unanimously approved the purchase of a New computer- \$2000.00

M/S/C

4. Financial Report by Scott Coghill-

Receive Scott's report **M/S/C**

Meeting adjourned in prayer by Brother Gene at 10:20pm.

Meeting March 17, 2020 @9:00am

Began the day with Brother Josh reading Psalm 11. Lord is there. Uses troublesome times to try us. Are we right or running? Jonah test or Job test to reveal the foundations of your life.

Prayer by Jeff Silver

5. Review 2020 State Meeting Plans-

Decided on line-up for the 2020 State meeting.

6. Select a Nominating Committee-Danny

Baer- Chairman

Don Draughn

Bruce Kimbrall

Christian Powell

Richard Patterson

7. Disaster Relief Team – Update from Committee

Discussed appointing/nominating a Disaster Relief Team.

8. Meet with NC Home Mission Board (10:30 AM Tuesday morning)

Recognized Brother Brian Byrd- One year that his wife was diagnosed.

M/S/C to receive the State Mission Board Report.

9. Meet with NC Youth Board (11:30 AM Tuesday morning)

Recognize Brother Sonny of the Youth Board.

M/S/C to receive Youth Board Report

North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptist
Executive Board Meeting
Thursday April 23, 2020

Members present are: Moderator Gene Williams, Assistant Josh Baer, Jeff Silver, Jeff Jones, Scott Coghill, Chris Truett, Reuben Cason and David Gibbs.

Meeting opened in prayer by Brother Jeff Jones

I) Pat Hall resignation-Bother Pat's resignation has been accepted. Brother Gene has recommended that his replacement needs to be from the western side of the state.

II) Financial Considerations for Ministry

- Establishing an Emergency Fund-To be put in place at the state meeting.
- Establishing a COVID-19 Grant for struggling churches. Allocating funds from one of the accounts in order to disperse to the churches of our state that are struggling. Move money from CELF account.
- Moderator appointed a board to meet back on May 7th zoom meeting. Board consists of Scott Coghill, Josh Baer and Jeff Silver. Create criteria and application for the grant process.

III) Potential for State meeting

- **A motion was made to reschedule the State meeting for September 28-30 by Brother Jeff Jones, seconded by Brother Chris Truett and carried by the board.**

IV) Possibilities for the State meeting

- Election of officers
- Establishments of funds/grants

V) Follow up on the Executive Board connecting with pastors. Send Brother Reuben an email when you have completed your call list.

Meeting closed in prayer by Brother Chris Truett.

North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptist
Executive Board Meeting
May 7, 2020

Member's present: Reuben Cason, Chris Truett, Josh Baer, Scott Coghill, Jeff Silver, Jeff Jones, and Gene Williams. Opened in prayer by Brother Chris Truett.

Brother Josh presented the grant application with the rest of the board. It was well received. Brother Josh will create a letter to articulate the grant application process to our state. M/S/C.

Brother Josh, Brother Scott, and Brother Jeff S. will vet the applicants for the grant to present to the board for approval.

Brother Gene made a motion to keep the same speakers for the state meeting. Seconded by Chris Truett. M/S/C.

Dues still expected. \$175.00 National and \$35 to the state. Brother Reuben suggested sending the \$210.00 on to the National. \$550 from each association to help finance the state meeting, bring to the state meeting.

Meeting was closed in prayer by Brother Jeff Jones.

North Carolina State Executive Board Meeting via ZOOM
8/6/2020

Members Present: Moderator Gene Williams, Assistant Moderator Josh Baer, Scott Coghill, Jeff Jones, Chris Truett, Reuben Cason and Jeff Silver

Opened in prayer by Brother Jeff Jones

1. State Meeting/Discussion- Moderator recommends not having the State Meeting. Brother Reuben agrees with the Moderator. Brother Josh also expressed his thoughts that the meeting should be canceled. Brother Chris stated that he thought the decision had been made for us. Motion made by Brother Chris to cancel this year's State Meeting s/c.
2. Executive Board Meeting in September- Brother Gene has asked the board to consider meeting for the Executive Board meeting at Hilltop on the Monday or Tuesday that we had scheduled for the State Meeting. Monday September 28 has been selected and agreed upon. Meeting to begin at 10am.
3. Agenda for 9/28/2020 meeting
4. Budget
5. Scholarships for Welch and SE.
6. Reload speakers from this year to 2021.
7. Speaker to replace Ken Cash
8. Extend all officers for one year.
9. Assess storm damages.
10. Create a video to send out to pastors.

North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists
Executive Board Meeting Minutes

Hilltop Church, Fuquay-Varina, NC • September 28, 2020 • 10:00 a.m.

Type of Meeting: Executive Board Meeting

Meeting Facilitator: Gene Williams, Moderator; Jeff Silver, Clerk

Attendees: Gene Williams, Josh Baer, Scott Coghill, Jeff Jones, Jeff Silver, Chris Truett, Reuben Cason

- 1. Opened with Scripture and Prayer by Chris Truett.**
- 2. Financial Report by Scott Coghill**
 - a. Motion by Josh Baer to receive Scott's report. Second by Jeff Jones. Carried.
 - b. Motion by Jeff Jones to have Scott Coghill open a checking account for the NCFWB (since it offers more options than our current savings account). Second by Chris Truett. Carried.
- 3. Promotional Office Report by Reuben Cason**
 - a. Motion by Josh Baer to receive Reuben's report. Second by Jeff Jones. Carried.
- 4. Business Items:**
 - a. Motion by Jeff Jones to approve Promotional Office 2021 Budget and add \$3,600.00 To Promotional Director's retirement: Up to 5% match. Second by Gene Williams. Carried.
 - b. Motion by Jeff Jones to extend the term in office until the next state meeting of those whose terms were up in 2020 on the Executive Board and State Boards. Second by Gene Williams. Carried.
 - c. Motion by Josh Baer to appoint Aaron Pendergraft and Devin Cominskie to the Youth Board replacing Sonny Thomas and Adam Laster. Second by Jeff Jones. Carried.
 - d. Motion by Chris Truett to give \$5,000 in scholarships to Welch and Southeastern (same as last year). Second by Scott Coghill. Carried.
 - e. Motion by Josh Baer to give COVID Grants for Southeastern and Welch (\$5000 each) towards COVID Relief Fund. Second by Jeff Jones. Carried.
- 5. Reviewed 2021 State Meeting Plans.**
- 6. Dismissed in Prayer.**

NC Association of Free Will Baptist

Treasurer's Report

January 2020 - December 2020

General Fund Checking Account - BB&T (New Bern, NC)

Beginning Balance - January 1, 2020	\$39,452.74
<i>Total Income -</i>	\$25,002.53
<i>Total Expenses -</i>	\$47,709.16
 Ending Balance - December 31, 2020	 \$16,746.11

NCFWB Foundation Trust (NC Missions/General)

FWB Foundation Accounts as of 01/2020	\$301,589.86
FWB Foundation Accounts as of 12/2020	\$276,300.65
○ NCFWB Missions Trust	\$196,589.13
○ NCFWB General Fund Trust	\$37,884.76
○ NCFWB Convention Fund	\$41,826.76

C.E.L.F. Account

CELF Investment Balance as of 01/2020	\$393,309.24
CELF Investment Balance as of 12/2020	\$409,333.75

TOTAL CASH ASSETS: \$702,380.51

Integrity Senior Properties Value of our Interest as of 12/2020

- 4.1834% Entity ownership – Estimated value of over \$430,000.00

Respectfully Submitted,

M. Scott Coghill
NC Association of FWB Treasurer

NC Association of Free Will Baptists

TREASURER'S REPORT

January to December 2020

Money Management Trust - General Fund (40402)

Beginning Balance - January 1, 2020	\$ 63,168.59	
Add: Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	898.23	
Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	626.55	
Withdrawal	(25,000.00)	
Less: Interest transfer to promotional office	(910.38) *	
Interest transfer to promotional office	(898.23)	
Ending Balance - December 31, 2020		<u>\$ 37,884.76</u>

Money Management Trust - Mission Account (40616)

Beginning Balance - January 1, 2020	\$ 197,599.30	
Add: Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	2,905.42	
Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	1,933.64	
Withdrawal	0.00	
Less: Interest transfer to promotional office	(2,943.81)	
Interest transfer to promotional office	(2,905.42)	
Ending Balance - December 31, 2020		<u>\$ 196,589.13</u>

Money Management Trust - Convention Fund (40676)

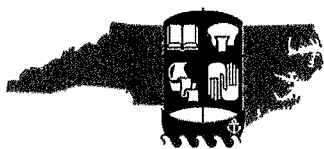
Beginning Balance - January 1, 2020	\$ 40,821.97	
Add: Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	588.52	
Interest Earnings - FWB Foundation	416.27	
Deposit	0.00	
Less: Interest transfer to promotional office	0.00	
Interest transfer to promotional office	0.00	
Ending Balance - December 31, 2020		<u>\$ 41,826.76</u>

North Carolina Funds

Free Will Baptist Foundation

For the Period January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020

	Beginning Balance	Deposits	Earnings	Withdrawals / Disbursements	Ending Balance
40402 General Fund Trust Account	\$ 63,168.59	\$ -	\$ 1,524.78	\$ (26,808.61)	\$ 37,884.76
40616 Missions Trust Account	\$ 197,599.30	\$ -	\$ 4,839.06	\$ (5,849.23)	\$ 196,589.13
40676 Convention Fund	\$ 40,821.97	\$ -	\$ 1,004.79	\$ -	\$ 41,826.76



NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

Gene Williams
Moderator

Chris Truett
Member at Large

Josh Baer
Assistant Moderator

Jeff Jones
Member at Large

Scott Coghill
Treasurer

Reuben Cason
Promotional Director

Jeff Silver
Clerk

Welcome to the 59th Annual State Meeting of the North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists. There are not enough words, and not enough space in this brief letter to adequately express our joy of being able to meet this year. The phrase “in-person” service has become all too familiar since the dawn of COVID-19.

We are grateful for how our churches, congregations and pastors responded during the crisis of 2020. You are to be commended. Only eternity will reveal the joy, yet the heartache that the year produced. Joy because souls were saved that might not have been saved otherwise, and heartache because precious lives were lost as a result of the coronavirus. Let’s continue to pray for each family and church that lost loved ones and members last year.

Our theme this year is “Forward.” *And the LORD said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward* (Exodus 14:15). Will you join with us in praying that Almighty God will bless us and give us strength and wisdom as we *go forward*.

Terry and I remain grateful for your faithful prayers and support for your NCFWB Promotional Office. I would like to personally express my appreciation to Rev. Jeff Jones, Pastor of Hilltop Free Will Baptist Church in Fuquay Varina. I was hired by the Executive Board to be the Promotional Director in January of 2016, and Bro. Jeff is the last remaining member of that board. We are thankful for his faithful service and competent leadership.

Due to the pandemic, I was not able to travel our state as extensively as I have in previous years. All our state ministers had to cancel their meetings, and most of our district meetings were canceled. However, we were privileged to be in 44 of our churches and attended 7 district associations.

Our annual Minister’s Retreat is moving! For years we have met at Joshua Free Will Baptist Youth Camp in Albemarle, NC. We will forever be indebted to Rev. Chuck Overcash for his untiring work in hosting this event. This year, we will be meeting at Glad Tidings Free Will Baptist Church in Asheboro, NC, September 27-28. Rev. Jim McComas will be our speaker.

We currently have 137 Benevolent Fund members, 445 Newsletter subscribers, 147 subscribers to our Remind App, and a host of “likes” on our Facebook page.

These are exciting days for North Carolina Free Will Baptists and it’s an honor to serve and represent you.

Reuben Cason

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NCFWB Income

January - December 2020

Blue Ridge

Cedar Hill, Asheville	\$816.00
Homer's Chapel, Black Mountain	\$500.00
Lenoir First	\$150.00
Marion First	\$708.10
Meadowbrook, Black Mountain	\$2,122.65
Rocky Pass, Nebo	\$1,200.00
Swannanoa, Swannanoa	\$600.00
Total	\$6,096.75

Coastal

Cardinal Village, Jacksonville	\$1,493.00
Coastal Association	\$400.00
Coastal WAC	\$100.00
Davis, Davis	\$300.00
First, Beaufort	\$618.83
First, Morehead City	\$150.00
Freedom Way, Hubert	\$850.00
Grace	\$100.00
New Life, New Bern	\$1,200.00
Richlands First	\$1,200.00
Stacy, Stacy	\$300.00
Total	\$6,711.83

Foothills

Harriett Memorial, Forest City	\$278.10
Salem, Old Fort	\$1,313.00
Springwood FWB	\$329.00
West 5th Avenue, Gastonia	\$486.00
Total	\$2,406.10

Palmer

Bethel, Kinston	\$1,200.00
Cedar Chapel	\$625.00
Emmanuel, Sharpsburg	\$312.00
Freedom, Roanoke Rapids	\$200.00
Grimesland	\$823.00
Liberty, Ayden	\$1,812.00

NCFWB Income
January - December 2020

Liberty, Greenville	\$547.62
New Beginning, Elm City	\$250.00
Oak Grove, Elm City	\$490.40
Parker's Chapel, Greenville	\$3,250.00
St. John, Goldsboro	\$300.00
Unity, Greenville	\$1,411.00
Wildwood FWB Church	\$210.00
Total	\$11,431.02

Pamlico

Ephesus	\$150.00
First, Washington	\$902.75
Five Points, Washington	\$1,242.86
Life Gate	\$200.00
Maccripine	\$600.00
Mt. Olive, Plymouth	\$500.00
Peace Chapel, Washington	\$500.00
Sandy Acres FWB Church	\$600.00
Total	\$4,695.61

Piedmont

Bethel FWB	\$75.00
Catawba	\$400.00
Christian Life, Thomasville	\$690.00
Emmanuel, Dallas	\$1,231.08
Faith	\$546.79
Grace Fellowship	\$500.00
Lakeview, High Point	\$300.00
Pilgrim, Lexington	\$274.00
Prince of Peace, Kannapolis	\$360.00
Total	\$4,376.87

Randall

Corinth, Dunn	\$752.00
Faith, Rockingham	\$1,800.00
Fellowship, Selma	\$200.00
Garner, Garner	\$2,700.00
Garner, WAC	\$20.00
Glad Tidings, Asheboro	\$2,800.00
Hilltop, Fuquay-Varina	\$1,450.00

NCFWB Income
January - December 2020

Immanuel, Durham	\$2,475.00
Kendall Acres	\$300.00
Oak Grove, Durham	\$516.00
Oak Grove Fellowship SS Class, Durham	\$380.00
Reidsville FWB	\$421.00
Shady Grove	\$100.00
Tippett's Chapel, Clayton	\$2,206.60
West Calvary, Smithfield	\$1,500.00
White Oak Hill, Bailey	\$1,914.00
Wildwood FWB, Garner	\$728.00

Total	\$20,262.60
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Southern Piedmont Association

Cramerton, Cramerton	\$1,600.00
First, Mt. Holly	\$1,442.00
Goshen	\$150.00
Highland Drive, Lincolnton	\$1,094.25
Highland Drive, Spanish	\$50.00
Shelby	\$1,050.00

Total	\$5,386.25
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Income-Other

Anonymous	\$6,000.00
Bissette, Ray	\$259.00
Bissette, Trevor	\$164.00
Brenda Dawes	\$38.00
Chris Harris	\$50.00
Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Weldon	\$300.00
Daughtry, Mrs. Lois	\$70.00
Draughn, Rev. & Mrs. Don	\$18.00
Greg Mills	\$50.00
Hill, Rev. & Mrs. Ed	\$75.00
Home Missions Dept.	\$260.96
Johnson, Rev. & Mrs. Luke	\$21.00
Johathan Cason	\$1.31
Langley, Mr. & Mrs. Jim	\$112.00
Leonard Bowers	\$7.00
NAFWB	\$230.00
NCWAC	\$125.00
Roten, Ms. Betty	\$57.00
Whitehead, Mrs. Rochelle	\$165.00
Woolard, Mr. Brownie	\$24.00

NCFWB Income	
January - December 2020	
Total	\$8,027.27

Income-Church Dues

Randall House	\$19,006.01
	\$19,006.01

Total

Association Dues	\$31,045.00
Total	\$31,045.00

Grand Total Income	\$119,445.31
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NCFWB Promotional Office

Savings Account

January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020

Balance Forward	\$23,623.41
Total Deposits	\$24,380.66
	\$48,004.07
Total Expenses	\$16,853.56
Ending Balance	\$31,150.51

SAVINGS INCOME

FWB Foundation Interest	\$7,657.84
Benevolence Fund Contributions	\$16,720.00
Savings Interest	\$2.82
Total	\$24,380.66

SAVINGS EXPENSES

Benevolence Fund Checks	\$16,725.00
Bank Charges	\$128.56
Total	\$16,853.56

NCFWB Promotional Office

Checking Account

January 1, 2020 - December 31, 2020

Balance Forward	\$39,364.47
Total Income	<u>\$119,442.82</u>
	\$158,807.29
Total Expenses	<u>\$114,451.67</u>
Ending Balance	\$44,355.62

NC FWB PROMOTIONAL OFFICE BUDGET vs. EXPENSES
2020 January-December Budget vs. Expenses

	Budget	YTD Expense
EXPENSES		
<u>OFFICE</u>		
Telephone/Internet	3,500.00	2,194.74
Office Support	3,000.00	3,000.00
Supplies	700.00	801.28
Postage	600.00	455.41
<i>Total</i>	7,800.00	6,451.43
<u>TRAVEL</u>		
Gas	2,700.00	1,034.60
Auto Maintenance	1,000.00	1,443.43
Auto Insurance	1,000.00	581.02
Motels/Meals	3,500.00	1,697.81
National Association	2,000.00	110.45
Conferences	1,200.00	1,171.51
<i>Total</i>	11,400.00	6,038.82
<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>		
Minister's Retreat	1,000.00	-
Ministry Fund	4,000.00	885.40
State Meeting Expenses	1,600.00	-
Clerk Honorarium	350.00	700.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	2,500.00	1,412.44
<i>Total</i>	9,450.00	2,997.84
Directors Compensation Budget		
<u>DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION</u>		
Housing	17,000.00	17,000.04
Salary	35,300.00	34,892.30
Taxes & SS	8,500.00	8,500.00
Retirement	7,200.00	7,200.00
Life Insurance	1,000.00	1,407.66
<i>Total</i>	69,000.00	69,000.00
Total Budgeted Expenses	97,650.00	84,488.09
Non-Budget Expenses		
/ Airline Ticket		\$230.00
Flowers		64.20
Freedom FWB Mission		139.05
Computer		1,625.90
Computer Assesories		79.43
National Association Dues		27,825.00
Total Non-Budget Expenses		\$29,963.58
Grand Total of Expenses		114,451.67

NC FWB PROMOTIONAL OFFICE PROPOSED BUDGET

JANUARY - DECEMBER 2022

Office Operation's Budget

INCOME

State Representation Fees	\$5,565.00	
Promotional Income	<u>\$108,135.00</u>	
TOTAL INCOME		\$113,700.00

EXPENSES

OFFICE

Telephone/Internet	\$3,500.00	
Office Support	\$3,000.00	
Supplies	\$700.00	
Postage	<u>\$500.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$7,700.00

TRAVEL

Gas	\$2,700.00	
Auto Maintenance	\$1,000.00	
Auto Insurance	\$1,000.00	
Motels/Meals	\$4,000.00	
National Association	\$2,000.00	
Conferences	<u>\$1,200.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$11,900.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Minister's Retreat	\$2,000.00	
Ministry Fund	\$4,000.00	
State Meeting Expenses	\$7,500.00	
Clerk Honorarium	\$350.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$1,500.00	
Director's Retirement (Up to 5% match)	<u>\$3,750.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$19,100.00

Director's Compensation Budget

DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION

Housing	\$17,000.00	
Salary	\$40,100.00	
Taxes & SS	\$8,500.00	
Retirement	\$8,400.00	
Life Insurance	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$75,000.00

Total Expenses		\$113,700.00
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North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists Minister's Benevolent Fund Membership

Carolyn Barnes	Glenda Fulcher	Vicki Marcum	Robert Rose
Richard Barnes	Barbara Haas	Dale McCoy	Carolyn Sealy
Debbie Branch	Joe Haas, Sr.	Julie McCoy	William Sealy
Sherman Branch	Eugene Hales	Anita Messer	Johnny Sexton
Eunice Bell	Rose Hales	Howard Messer	Peggy Sexton
A.B. Brown	Laura Hall	James Messer	Betty Shepherd
Barbara Brown	Joseph Hall	Juanita Messer	Jeff Silver
Beverly Brown	Bernice Hanna	James Messer, Sr.	Traci Silver
Gary Brown	Earl Hanna	Marie Messer	Leon Simmons
Talmdage Brown	Gordon Hart	Carl Miller	Mary Simmons
Velma Brown	Fred Hersey	Lisa Miller	Bobbi Smith
April Bowers	Betty Hill	Mary Miller	Linda Stepps
Leonard Bowers	Edwin Hill	Steve Miller	Lorenzo Stox
Debbie Bulla	Michael Hill	Pat Nolen	Ann Summerlin
Tommy Bulla	Stephanie Hill	Rudolph Outlaw	Willie Summerlin
Etta Butler	Jason Hurt	Chuck Overcash	Julie Thomas
Mary Calvert	Lynn Hurt	Mary Overcash	Sonny Thomas
William Calvert	Jerry Johnson	Guy Owens	Cathy Travis
Frank Cantrell	Pat Johnson	Sterl Parramore	Robert Travis
Marie Cantrell	Cindy Jones	Todd Parrish	Roger Tripp
Janice Cason	Hal Jones	Merinda Parrish	Sybil Tripp
Marvin Carson	Billy Keith	Richard Patterson	Jim Turnbough
Reuben Cason	Sheila Keith	Tammy Patterson	Julie Turnbough
Terry Cason	Bill Kellum	Dann Patrick	Betty Wiggs
L.D. Creech	Christine Kellum	Johnny Pike	Dennis Wiggs
Larry Collins	Janette Lambert	Jessie Pittman	Joe Wallis
Patricia Collins	Carolyn Lawson	Gail Poteat	Nancy Wallis
Carroll Cullipher	David Lawson	Dale Pryor	Jack Ward
Diane Cullipher	Ernest Laxton	Steve Pryor	Jackie Ward
Wayne Dills	Judy Laxton	Jerry Rackley	Jimmy Woods
Carol Dixon	George Lee	Rita Rackley	Teresa Woods
Dean Dobbs	Loretta Lilly	Vic Redding	David Young
Rubena Dobbs	Tom Lilly	Ann Redding	Deborah Young
Angle Duncan	Leonard Lindsey	Ann Reynolds	
Jeff Duncan	Jim Marcum	Kay Rose	



**Home Missions Board of the
NC State Association of Free Will Baptist**

Dear Friend and Supporters of the NC State Home Missions,

What a Savior! The Mission Board can't help but declare the goodness of God. During a most difficult and unprecedented time God has performed some amazing things among us. We are thankful that you allowed Him to use you as supporters in both prayer and finances.

First, Freedom Free Will Baptist Church is now self-supporting and a local autonomous church. The board meet at the church on January 9th for a special service and set them in order. It was a glorious time of celebration and worship. Brother David Robinson brought a very powerful message that challenged not only the church but all those that was present. Please continue to pray for this church, Brother Rex and Sister Brenda as God uses them to reach their community for Christ.

Second, the Revitalization project at Glad Tidings in Asheboro is moving along. They have sustained their reductions and are hoping the pandemic doesn't alter the original goals. Like most churches, they are at a standstill until outreach can become aggressive again. Brother Dale's health is stable at the moment and we are praying for a miracle that God might choose to totally heal him.

Third, we would like to share that we are still praying and searching aggressively for a Missionary to launch a new work here in our great state. We have spoken with several men and, at this time, none have felt it was the right time for them to leave their current ministry. This can be very discouraging, but has not stopped us. At the writing of this letter we are talking with a candidate and are very hopeful they might be the one God has for us. Please continue to pray for this endeavor.

In closing please continue to pray for Brother David and his family as they have suffered an unimaginable loss this past year. Pray for the board in general as well as the specific requests mentioned. Please send support and correspondence to NC Home Missions, PO Box 34, Davis NC 27568

In Christ Service, David Robinson, Jimmy Mercer, Brian Bird, Chuck Overcash, and Cliff Donoho.



NC State Mission Board of FWB
BALANCE SHEET
as of 12/31/2020

Account Number	Account Name	Amount
Assets		
1000	BB&T Checking	\$76,251.52
1010	Church Extension Loan Fund	\$49,872.22
1011	Receivables	\$0.00
Total Assets		\$126,123.74
Liabilities		
2000	Payables	\$0.00
Total Liabilities		\$0.00
Equity		
3000	General Operating Fund Balance	\$2,206.80
3100	Asheboro Support Fund Balance	\$57,306.80
3200	Roanoke Support Fund Balance	\$0.00
3300	New Mission Support Fund Balance	\$16,737.92
3400	Church Extension Loan Fund Balance	\$49,872.22
3500	McCoy Benevolent Fund Balance	\$0.00
Total Equity		\$126,123.74
Total Liabilities + Total Equity		\$126,123.74



NC State Mission Board of FWB
2020 INCOME & EXPENSE
for the period of 01/01/2020 to 12/31/2020

Account Number	Account Name	Amount
Income		
4000	Contributions Income	\$125,024.93
4100	Interest Income	\$1,545.91
Total Income		\$126,570.84
Expense		
5600	Office Overhead	\$0.00
5610	Computer Ink & Paper	\$248.36
5612	Computer Maintenance	\$718.95
5640	Postage	\$87.00
5650	Retirement Account - Treasurer	\$1,200.00
5660	Supplies	\$133.53
5665	Transfer	\$3,000.00
Total for 5600 - Office Overhead		\$5,387.84
5450	Missions Board Travel	\$4,181.89
5200	Bonus	\$2,328.00
5400	Missionary Deputation	\$721.15
5425	Missionary Benevolence	\$11,930.31
5500	Missions Support	\$75,432.11
5850	Retirement Account - Rex Evans	\$1,200.00
Total Expense		\$101,181.30
Net Income (Loss)		\$25,389.54



NC STATE MISSION BOARD OF FWB

PO BOX 34
DAVIS, NC 28524

2020 CONTRIBUTIONS

Name	City	State	Total
Haven FWB Church	Raleigh	NC	5,931.00
Madison Heights FWB Church	Lexington	NC	5,000.00
Hilltop FWB Church	Fuquay Varina	NC	4,650.00
Oak Grove FWB Church DRH	Durham	NC	4,603.00
Faith FWB Church GLB	Goldsboro	NC	4,467.00
Meadowbrook FWB Church	Black Mountain	NC	4,245.30
Wildwood FWB Church WI	Wilson	NC	3,600.00
Union Chapel FWB Church	Chocowinity	NC	3,565.00
Fairview FWB Church	Nebo	NC	3,208.90
Glad Tidings FWB Church	Asheboro	NC	3,105.00
Blue Ridge FWB Association	Marion	NC	3,000.00
Parkers Chapel FWB Church	Greenville	NC	2,826.00
Prospect FWB Church	Dunn	NC	2,826.00
Five Points FWB Church	Washington	NC	2,700.00
Mt Olive FWB Church	Jamesville	NC	2,700.00
White Oak Hill FWB Church	Bailey	NC	2,600.00
Freedom Way FWB Church	Hubert	NC	2,450.00
Faith FWB Church WSH	Washington	NC	2,351.85
Emmanuel FWB Church DAL	Dallas	NC	2,196.36
Trinity FWB Church GRN	Greenville	NC	2,166.71
Sherwood Forest FWB Church	New Bern	NC	2,064.20
Randall Association WAC	Benson	NC	2,000.00
Faith FWB Church RCK	Rockingham	NC	1,800.00
Springwood FWB Church	Gastonia	NC	1,800.00
Sandy Acres FWB Church	Columbia	NC	1,680.00
Ephesus FWB Church	Blounts Creek	NC	1,650.00
New Life FWB Church	New Bern	NC	1,550.00
Homers Chapel FWB Church	Black Mountain	NC	1,500.00
Marion First FWB Church	Marion	NC	1,416.20
First FWB Church JAX	Jacksonville	NC	1,290.00
First FWB Church BFT	Beaufort	NC	1,237.62
Immanuel FWB Church	Durham	NC	1,225.00
New Beginning FWB Church	Elm City	NC	1,200.00
The Brook of Anderson SC	Anderson	SC	1,200.00
Piedmont Association of FWB	Lexington	NC	1,100.00
Cramerton FWB Church	Cramerton	NC	1,025.00
Harriett Memorial FWB Church	Forest City	NC	1,000.67
Bethel FWB Church	Kinston	NC	1,000.00

Maccriline FWB Church	Fountain	NC	1,000.00
Swannanoa FWB Church	Swannanoa	NC	1,000.00
Cedar Grove FWB Church	Williamston	NC	918.00
Friendship FWB Church CTS	Coats	NC	851.92
Sheraton Park FWB Church	Greensboro	NC	777.00
Cedar Hill FWB Church	Asheville	NC	768.25
First FWB Church WSH	Washington	NC	751.00
Victory FWB Church	Goldsboro	NC	745.00
North American Ministries	Antioch	TN	730.00
Rocky Pass FWB Church	Marion	NC	720.00
Coastal Association of FWB	Maple Hill	NC	700.00
Temple FWB Church	Winterville	NC	650.00
Mt Calvary FWB Church HKN	Hookerton	NC	645.00
Liberty FWB Church AH	Ahoskie	NC	627.07
Wildwood FWB Church GRNR	Garner	NC	600.00
Stacy FWB Church	Stacy	NC	555.00
Peace Chapel FWB Church	Washington	NC	540.00
Prince of Peace FWB Church	Kannapolis	NC	480.00
Lakeview FWB Church	High Point	NC	420.00
Oak Grove FWB Church EC	Elm City	NC	380.40
Reuben & Terry Cason	Middlesex	NC	360.00
Davis FWB Church	Davis	NC	300.00
Paul & Lillian Wall	Winton	NC	280.00
Larry Bordeaux II	Hamlet	NC	255.00
Hope FWB Church	Plymouth	NC	242.42
Palmetto Chapel FWB Church	Vanceboro	NC	225.00
Calvary FWB Church WAC	Durham	NC	200.00
Sandra Perry	Durham	NC	130.00
Jacqueline Helms	Gastonia	NC	120.00
Jimmy Mercer	Davis	NC	100.00
Garner FWB Church WAC	Raleigh	NC	25.00
Five Points FWB WAC	Washington	NC	10.00
Pamlico District WNAC	Washington	NC	10.00

TOTAL

\$ 110,046.87



NC State Mission Board of FWB
2020 INCOME & EXPENSE BY FUND
for the period of 01/01/2020 to 12/31/2020

Account Number	Account Name	General Operating Fund	Asheboro Support Fund	Roanoke Support Fund	New Mission Support Fund
Income					
4000	Contributions Income	\$11,548.57	\$52,767.13	\$41,459.79	\$7,319.13
Total Income		\$11,548.57	\$52,767.13	\$41,459.79	\$7,319.13
Expense					
5600	Office Overhead	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5610	Computer Ink & Paper	\$248.36	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5612	Computer Maintenance	\$718.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5640	Postage	\$87.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5650	Retirement Account - Treasurer	\$1,200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5660	Supplies	\$133.53	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for 5600 - Office Overhead		\$2,387.84	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5450	Missions Board Travel	\$4,181.89	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5200	Bonus	\$2,328.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5400	Missionary Deputation	\$721.15	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5500	Missions Support	\$0.00	\$28,411.60	\$47,020.51	\$0.00
5850	Retirement Account - Rex Evans	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,200.00	\$0.00
Total Expense		\$9,618.88	\$28,411.60	\$48,220.51	\$0.00
Net Income (Loss)		\$1,929.69	\$24,355.53	\$-6,760.72	\$7,319.13
Summary					
Beginning Fund Balance		\$277.11	\$32,951.27	\$6,760.72	\$9,418.79
+ Other Fund Balance Movements		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
+ Net Income / (Loss)		\$1,929.69	\$24,355.53	\$-6,760.72	\$7,319.13
= Ending Fund Balance		\$2,206.80	\$57,306.80	\$0.00	\$16,737.92

Home Missions Board of the
NC State Association of Free Will Baptist
2022 Proposed Budget

General Fund	15,000
Glad Tidings	3,150
New Work	125,000
Total	143,150

NORTH CAROLINA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance Brought Forward September 1, 2020	\$6,827.15
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Receipts

Receipts	\$28,199.70	
Refunded	\$150.00	
		\$28,349.70
		\$35,176.85

Disbursements

Designated Gifts	\$18,324.20	
2021 Membership Fees (288 members)	\$4,320.00	
2020 Membership Fees 18 members)	\$270.00	
Mischellaneous Expense	\$898.07	
		-\$23,812.27

Balance in checking account as of April 30, 2021	\$11,364.58
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Designated

Special Emphasis - NC Hosting 2023 WNAC Con	\$9,577.50	
Pastor's Gift	\$180.00	
E-Team Offering	\$50.00	
		-\$9,807.50

Balance of available funds as of April 30, 2021	\$1,557.08
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STATE PROJECT TOTALS (2020-2021)

International Missions - Varna Church in Bulgaria	\$9,798.00
(Goal \$10,000.00)	
North American Ministries - Danny Elliott in Buffalo NY	\$4,606.00
(Goal \$5,000.00)	
Welch College -Toward Single Seat Lounge Chairs for Media Room	\$2,207.25
Southeastern FWB College - College Library	\$1,886.25
(Goal \$3,500.00)	

NC FWB Youth Board Report - Digest of Reports

- **Activities/Events**

- Due to COVID, we have had to cancel certain events such as our 1-Day Mission Trip at Glad Tidings Church in Asheboro and the Revive Conference in Greenville. With the continual easing of restrictions, we hope to offer more activities and events for our youth groups in the near future.
- One way we have been able to stay connected virtually is through the "V3 Student Ministry Forum" FB Page. Its purpose is to provide encouragement and community for FWB student ministry leaders and volunteers. This past January, we had 18 of us meet via Zoom and discuss ministry during and after COVID, as well as the potentially dangerous blind spots of ministry.

- **State Competition 2021**

- The North Carolina State Youth Board hosted the 2021 North Carolina Free Will Baptist State Youth Competition on April 17 at Southeastern FWB College. This was only held for students who are competing with someone else in the state in the same age range and category. Those students that did not have competition went straight to the National. This limited potential COVID exposure and streamlined competition. NC will be represented by 8 different churches in 70 different categories at the 2021 Vertical Three CTS Ministry Expo Event in Memphis, TN this July 18-21.

- **Youth Ministries Web Page**

- We are in the process of joining the Youth Ministries website to the NCFWB website. We believe having all of our information on one site will make it easier for everyone.

- **NC ETEAM Students 2021**

- Kaitlyn Faith Eason – Brazil, Jaboticabal – New Life FWB Church – New Bern, NC
- Katherine Eleanor Crabtree – Brazil, Araras – Unity FWB Church – Greenville, NC
- Logan Alphin Reid – Brazil, Araras – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
- Jackson Daniel Baer – France – Cramerton FWB Church – Cramerton, NC
- Allison Kay Hall – Hokkaido – Maccriline FWB Church – Macclesfield, NC
- Karlie Shauna Strickland – Tokyo – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
- Larua Leigh Fulcher – Uruguay – Unity FWB Church in Greenville, NC

Note: All trips outside the continental US have been cancelled, but an abbreviated cross-cultural ETEAM experience will be held in Nashville and Chicago for any wishing to go.

- **NC Truth and Peace Students 2021**
 - Baer, Jackson – Cramerton FWB Church – Cramerton, NC
 - Carnes, Hailey – Peace FWB Church – Wilson, NC
 - Carroll, Christopher Caleb – Tippetts Chapel FWB Church – Clayton, NC
 - Cooper, Mackenzie – Temple FWB Church – Greenville, NC
 - Dodson, Deacon – Outdoor Life Church – Fayetteville, NC
 - Donoho, Anna – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
 - Fulcher, Laura – Unity FWB Church – Greenville, NC
 - Gates, Maryn – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
 - Gibbs, Makenna – First FWB Church – Gastonia, NC
 - Lassiter, Emily – First FWB Church – Washington, NC
 - Leggett Courtney – First FWB Church – Washington, NC
 - Mills, Joshua – Unity FWB Church – Greenville, NC
 - McIntosh, Savanna – Glad Tidings FWB Church – Asheboro, NC
 - Murphy, Josiah – First FWB Church – Gastonia, NC
 - Stanford, Aiden – First FWB Church – Gastonia, NC
 - Strickland, Karlie – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
 - Truett, Easton – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
- **Youth Evangelistic Team 2021**
 - Easton Truett – Bethel FWB Church – Kinston, NC
- **Note:** In September of last year, the executive board approved of both Aaron Pendergraft and Devin Cominskie to be members of the youth board. Aaron is the Worship/Student Pastor at Cramerton Church. Devin is Youth/Music pastor at First FWB Church in Jacksonville.
- **Money in our budget:** \$4,588.74 (see next page)

The state youth board exists to 1. Give our FWB NC youth ministers support, prayer and encouragement when needed. 2. Set up and lead the NC FWB State Youth Competition. 3. Offer opportunities for our youth ministers and youth to grow through activities and events.

Respectively Submitted: Jake Manning (2015), Derek Cominskie (2016), Joseph Ange (2017), Derek Cominskie (2020), and Aaron Pendergraft (2020)

NC FWB State Youth Board Financial Report (May 2020 – May 2021)

3/15/2020 CURRENT BALANCE \$1,673.74

Tuesday, March 16, 2021	Deposit for State Competition	\$450.00
Monday, April 5, 2021	Deposit for State Competition	\$1,560.00
Thursday, April 22, 2021	Deposit for State Competition	\$ 260.00
Thursday, May 13, 2021	Deposit for State Competition	\$ 585.00
Thursday, May 13, 2021	Deposit for State Competition	\$ 60.00

5/13/2021 CURRENT BALANCE \$4,588.74

**Respectfully submitted,
Derek J. Cominskie
NCFWB Youth Board Treasurer**

LEAH WADDELL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

April 30, 2020 through May 5, 2021

"NOW UNTO HIM THAT IS ABLE TO DO EXCEEDING ABUNDANTLY ABOVE ALL THAT WE ASK OR THINK TO HIM BE GLORY!! Our GOAL this year was \$10,000.00, and through ANSWERED PRAYERS and YOUR GIVING, a total of \$11,605.01 has been received!! REJOICE EVERMORE!! Since WELCH COLLEGE already has \$441.82 in an account from which some donations were sent directly, we are therefore sending \$11,558.18 to make a total of \$12,000.00 to be awarded worthy students FROM NORTH CAROLINA this year!! This has been made possible by the following CONTRIBUTORS, for whom we are most grateful!! If your NAME, CHURCH, ASSOCIATION, WAC, BUSINESS, etc. is not listed, you will be given an opportunity in the upcoming year to participate, thus ENCOURAGING A YOUNG PERSON FROM NORTH CAROLINA WHO IS ATTENDING WELCH TO GET A CHRISTIAN EDUCATION!!

Who knows, they could end up serving God in your church or on one of our mission fields.

THE LEAH WADDELL SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE (Betty Hill, Treasurer; Glenda Fulcher, and Terry Cason) has set our goal at \$12,500.00 for the upcoming year. We can GIVE only as YOU GIVE. We ask that you join us in prayer as we seek God's blessings on this WORTHY ENDEAVOR that was established by our NCFWB ASSOCIATION back in 1964! THE NEED IS EVEN GREATER TODAY THAN IT WAS THEN!!

CONTRIBUTIONS MAY BE SENT TO BETTY HILL, TREASURER, 113 Shad Bend Drive, Washington, NC 27889.

Balance brought forward:	\$49.52
TOTAL RECEIPTS THIS PERIOD:	\$11,605.01

CONTRIBUTORS FOR THIS PERIOD:

NC STATE WAC	\$240.00
Glenda Fulcher	\$45.00
COASTAL ASSOCIATION of FWB	\$500.00
Rev. & Mrs. Richard Patterson	\$50.00
Rev. Gordon Hart	\$20.00
PAMLICO District WAC	\$100.00
Mrs. Olga Dean Hodges (IN MEMORY OF OLGA WALLACE, A LIFETIME MEMBER OF FIVE POINTS FWB CHURCH WAC, Washington, NC)	\$250.00
Peace Chapel WAC, Washington, NC	\$200.00
First FWB Church, Morehead City, NC	\$30.00
Mrs. Nelda Highsmith	\$300.00
Reuben & Terry Cason	\$100.00

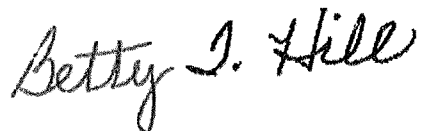
First FWB Church WAC, Morehead City, NC	\$30.00
Barbara & Earl G. Hansen	\$30.00
Sherwood Forest MB Church WAC, New Bern, NC	\$90.00
Rev. George C. Lee (IN LOVING MEMORY OF HIS BELOVED WIFE, MAURINE)	\$100.00
First FWB Church, Washington, NC	\$100.00
Sherwood Forest FWB Church, New Bern, NC	\$1,015.01
Edwin & Betty Hill	\$300.00
Rocky Pass FWB Church WAC, Marion, NC	\$100.00
Mrs. Wini Vaughn	\$20.00
NC ASSOCIATION OF FWB	\$5000.00
Carl & Mary Miller	\$100.00
David L. & Lynda Rackley	\$100.00
GOLDEN WAY, INC (IN LOVING MEMORY OF THEIR CO-FOUNDER, JOYCE BROOKS)	\$1000.00
Paul & Debra Hansen	\$50.00
Bridgeton FWB Church, Bridgeton, NC	\$200.00
Mrs. Lena T. Golding	\$500.00
White Oak Hill FWB Church, Bailey, NC	\$100.00
Unity WAC, Greenville, NC	\$30.00
RANDALL ASSOCIATION of Women	\$200.00
Peace Chapel FWB Church, Washington, NC	\$705.00

Balance to account for	\$11,654.53
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CHECK TO WELCH COLLEGE FOR NORTH CAROLINA STUDENT RECIPIENTS: \$11,558.18

BALANCE ON HAND: \$96.35

Respectively submitted,



Betty T. Hill, Treasurer

Other Committee Members: Glenda Fulcher & Terry Cason

**The North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists
2020-2021 Officers and Board Members**

Executive Board

Moderator:	Gene Williams (2021)	serving extended 1 st term
Asst. Moderator:	Josh Baer (2021)	filling extended unexpired term
Treasurer:	Scott Coghill (2021)	serving extended 2 nd term
Clerk:	Jeff Silver (2021)	filling extended unexpired term
Member at large:	Chris Truett (2021)	serving extended 1 st term
Member at large:	Jeff Jones (2021)	serving 2 nd term
Member at large:	open (2022)	

NC State Mission Board

Brian Bird (2021)	serving extended 1 st term
David Robinson (2021)	serving 2 nd term
Cliff Donoho (2022)	serving 1 st term
Chuck Overcash (2023)	serving 1 st term
Jimmy Mercer (2024)	serving 2 nd term

Youth Board

Aaron Pendergraft (2021)	filling extended unexpired term
Derek Cominskie (2021)	serving 1 st term
Joe Ange (2022)	serving 1 st term
Devin Cominskie (2023)	filling unexpired term
Jake Manning (2024)	serving 2 nd term

**The North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists
2020-2021 Officers and Board Members**

Executive Board

Moderator: _____ (2022) *replacing Gene Williams served extended 1st term*
Asst. Moderator: _____ (2022) *replacing Josh Baer filled extended unexpired term*
Treasurer: _____ (2023) *replacing Scott Coghill* served extended 2nd term*
Clerk: _____ (2022) *replacing Jeff Silver filled extended unexpired term*
Member at large: _____ (2022) *filling open spot*
Member at large: _____ (2023) *replacing Chris Truett served extended 1st term*
Member at large: _____ (2024) *replacing Jeff Jones* served 2nd term*

NC State Mission Board

_____ (2025) *replacing Brian Bird served extended 1st term*
_____ (2026) *replacing David Robinson* served 2nd term*
Cliff Donoho (2022) serving 1st term
Chuck Overcash (2023) serving 1st term
Jimmy Mercer (2024) serving 2nd term

Youth Board

_____ (2025) *replacing Aaron Pendergraft filled extended unexpired term*
_____ (2026) *replacing Derek Cominskie served 1st term*
Joe Ange (2022) serving 1st term
Devin Cominskie (2023) filling unexpired term
Jake Manning (2024) serving 2nd term

*Scott Coghill, Jeff Jones, and David Robinson have completed their second terms and are not able to replace themselves.