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of the



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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

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

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.

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

Minutes of the 59th Annual Session of the NC Association of Free Will Baptists

Forward – Exodus 14:15

Embassy Suites Hotel; Greensboro, NC, June 7-8, 2021

Gene Williams, Moderator; Josh Baer, Acting Clerk

MONDAY MORNING SERVICE – June 7, 2021 9:30 AM

Zachary Bell led the congregational singing. The *Sounds of Praise* ensemble from Southeastern FWB College provided the special music. Reuben Cason introduced Luke Johnson, who preached from Habakkuk 3 on “Forward in Faith.” Gene Williams closed with prayer.

MONDAY MORNING SERVICE – June 7, 2021 11:00 AM

Zachary Bell led the congregational singing. Special music was provided by the *Rejoice Ministry Team* from Welch College. Josh Baer introduced Dr. Eddie Moody, who preached from Esther on “What a Time to Be Alive.” Gene Williams closed with announcements and prayer.

MONDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION – June 7, 2021 2:15 PM

Moderator Gene Williams opened with Scripture (Exodus 14:15) and prayer. The afternoon business session was called to order. Visitors were recognized including several missionaries. The standing delegates were recognized, and the body voted to seat the delegates sent by churches and associations.

M/S/C to seat the delegates.

The following committees were appointed by the Moderator:

Credentials Committee

Christian Powell, Chairman
Chris Harris
Brandon Smith

Obituary Committee

Joseph Ange, Chairman
Greg Ramsey
Sherman Branch

Resolutions Committee

Jeff Manning, Chairman
Jeff Necessary
Daniel Cason

The **Executive Board** report was given by the Assistant Moderator, Josh Baer. He referred to the minutes of State Meeting and the Executive Board meetings as reported in the Digest (pp. 12-17).

M/S/C to accept the report.

Reuben Cason, Promotional Director gave his report (Report on pp. 21-30).

1. Brother Reuben gave a special thanks to outgoing Executive Board members Scott Coghill and Jeff Jones.
2. North Carolina was the #1 giving state in our denomination for the year of 2020. Then including NCFWB ministries and other FWB ministries, North Carolina gave over \$3,700,000 towards FWB ministry, offices, and missions.
3. Proposed budget on p. 29 of \$113,700.00.
4. Brother Reuben reported on the great need for pastors in our churches, and he made a plea for us all to “pray therefore the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers into his harvest.”

M/S/C to accept the report and adopt the Promotional Office budget.

Treasurer Scott Coghill gave the **Treasurer’s Report** (Report on pp. 18-20).

M/S/C to accept the report.

Treasurer Scott Coghill proposed *the NCFWB State Association give \$10,000 (from the 2020 CELF*

interest) to scholarship funds: \$5,000 to the Leah Waddell Scholarship (Welch), and \$5,000 to SFWBC in memory of Dolly Stox for NC students.

M/S/C to pass this motion.

Moderator Gene Williams gave as information an update on a request by Tommy Bulla in 2019 for the State Executive Board and Office do some research and reporting on pastor salary packages, guest speaker honorariums and expenses, and other related information. Due to COVID-19, the Executive Committee delayed acting on this, but the committee does plan to do this research in the coming year.

A partial report from the **Credentials Committee** was given by Christian Powell, Chairman. All 8 associations have paid at total of \$38,075. 158 churches have reported.

This partial report was accepted as information.

The **NC Mission Board** report was given by the Board Chairman David Robinson (Report on pp. 31-37).

1. Brother David presented a plaque to Pastor Rex Evans in recognition of Freedom FWB Church going self-support this past year. Brother Rex brought a brief greeting and words of thanks to the association.
2. Pastor Dale McCoy gave a report on the revitalization work at Glad Tidings Church in Asheboro.
3. The board has a strong candidate that is going through the approval process right now, and they are hopeful they will be able to announce a new church planter in the near future. Prayers and financial support are great appreciated.
4. Financial reports for the Mission Board were given by Board Treasurer Jimmy Mercer. He pointed out the zip code on support mailings should be 28524.
5. The board recognized and gave gifts of appreciation to outgoing Chairman David Robinson.

M/S/C to accept the report and adopt the budget.

A special time of prayer and laying on of hands was had for Dale McCoy by the ministers of the state association.

Gene Williams encouraged all churches to have a Dale & Julie McCoy Day and have a special offering to bless and help them in brother Dale's battle against cancer.

The **Youth Board** report was given by Joseph Ange (Report on pp. 39-41). Our youth are active in their local churches, in regional meetings, and in our denomination through competition, Truth & Peace, and ETeam.

M/S/C to accept the report.

The **North Carolina Women Active for Christ** report was given by Carolyn Riddick (Report on p. 38). Our women continue to be active in raising funds for missions and our colleges.

M/S/C to accept the report.

The **Leah Waddell Scholarship** report was given by Reuben Cason (Report on p. 42-43). This past year, eight students from NC were each given \$1,500 scholarships.

M/S/C to accept the report.

We received greetings from Southeastern Free Will Baptist College by Nate Ange, President, and Steve

Berry, Director of Development.

The Nominating Committee was appointed ahead of time by the Executive Committee:
Danny Baer (Chairman), Richard Patterson, Chris Harris, Don Draughn, Luke Johnson.

M/S/C to recess at 4:20 PM.

MONDAY EVENING SERVICE – June 7, 2021 7:00 PM

Pre-service (6:30 pm) music was provided by the combined groups from Welch College and Southeastern FWB College. Kevin Denton led the congregational music. Sam Harris led a Convention Choir in providing special music. The offering was received to benefit the NC Scholarship Funds for Welch College (Leah Waddell fund) and Southeastern FWB College (Dolly Stox fund). Jeff Jones introduced Hemant Patel, who preached from Luke 24:47 on taking the gospel to the nations. David Brown brought greetings from the Free Will Baptist Foundation, and Reuben Cason closed the service in prayer.

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION – June 8, 2021 9:30 AM

Moderator Gene Williams welcomed everyone and opened in prayer. Ron Hunter from Randall House introduced Ken Braddy, Lifeway, who led a seminar on “Breathing Life into Your Sunday School.”

TUESDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – June 8, 2021 11:00 AM

Kevin Denton opened the service by leading congregational singing. The *Rejoice* Ensemble from Welch College and the *Sounds of Praise* Ensemble from Southeastern FWB College provided special music. Scott Coghill introduced Christian Powell, who preached from Romans 10:1 on “Forward: Getting Back to Sharing the Gospel.” Ken Cash brought greetings and gave thanks for North Carolina’s support for his upcoming mission work in Bulgaria. To close the service, a special time of prayer was had over the college students in attendance; Todd Parrish and Nate Ange each led in the prayer time.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BUSINESS SESSION – June 8, 2021 2:10 PM

Moderator Gene Williams called the meeting to order. Brother Gene gave an update that the Executive Committee is in discussions about possible uses of the association’s money, and they hope to bring suggestions to the state meeting in the future. He then opened this session in prayer.

We received greetings from the following Free Will Baptist ministries:

- *NAFWB Executive Office*, Dr. Eddie Moody, Executive Secretary 2:18-34
- *FWB International Missions*, Clint Morgan, General Director 2:35-40
- *FWB North American Ministries*, Terry Austin, Director of Chaplaincy 2:40-51
- *Welch College*, Todd Parrish, Director of Church Relations 2:52-3:10
- *Randall House Publications* – Dr. Ron Hunter, CEO 3:10-25
- *FWB Board of Retirement* – Dr. Danny Baer, Board Chairman 3:26-35
- *WNAC* – Elizabeth Hodges, Director (by video) 3:35-40
- *FWB Family Ministries* – Jim McComas, CEO 3:41-48
- *Harvest Child Care Ministries* in Virginia – Carl Miller, NC Field Rep. 3:49-55

The **Credentials Committee Report** was presented by Brandon Smith.

158 churches reported and paid dues from 8 district associations, for a total of \$38,075.

Registration:

Ordained Ministers	67
Delegates	2
Associates	13
Missionaries	7
Visitors	93
 Total Registered	 182

M/S/C to accept the report.

The **Obituary Committee Report** was given by Joseph Ange, Chairman.

The following went home to be with the Lord this past year in our churches:

Rev. Ricky Jacobs, Rev. Roger Peaden, Rev. Fred Carraway, Jessie Wiggins, Rev. Robert Rose, Rev. Virgil Nolen, Rev. Jamie Coats, Mark Hunsucker, Betty Draughn, and the COVID-19 deaths that affected our churches.

Following a moment of silence, Joseph Ange led in prayer.

M/S/C to accept the report.

The **Resolution Committee Report** was given by Jeff Manning, Chairman.

Whereas Reuben Cason, our State Promotional Director, along with our Moderator, Gene Williams, and our whole Executive Committee have done an outstanding job navigating the uncharted waters caused by Covid 19, and leading our State work with excellence, and

Whereas they all have done a fantastic job of organizing and administrating this year's State Meeting,

Be it resolved that we give them a standing and resounding round of applause and appreciation.

M/S/C to receive report and pass the resolution.

The **Nominating Committee** report was given by Dr. Danny Baer, Chairman.

Executive Board

Moderator: Gene Williams (2020) 1 st term	replaced by <u>Gene Williams</u> (2022) 2 nd term
Asst. Moderator: Josh Baer (2020) unexpired term	replaced by <u>Josh Baer</u> (2022) 1 st term
Clerk: Jeff Silver (2020) unexpired term	replaced by <u>Jeff Silver</u> (2022) 1 st term
Treasurer: Scott Coghill (2020) 2 nd term	replaced by <u>Jeff Manning</u> (2023) 1 st term
Member at Large: open spot (2022)	replaced by <u>Sherman Branch</u> (2022) unexpired term
Member at Large: Chris Truett (2020) 1 st term	replaced by <u>Chris Truett</u> (2023) 2 nd term
Member at Large: Jeff Jones (2021) 2 nd term	replaced by <u>Christian Powell</u> (2024) 1 st term

NC State Mission Board

Brian Bird (2020) 1 st term	replaced by <u>Brian Bird</u> (2025) 2 nd term
David Robinson (2021) 2 nd term	replaced by <u>Luke Johnson</u> (2026) 1 st term

Youth Relations Board

Aaron Pendergraft (2020) unexpired term	replaced by <u>Aaron Pendergraft</u> (2025) 1 st term
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Derek Cominskie (2021) 1st term

replaced by Derek Cominskie (2026) 2nd term

Leah Waddell Scholarship Committee

Betty Hill – resigned

replaced by Shelby Cominskie

M/S/C to elect by acclamation.

Moderator Gene Williams announced that he and the executive committee will be appointing a special committee to review our Constitution & By-Laws to make sure that all things are consistent and congruent, which will be chaired by Dr. Danny Baer. The committee will be tasked with bringing recommendations to the state meeting next year.

M/S/C to dismiss. Meeting was adjourned in prayer by David Robinson at 4:15 PM.

TUESDAY EVENING SERVICE – June 7, 2021 7:00 PM

Pre-service (6:30 pm) music was provided by the combined groups from Welch College and Southeastern FWB College. Matt Berry led the congregational music. Sam Harris led a Convention Choir in providing special music. The offering was received to benefit the Dale McCoy benevolence fund. Chris Truett introduced Dr. Jeff Manning, who preached from Psalm 103:1-5 on “Forget Not All His Benefits.”

Gene Williams closed the service and the state meeting in prayer.

North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptist

Executive Board Meeting

September 27, 2021 @ Glad Tidings Free Will Baptist Church Asheboro, NC

Members present were Josh Bear, Jeff Silver, Chris Truett, Jeff Manning, Christian Powell and Sherman Branch

Prayer and Devotion- Brother Josh Baer shared from Genesis 50

Welcome of New Officers- Welcome to Jeff Manning, Christian Powell, and Sherman Branch.

The Promotional Director's report was received. M/S/C

Spring Executive Board meeting Scheduled for March 21-22 @ Embassy Suites in Greensboro. 5 on Monday.

Meeting adjourned in prayer by Brother Christian Powell.

NC State Exec. Comm. Meeting

March 21st, 2022 - Embassy Suites Hotel, Greensboro, NC

Members present- Gene Williams, Josh Baer, Jeff Manning, Sherman Branch
Chris Truett and Jeff Silver.

1. Call to Order Brother Gene took special requests from each member and we had prayer.

2. Devotion - Gene Williams

Hebrews 11:1-6

Confidence, that is what faith is and it leads to composure. A place that I can be with God. Leads to clarity. Anybody can see a problem, but leaders seek a solution. Not that I am asking God to come and plow with me but that I come along side of God and am settled in that place. Conviction.

3. Review of Minutes - Jeff Silver

Clerk gave a review of the minutes.

M/S/C

4. Promotional Office Report - Rueben Cason

Received brother Reuben's report as information.

Promotional Director's Budget was presented.

M/S/C

5. Treasurer's Report - Jeff Manning

Treasurer's report was given

M/S/C

March 22nd, 2022 - Embassy Suites Hotel, Greensboro, NC

Call to order

Devotion by Brother Sherman Branch

Prayer led by Jeff Silver

Missions Board Report

- Recognized brother Cliff Donoho as Chairman of the Board

Received the Mission Board's report as information.

6. Receive the State Youth Board report as information. m/s/c

7. Schedule, Theme and speakers were planned for 2022 State meeting.

8. Nominating Committee for 2022

Chairman: Hal Jones

Kevin Justice

Caleb Davis

Richard Patterson

Steve Crank

NC Association of Free Will Baptists

TREASURER'S REPORT: OVERVIEW OF ALL ACCOUNTS

January to December 2021

Business Savings Account – Truist Bank

Beginning Balance - January 1, 2021	\$16,746.11
Total Income -	\$20,001.19
Total Expenses -	\$32,100.06
Ending Balance - December 31, 2021	\$ 4,647.24

Community Checking Account – Truist Bank

Beginning Balance – September 14, 2021	\$10,000.00
Total Income -	\$ 5000.00
Total Expenses -	\$11,381.63
Ending Balance - December 31, 2021	\$ 3,618.37

NCFWB Foundation Trusts

FWB Foundation Accounts as of 01/2021	\$276,300.65
FWB Foundation Accounts as of 12/2021	\$277,791.97

○ NCFWB Missions Trust	\$ 171,880.57
○ NCFWB General Fund Trust	\$ 63,036.92
○ NCFWB Convention Fund Trust	\$ 42,874.48

C.E.L.F. Account (held at NAM)

CELf Investment Balance as of 01/2021	\$409,333.75
CELf Investment Balance as of 12/2021	\$410,707.43

TOTAL CASH ASSETS: **\$696,765.01**

Integrity Senior Properties Value of our Interest as of 12/2021

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

Respectfully Submitted,
Jeff Manning
NC Association of FWB Treasurer

NC Association of Free Will Baptists

TREASURER'S REPORT: TRUST/INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

January to December 2021

Money Management Trust – General Fund (40402)

Beginning Balance – January 1, 2021	\$62,258.21
Interest Jan – Jun	772.32
Deposit Jul – Dec	772.32
Withdrawal of interest to Promotional Office	(1,544.71)
Interest Jul – Dec	778.71
Ending Balance – December 31, 2021	\$63,036.92

Money Management Trust – Mission Account (40616)

Beginning Balance – January 1, 2021	\$169,655.49
Interest Jan – Jun	2203.67
Deposit Jul – Dec	2203.67
Withdrawal of interest to Promotional Office	(4407.34)
Interest Jul – Dec	2225.08
Ending Balance – December 31, 2021	\$171,880.57

Money Management Trust – Convention Fund (40676)

Beginning Balance – January 1, 2021	\$41826.76
Interest Jan – Jun	518.52
Interest Jul – Dec	529.20
Ending Balance – December 31, 2021	\$42,874.48

C.E.L.F. Account (1802)

Beginning Balance – January 1, 2021	\$409,333.75
Interest Jan – Jun	8,186.76
Interest Jul – Dec	8,186.92
Withdrawal – July	15,000.00
Ending Balance – December 31, 2021	\$410,707.43

Respectfully Submitted,
Jeff Manning
NC Association of FWB Treasurer



NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF FREE WILL BAPTISTS

Gene Williams
Moderator

Josh Baer
Assistant Moderator

Jeff Manning
Treasurer

Jeff Silver
Clerk

Chris Truett
Member at Large

Sherman Branch
Member at Large

Christian Powell
Member at Large

Reuben Cason
Promotional Director

Welcome to the 60th annual session of the North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists. Our theme this year is “Steadfast.” *And it came to pass, when our enemies heard that it was known unto us, and God had brought their counsel to nought, that we returned all of us to the wall, every one unto his work (Nehemiah 4:15).* We have been and continue to pray for you and your church as you steadfastly serve the Lord.

Terry and I want to sincerely thank you for your faithful support of your NCFWB Promotional Office. I want to personally thank Rev. Gene Williams, Pastor of Parkers Chapel Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville, NC, for his faithful service and personal encouragement to me as our Moderator.

2021 was a year of regathering, rebuilding, and revitalizing our churches following the crisis of the 2020 pandemic. Our hearts have been encouraged by the steadfast determination of our pastors and churches to “rebuild the wall” (*ref. Nehemiah*), to continue faithfully serving the Lord, and to minister to the body of Christ.

We had the opportunity to be in 47 of our churches to preach the Word and present the work of NCFWB. We were also privileged to represent NCFWB at 13 district association meetings, the North Carolina Women Active for Christ State Meeting at the White Oak Hill Free Will Baptist Church in Bailey, NC, and other denominational meetings.

Our annual Ministers Retreat was held September 27-28, 2021, at the Glad Tidings Free Will Baptist Church in Asheboro, NC. Rev. Jim McComas and Rev. Brandon Smith preached. We had 30 to attend. This year’s retreat will be held September 26-27, 2022. The Lore Family from Ohio will be singing, Rev. Chris Todd and Rev. Jeff Silver will be preaching.

We presently have 141 Benevolent Fund members, 446 Newsletter subscribers, 146 subscribers to our Remind app, and many followers on our Facebook page.

Thank you for the privilege of serving you as your Promotional Director.

Reuben Cason

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NCFWB Income
January - December 2021

Blue Ridge

Calvary, Rutherford College	\$200.00
Cedar Hill, Asheville	\$855.00
Hilltop, Travlrs Rest SC	\$50.00
Homer's Chapel, Black Mountain	\$550.00
Lenoir First	\$150.00
Marion First	\$1,405.50
Meadowbrook, Black Mountain	\$2,026.37
Rocky Pass, Nebo	\$1,200.00
Swannanoa, Swannanoa	\$600.00
Zephyr Hills	\$550.00
Total	\$7,586.87

Coastal

Calvary, Maple Hill	\$460.00
Cardinal Village, Jacksonville	\$1,935.83
Community, Chinquapin	\$125.00
Coastal Association	\$600.00
Davis, Davis	\$200.00
First, Beaufort	\$271.00
First, Morehead City	\$250.00
Freedom Way, Hubert	\$600.00
New Life, New Bern	\$1,200.00
Palmetto Chapel, Vanceboro	\$200.00
Richlands First	\$1,250.00
Sherwood Forest, New Bern	\$630.00
Total	\$7,721.83

Foothills

Harriett Memorial, Forest City	\$645.08
Salem, Old Fort	\$1,199.00
Sulpher Springs, Waynesville	\$300.00
West 5th Avenue, Gastonia	\$100.00
Total	\$2,244.08

Palmer

Beacon, Farmville	\$481.00
Bethel, Kinston	\$1,325.00
Emmanuel, Sharpsburg	\$200.00

NCFWB Income
January - December 2021

Freedom, Roanoke Rapids	\$100.00
Grifton, Grifton	\$1,000.00
Grimesland	\$320.00
Liberty, Ayden	\$1,931.00
Liberty, Greenville	\$748.25
Maccripine, Macclesfield	\$832.00
New Beginning, Elm City	\$1,000.00
Oak Grove, Elm City	\$116.44
Parker's Chapel, Greenville	\$3,000.00
Peace, Wilson	\$500.00
St. John, Goldsboro	\$300.00
Tabernacle, Kinston	\$200.00
Temple, Winterville	\$754.00
Unity, Greenville	\$1,200.00
Total	\$14,007.69

Pamlico

Ahoskie, Ahoskie	\$250.00
Ephesus	\$150.00
First, Washington	\$725.00
Five Points, Washington	\$1,150.00
Hope, Plymouth	\$360.00
Mt. Olive, Plymouth	\$500.00
Peace Chapel, Washington	\$500.00
Sandy Acres FWB Church	\$1,150.00
Union Chapel, Chocowinity	\$546.00
Total	\$5,331.00

Piedmont

Bright Light, York SC	\$350.00
Christian Life, Thomasville	\$836.00
Lakeview, High Point	\$200.00
Pilgrim, Lexington	\$241.87
Prince of Peace, Kannapolis	\$360.00
Total	\$1,987.87

Randall

Calvary, Durham	\$784.00
Corinth, Dunn	\$370.00
Faith, Rockingham	\$1,900.00
Garner, Garner	\$2,900.00
Garner, WAC	\$10.00

NCFWB Income
January - December 2021

Glad Tidings, Asheboro	\$1,950.00
Haven, Raleigh	\$300.00
Hilltop, Fuquay-Varina	\$1,550.00
Immanuel, Durham	\$2,430.00
Oak Grove, Durham	\$1,675.00
Oak Grove Fellowship SS Class, Durham	\$251.00
Prosepct, Dunn	\$300.00
Reidsville, Reidsville	\$613.00
Tippett's Chapel, Clayton	\$2,261.98
West Calvary, Smithfield	\$1,500.00
White Oak Hill, Bailey	\$2,062.00
Wildwood, Garner	\$1,159.00
Total	\$22,015.98

Southern Piedmont Association

Cramerton, Cramerton	\$850.00
Emmanuel, Dallas	\$1,678.81
First, Mt. Holly	\$1,247.00
Highland Drive, Lincolnton	\$1,541.50
Lowell, Lowell	\$200.00
Shelby	\$750.00
Total	\$6,267.31

Income-Other

Anonymous	\$6,000.00
Bird, Cindy	\$100.00
Bissette, Trevor	\$214.00
Bissette, Mr. & Mrs. Randy	\$207.00
Bowers, Rev. & Mrs. Leonard	\$25.00
Davis, Mr. & Mrs. Weldon	\$300.00
Daughtry, Mrs. Lois	\$95.00
Dawes, Brenda	\$27.00
Issette, Grant	\$27.00
Langley, Mr. & Mrs. Jim	\$496.00
McKeel, Mr. & Mrs. James	\$41.00
NAFWB	\$638.40
NCFWB Treasurer	\$237.16
NCWAC	\$125.00
Pamlico 2020 Dues	\$2,940.00
Roten, Betty	\$24.00
Simons, Linda	\$60.00
Smith, Rev. & Mrs. Ray	\$20.00
Sours, Tucker	\$10.00

NCFWB Income
January - December 2021

Whitehead, Rochelle	\$446.00
Winstead, Phil	\$24.00
Total	\$12,056.56

Income-Randall House

Randall House	\$15,437.46
Total	\$15,437.46

Income-Association

Association Dues	\$38,075.00
State Meeting Offering	\$800.00
State Meeting Expenses	\$1,640.00
Ministers Retreat	\$300.00
Total	\$40,815.00

Grand Total Income	\$135,471.65
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NCFWB Promotional Office

Savings Account

January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021

Balance Forward	\$31,150.51
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Total Deposits	<u>\$15,764.62</u>
	\$46,915.13

Total Expenses	<u>\$10,192.12</u>
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Ending Balance	\$36,723.01
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SAVINGS INCOME

FWB Foundation Interest	\$5,536.18
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Benevolence Fund Contributions	\$10,225.00
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Savings Interest	<u>\$3.44</u>
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Total	\$15,764.62
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SAVINGS EXPENSES

Benevolence Fund Checks	\$10,150.00
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Bank Charges	<u>\$42.12</u>
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Total	\$10,192.12
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NCFWB Promotional Office

Checking Account

January 1, 2021 - December 31, 2021

Balance Forward	\$44,355.62
Total Income	<u>\$135,471.65</u>
	\$179,827.27
Total Expenses	<u>\$132,077.36</u>
Ending Balance	\$47,749.91

NC FWB PROMOTIONAL OFFICE BUDGET vs. EXPENSES
2021 January-December Budget vs. Expenses

	Budget	YTD Expense
EXPENSES		
<u>OFFICE</u>		
Telephone/Internet	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 1,921.89
Office Support	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00
Supplies	\$ 700.00	\$ 592.73
Postage	\$ 500.00	\$ 403.16
<i>Total</i>	\$ 7,700.00	\$ 5,917.78
<u>TRAVEL</u>		
Gas	\$ 2,700.00	\$ 2,382.00
Auto Maintenance	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 664.00
Auto Insurance	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 600.11
Motels/Meals	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,790.90
National Association	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,384.07
Conferences	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,110.25
<i>Total</i>	\$ 11,900.00	\$ 7,931.33
<u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>		
Minister's Retreat	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,990.56
Ministry Fund	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 2,755.41
State Meeting Expenses	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 8,249.08
Clerk Honorarium	\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,226.46
Director's Retirement (Up to 5% match)	\$ 3,750.00	\$ 3,600.00
<i>Total</i>	\$ 19,100.00	\$ 18,171.51
 Directors Compensation Budget		
<u>DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION</u>		
Housing	\$ 17,000.00	\$ 17,000.00
Salary	\$ 40,100.00	\$ 37,810.68
Taxes & SS	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 8,500.00
Retirement	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 7,200.00
Life Insurance	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,489.32
<i>Total</i>	\$ 75,000.00	\$ 72,000.00
 Total Budgeted Expenses	\$ 113,700.00	\$ 104,020.62
 Non-Budget Expenses		
Total Non-Budget Expenses		\$ 28,056.74
Grand Total of Expenses		\$ 132,077.36

NC FWB PROMOTIONAL OFFICE PROPOSED BUDGET

JANUARY - DECEMBER 2023

Office Operation's Budget

INCOME

State Representation Fees	\$5,565.00	
Promotional Income	<u>\$121,635.00</u>	
TOTAL INCOME		\$127,200.00

EXPENSES

OFFICE

Telephone/Internet	\$3,000.00	
Office Support	\$3,000.00	
Supplies	\$700.00	
Postage	<u>\$1,000.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$7,700.00

TRAVEL

Gas	\$3,500.00	
Auto Maintenance	\$1,000.00	
Auto Insurance	\$1,000.00	
Motels/Meals	\$3,000.00	
National Association	\$2,000.00	
Conferences	<u>\$2,000.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$12,500.00

MISCELLANEOUS

Minister's Retreat	\$2,500.00	
Ministry Fund	\$4,000.00	
State Meeting Expenses	\$8,500.00	
Clerk Honorarium	\$500.00	
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$1,500.00	
Director's Retirement (Up to 5% match)	<u>\$5,000.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$22,000.00

Director's Compensation Budget

DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION

Housing	\$17,000.00	
Salary	\$44,000.00	
Taxes & SS	\$8,500.00	
Retirement	\$14,000.00	
Life Insurance	<u>\$1,500.00</u>	
<i>Total</i>		\$85,000.00

Total Expenses		\$127,200.00
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North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists

Minister's Benevolent Fund Membership

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



Dear Friends and Supporters of the NC State Home Missions.

It's with a humble and thankful heart that we PRAISE THE LORD for all He has accomplished in NC Home Missions.

Four years ago, the Lord led Brother Dale and Julie McCoy to the Asheboro church in a "Revitalization" project with the NC Missions Board. The Mission Board extends a heartfelt THANK YOU for partnering in prayer and financial support. Our commitment with them has ended April 1 of 2022. The church has grown numerically and spiritually. Praise the Lord for blessing this dear church. Brother Dale was diagnosed with terminal cancer and passed away in February. The Glad Tidings Church has called Mark (and Cassie) Cahoon as their pastor. The Board is very grateful for your support in making this endeavor a great success!

The Missions Board hired Brandon Smith, (July 1, 2021) and Jonathan Huff (September) to head up Project Hickory and plant a Free Will Baptist church in Hickory, NC. We are overwhelmed at the excitement and support that our state has shown for our newest mission work. We praise God for His faithfulness! Project Hickory is currently at 70% of their monthly faith promise commitments. They are continuing to travel the state to raise the rest of their monthly funds as well as their start-up fund of \$100,000.

Thank you to all of the churches and individuals that have already partnered with Project Hickory. If your church does not currently have Project Hickory in your budget, would you prayerfully consider adding them. Also, if you would like to donate to Project Hickory's startup fund, you can send a check to the NC mission board and put in the memo "Project Hickory Start-up." If your church supports a missionary at Vacation Bible school, please consider making Project Hickory's startup fund your VBS project.

Please continue to pray for the Smith and the Huff families as they travel. They are currently meeting with individuals who are interested in becoming part of their launch team. Please pray that God will provide individuals to move to Hickory to join the launch team, and that He will provide a place to meet when Project Hickory is able to begin having services.

We are excited about this year's state meeting, and we plan to share more exciting news about this church plant at that time!

NC Home Mission's Board:

Clifford Donoho, Chairman

Jimmy Mercer, Treasurer

Chuck Overcash, Secretary

Brian Bird

Luke Johnson



NC State Mission Board of FWB
BALANCE SHEET
as of 12/31/2021

Account Number	Account Name	Amount
Assets		
1000	BB&T Checking	\$89,404.73
1010	Church Extension Loan Fund	\$28,979.92
1011	Receivables	\$0.00
Total Assets		\$118,384.65
Liabilities		
2000	Payables	\$0.00
Total Liabilities		\$0.00
Equity		
3000	General Operating Fund Balance	\$1,362.29
3100	Asheboro Support Fund Balance	\$85,328.29
3200	Roanoke Support Fund Balance	\$0.00
3300	Hickory Support Fund Balance	\$2,714.15
3400	Church Extension Loan Fund Balance	\$28,979.92
3500	McCoy Benevolent Fund Balance	\$0.00
Total Equity		\$118,384.65
Total Liabilities + Total Equity		\$118,384.65



NC State Mission Board of FWB
2021 INCOME & EXPENSE
for the period of 01/01/2021 to 12/31/2021

Account Number	Account Name	Amount
Income		
4000	Contributions Income	\$162,706.34
4100	Interest Income	\$1,607.70
Total Income		\$164,314.04
Expense		
5600	Office Overhead	\$32.00
5610	Computer Ink & Paper	\$222.63
5612	Computer Maintenance	\$594.00
5640	Postage	\$90.00
5650	Retirement Account - Treasurer	\$1,200.00
5660	Supplies	\$923.31
5665	Transfer	\$22,832.87
Total for 5600 - Office Overhead		\$25,894.81
5450	Missions Board Travel	\$6,558.36
5800	Reimbursement	\$-5.00
5200	Bonus	\$3,278.00
5300	Equipment	\$6,649.30
5400	Missionary Deputation	\$10,235.54
5425	Missionary Benevolence	\$10,819.19
5500	Missions Support	\$108,622.93
Total Expense		\$172,053.13
Net Income (Loss)		\$-7,739.09



NC State Mission Board of FWB
2021 INCOME & EXPENSE BY FUND
for the period of 1/1/2021 to 12/31/2021

Account Number	Account Name	General Operating Fund	Asheboro Support Fund	Roanoke Support Fund	Project Hickory Support Fund	Church Extension Loan Fund	McCoy Benevolent Fund
Income							
4000	Contributions Income	32,927.02	50,420.79	10,545.88	57,993.46	0.00	10,819.19
4100	Interest Income	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,607.70	0.00
	Total Income	32,927.02	50,420.79	10,545.88	57,993.46	1,607.70	10,819.19
Expense							
5600	Office Overhead	32.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5610	Computer Ink & Paper	222.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5612	Computer Maintenance	594.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5640	Postage	90.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5650	Retirement Account - Treasurer	1,200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5660	Supplies	923.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5665	Transfer	332.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	22,500.00	0.00
	Total 5600 - Office Overhead	3,394.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	22,500.00	0.00
5450	Missions Board Travel	6,558.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5800	Reimbursement	-5.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5200	Bonus	3,278.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5300	Equipment	0.00	6,649.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5400	Missionary Deputation	545.36	0.00	0.00	9,690.18	0.00	0.00
5425	Missionary Benevolence	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,819.19
5500	Missions Support	20,000.00	15,750.00	10,545.88	62,327.05	0.00	0.00
	Total Expense	33,771.53	22,399.30	10,545.88	72,017.23	22,500.00	10,819.19
	Net Income (Loss)	-844.51	28,021.49	0.00	-14,023.77	-20,892.30	0.00
Summary							
	Beginning Fund Balance	2,206.80	57,306.80	0.00	16,737.92	49,872.22	0.00
	+ Other Fund Balance Movements	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	+ Net Income / (Loss)	-844.51	28,021.49	0.00	-14,023.77	-20,892.30	0.00
	= Ending Fund Balance	1,362.29	85,328.29	0.00	2,714.15	28,979.92	0.00



NC STATE MISSION BOARD OF FWB

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2021 CONTRIBUTIONS

Name	City	State	Total
Parkers Chapel FWB Church	Greenville	NC	6,120.00
Rocky Pass FWB Church	Marion	NC	5,775.00
Union Chapel FWB Church	Chocowinity	NC	5,675.00
Faith FWB Church WSH	Washington	NC	5,382.12
Haven FWB Church	Raleigh	NC	5,217.00
Madison Heights FWB Church	Lexington	NC	5,000.00
NCSMB	Davis	NC	4,329.00
Meadowbrook FWB Church	Black Mountain	NC	4,087.74
White Oak Hill FWB Church	Bailey	NC	3,964.90
Hilltop FWB Church FV	Fuquay Varina	NC	3,450.00
Wildwood FWB Church WI	Wilson	NC	3,225.00
Prospect FWB Church	Dunn	NC	3,178.00
Blue Ridge FWB Association	Marion	NC	2,900.00
Fairview FWB Church	Nebo	NC	2,858.69
Marion First FWB Church	Marion	NC	2,850.00
Mt Olive FWB Church	Jamesville	NC	2,800.00
New Life FWB Church	New Bern	NC	2,800.00
North American Ministries [NAM]	Antioch	TN	2,794.35
Sherwood Forest FWB Church	New Bern	NC	2,678.16
Freedom Way FWB Church	Hubert	NC	2,465.00
Emmanuel FWB Church DAL	Dallas	NC	2,428.44
Springwood FWB Church	Gastonia	NC	2,400.00
Faith FWB Church GLB	Goldsboro	NC	2,283.00
Immanuel FWB Church	Durham	NC	2,054.00
Trinity FWB Church GRN	Greenville	NC	2,000.04
Liberty FWB Church MRN	Marion	NC	2,000.00
First FWB Church JAX	Jacksonville	NC	1,935.00
Glad Tidings FWB Church	Asheboro	NC	1,910.00
Five Points FWB Church	Washington	NC	1,853.00
Bethel FWB Church	Kinston	NC	1,700.00
Cramerton FWB Church	Cramerton	NC	1,700.00
First FWB Church BFT	Beaufort	NC	1,687.00
Ephesus FWB Church	Blounts Creek	NC	1,587.50
NCFWB Mission Offering	Greensboro	NC	1,381.00
Nowlings Chapel FWB Church	Morganton	NC	1,300.00
Homers Chapel FWB Church	Black Mountain	NC	1,270.00
Randall Association of FWB	Smithfield	NC	1,216.00
Going Home FWB Church	Marion	NC	1,200.00
New Beginning FWB Church	Elm City	NC	1,200.00
The Brook of Anderson SC	Anderson	SC	1,200.00
Zephyr Hills FWB Church	Asheville	NC	1,130.00
Cedar Grove FWB Church	Williamston	NC	1,108.00
Swannanoa FWB Church	Swannanoa	NC	1,000.00
Harriett Memorial FWB Church	Forest City	NC	963.92
Mt Calvary FWB Church HKN	Hookerton	NC	918.75

Name	City	State	Total
Sheraton Park FWB Church	Greensboro	NC	900.00
Cedar Hill FWB Church	Asheville	NC	755.00
NCAFWB	Middlesex	NC	750.00
Shelby FWB Church	Shelby	NC	750.00
Liberty FWB Church AH	Ahoskie	NC	743.31
Calvary FWB Church GDS	Glendale Springs	NC	725.00
Prince of Peace FWB Church	Kannapolis	NC	720.00
Coastal Association of FWB	Maple Hill	NC	700.00
First FWB Church WSH	Washington	NC	700.00
Hilltop FWB Church TR	Travelers Rest	SC	687.00
Sandy Acres FWB Church	Columbia	NC	682.50
Friendship FWB Church CTS	Coats	NC	655.81
Maccripine FWB Church	Fountain	NC	617.00
Bobby & Debbie Harris	Marion	NC	600.00
Freedom FWB Church	Roanoke Rapids	NC	600.00
Lois I Daughtry	Bailey	NC	600.00
Piedmont Association of FWB	Lexington	NC	600.00
Salem FWB Church	Old Fort	NC	563.00
Hope FWB Church	Plymouth	NC	560.00
Oak Grove FWB Church DRH	Durham	NC	540.00
Reuben & Terry Cason	Middlesex	NC	515.00
Living Water FWB Church	Robersonville	NC	500.00
Mt Olive FWB AUX	Plymouth	NC	500.00
Peace Chapel FWB Church	Washington	NC	500.00
Unity Church	Greenville	NC	500.00
Bethel FWB Church WV	Mac Arthur	WV	488.00
Lakeview FWB Church	High Point	NC	420.00
Paul & Lillian Wall	Winton	NC	415.00
Davis FWB Church	Davis	NC	400.00
Beacon FWB Church	Farmville	NC	350.00
Tippett's Chapel FWB Church	Clayton	NC	346.67
Canton FWB Church	Canton	NC	343.00
Lester & Darlene Cahoon	Jacksonville	NC	315.00
Coastal Women Active for Christ	Swansboro	NC	300.00
Kent & Glenda Butler	Greenville	NC	300.00
Christian Life FWB Church	Lexington	NC	250.00
Larry Bordeaux II	Hamlet	NC	250.00
Victory FWB Church	Goldsboro	NC	230.00
Earl & Mary Murray	Florence	SC	200.00
Robert & Shirley Dew	Bailey	NC	200.00
Way of the Cross FWB Church	Shelby	NC	200.00
Calvary FWB Church WAC	Durham	NC	153.00
Howard & Anita Morris	Selma	NC	150.00
Jacqueline Helms	Gastonia	NC	130.00
Oak Grove FWB Church EC	Elm City	NC	116.44
Five Points FWB WAC	Washington	NC	110.00
Sandra Perry	Durham	NC	110.00
Carolyn Sealy	Ernul	NC	100.00
Jerry Huff	Willow Spring	NC	100.00
Jimmy Mercer	Davis	NC	100.00

Name	City	State	Total
Linda & Albert Thomas	Nebo	NC	100.00
Palmetto Chapel FWB Church	Vanceboro	NC	100.00
Rhonda Grigg	Shelby	NC	100.00
UNITY WAC	Greenville	NC	100.00
Linda K Wilson	Bailey	NC	75.00
Sara & Donald Poston	Murfreesboro	TN	75.00
Wildwood FWB Church GRNR	Garner	NC	75.00
Barbara Collingsworth	Nebo	NC	60.00
Julie McCoy	Asheboro	NC	60.00
Marie H. Cobb	Bethel	NC	60.00
Robert Sumerlin	Greenville	NC	60.00
Bobby Kincaid & Kelly Paluscsak	Marion	NC	50.00
Richard Bruce	Greenville	SC	50.00
Travis & Peggy Wooten	Macclesfield	NC	50.00
Lenoir First FWB Church	Lenoir	NC	40.00
Calvary FWB Church MH	Maple Hill	NC	25.00
Jimmie & Clarice Dunford	Beckley	WV	25.00
Geraldine Edmondson	Macclesfield	NC	20.00
Norma Bagwell	Morganton	NC	20.00
Patricia Dorton	Clinton	NC	20.00
Barbara Mixon	Florence	SC	10.00
Tony Meadows	Craigsville	WV	10.00
Garner FWB Church WAC	Raleigh	NC	5.00
Church Extension Loan Fund Transfers	Antioch	TN	22,500.00

TOTAL

\$ 162,706.34



NCFWB State Missions Board

2023 Proposed Budget

General Fund	\$15,000.00
Project Hickory	\$225,000.00
<u>New Work Fund</u>	<u>\$2,500.00</u>
TOTAL	\$242,500.00

NORTH CAROLINA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance Brought Forward May 1, 2021	\$ 11,364.58
Total Receipts	\$ 29,698.24
Total Disbursements	\$ 24,354.56
Balance in account as of April 30, 2022	\$ 16,708.26
Funds held in General Account for Raleigh 2023	\$ 14,551.53
Funds held in General Account for Pastor's Gifts	\$ 120.00
Funds held in General Account for E-Teams	\$ 150.00
Balance available as of April 30, 2022	\$ 1,886.73

Receipts

State Projects:

IM - Varena Church - Bulgaria (2020-2021)	\$ 355.00
NAM - Danny Elliott (2020-2021)	\$ 395.00
International Missions - IMpact Japan Gravestone Project	\$ 7,588.12
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$ 4,850.06
Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$ 1,706.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$ 1,538.03
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$ 4,974.03
2021 State Meeting Offering	\$ 1,303.00
2021 CMP Offering	\$ 648.00
NCWAC General Fund	\$ 884.00
Membership Dues 2021-2022 (238 members)	\$ 3,689.00
E-Team	\$ 150.00
Pastor's Gifts	\$ 90.00
NCWAC State Meeting Delagate Fees	\$ 150.00
WNAC General Fund	\$ 325.00
WNAC Emphasis	\$ 288.00
WNAC Provision Closet	\$ 130.00
WNAC Giving Tree	\$ 120.00
Cleo Pursell Scholarship	\$ 25.00
Dr. Wisehart Scholarship	\$ 25.00
Love Offering - Julie McCoy	\$ 200.00
International Missions - other designated giving	\$ 225.00
VOIDED CHECK #1904 from May, 2019	\$ 40.00
	\$ 29,698.24

Disbursements

Doug & Miriam Bishop	\$ 1,000.00
Tim & Lydia Autrey	\$ 600.00
Melissa Belcher	\$ 40.00
Cash for Pastor's Gifts	\$ 150.00
Leah Waddell Scholarship Fund	\$ 125.00
NCFWB	\$ 125.00
Harvest Childcare Ministries	\$ 125.00

NORTH CAROLINA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

TREASURER'S REPORT

WNAC	\$	4,616.50
International Missions	\$	8,307.72
North American Ministries	\$	5,245.06
Bradley Mercer (CMP)	\$	139.60
Lauralee Umphlett (CMP)	\$	139.60
Tyler Justice (CMP)	\$	139.60
Ms. Julie McCoy	\$	200.00
Monthly Bank Service Charge	\$	157.45
Welch College	\$	1,706.00
Southeastern FWB College	\$	1,538.03
	\$	24,354.56

2021 - 2022 State Project Totals

International Missions - Impact Japan Gravestone Project	\$	7,588.12
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$	4,850.06
Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$	1,706.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$	1,538.03
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	4,974.03

Cindy Bird

Respectfully Submitted

Blue Ridge District

State Project:

International Missions - Impact Japan Gravestone Project	\$	2,288.00
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$	1,144.00
Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$	600.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$	250.00
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	1,600.00
Membership Dues 2021-2022 (88 members)	\$	1,364.00
Pastor's Gift & State Delegate Fee	\$	80.00
State Project Offering (2021)	\$	400.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	7,726.00

International Missions	\$	4,763.70
North American Ministries	\$	5,370.00
Miscellaneous Gifts	\$	3,550.00
TOTAL SENT DIRECTLY	\$	13,683.70

Coastal District

State Project:

International Missions - Impact Japan Gravestone Project	\$	1,514.12
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$	1,092.06

NORTH CAROLINA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

TREASURER'S REPORT

Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$	485.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$	251.03
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	336.03
Membership Dues 2021-2022 (44 members)	\$	682.00
Pastor's Gift & State Delegate Fee	\$	80.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	3,678.24
International Missions	\$	480.00
North American Ministries	\$	120.00
Miscellaneous Gifts	\$	30.00
TOTAL SENT DIRECTLY	\$	630.00

Palmer District

State Project:

International Missions - Impact Japan Gravestone Project	\$	1,100.00
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$	1,000.00
Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$	100.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$	600.00
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	100.00
Membership Dues 2021-2022 (37 members)	\$	573.50
WNAC General Fund	\$	225.00
WNAC Emphasis Monthly Offering	\$	288.00
NCWAC General Fund	\$	25.00
E-Team	\$	50.00
Pastor's Gift & State Delegate Fee	\$	80.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	4,141.50
International Missions	\$	4,315.00
North American Ministries	\$	30.00
Miscellaneous Gifts	\$	855.00
TOTAL SENT DIRECTLY	\$	5,200.00

Randall District

State Project:

International Missions - Impact Japan Gravestone Project	\$	2,686.00
North American Ministries - Carl & Cynthia Spruill (Hawaii)	\$	1,614.00
Welch College - Chafing Dishes	\$	521.00
Southeastern FWB College - Marvin's Garden	\$	437.00
State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	2,238.00
Membership Dues 2021-2022 (69 members)	\$	1,069.50
Cleo Pursell Scholarship	\$	25.00
Dr. Wisehart Scholarship	\$	25.00
WNAC Provision Closet	\$	130.00
WNAC Giving Tree	\$	120.00

NORTH CAROLINA WOMEN ACTIVE FOR CHRIST

TREASURER'S REPORT

WNAC General Fund	\$	100.00
NCWAC General Fund	\$	600.00
Julie McCoy	\$	200.00
Hanna Project	\$	200.00
Rest of Family Offering	\$	25.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	9,990.50

Unity FWB Church

State Emphasis - Raleigh 2023	\$	300.00
NCWAC General Fund	\$	200.00
E-Team	\$	100.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	600.00

Individuals

NCWAC General Fund	\$	59.00
TOTAL SENT THROUGH TREASURER	\$	59.00

NCFWB Youth Ministries Board Annual Report

Activities and Events:

- **1-Day Mission Trip**
 - On Saturday, October 9th, the NCFWB Youth Board hosted a 1-Day Mission Trip at Glad Tidings Free Will Baptist Church in Asheboro, NC. Glad Tidings Church is a NCFWB State Home Missions Revitalization project where Rev. Dale McCoy was the Pastor. Youth groups from across the state, along with students from Welch College in Gallatin, TN, came together to pass out over 500 doorknob hangers in the community with an invitation to Glad Tidings Church. Following lunch, Welch College led in worship and Rev. Johnathan Washak, Student Pastor of Hilltop Free Will Baptist Church, preached a challenging message on Identity from Genesis 1-3. After the service, the youth groups mingled and connected with each other around outdoor games and fellowship.
- **CTS State Competition**
 - The NCFWB State Youth Board hosted the 2022 North Carolina Free Will Baptist State Youth Competition on April 8-9. Due to increase in gas prices and decreased number of students who are competing with someone else in the state in the same age range and category, this was held virtually with judges from Welch College in Gallatin, TN. Those students that did not have competition will go straight to the National. NC will be represented by 6 different churches in 48 different categories at the 2022 Vertical Three CTS Ministry Expo Event in Birmingham, AL this July 24-27.

2022 NCFWB CTS Winners

Bible Millionaire 0.40

B – Cramerton Millionaires Cramerton

Bible Tic Tac Toe 0.70

C – Cramerton Tic Tac Toe Cramerton

Vocal Ensemble 5-12 Members 2.50

A – Cramerton Kids Cramerton

B – Cramerton Ensemble Cramerton

Instrumental Solo - Woodwinds 3.10

D – Miles Denton Faith

Instrumental Solo – Brass 3.20

D – Brett Baumgartner Faith

Instrumental Solo – Bowed Strings 3.30

B – Cayson Llanos Cramerton

D – Caleb Carroll Peace

Instrumental Solo – Plucked Strings 3.40

B – Emma Pleasants Cramerton

C – Madison Baer Cramerton

Keyboard Solo 5.10

B – Lydia Graham Cramerton

C – Madison Masters

Ahoskie

Bible Memorization 0.K5-0.12

K5 – Charlotte Pleasants	Cramerton
K5 – Oakley Dillard	Cramerton
1 st – Maggie King	Cramerton
1 st – Esther Graham	Cramerton
2 nd – Kenley Osuna	Cramerton
4 th – Sophie Graham	Cramerton
5 th – Gaby Turbyfill	Cramerton
6 th – Lydia Graham	Cramerton

Group Memorization 0.K5g–0.12g

K5 – Cramerton K5 Kids	Cramerton
1 st – Cramerton Kids	Cramerton
4 th – Cramerton Group Memo	Cramerton
6 th – Cramerton Group Memo	Cramerton

Bible Sword Drill 0.44, 0.55, 0.66

B – Landon Moss	Washington
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Vocal Solo 1.10, 1.20, 1.30

1.1 B – Landon Moss	Washington
1.2 D – Phillip Cribb	Cramerton

Vocal Duet 2.20

A – Kenley and Korie	Cramerton
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Vocal Trio 2.30

C – Cramerton Trio	Cramerton
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Vocal Quartet 2.40

B – Cramerton Quartet	Cramerton
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Christian Lit. Recitation 6.20

D – Cheyenne Lewis	Cramerton
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Illustrated Story Telling 6.30

C – Ayden Llanos	Cramerton
D – Cheyenne Lewis	Cramerton

Dramatic Duo 6.52

A – Cramerton Dramatic Duo	Cramerton
B – Cramerton Dramatic Duo	Cramerton

Group Drama 6.53

A – Cramerton Group Drama	Cramerton
B – Cramerton Group Drama	Cramerton

Painting 7.10

C – Lily Tan	Tippett's Chapel
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Mixed Media 7.30

C – Westyn Brafford Towle	Cramerton
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Single Photo 7.51

B – Emma Pleasants	Cramerton
C – Ava Ormandd	Washington
D – Peyton Ezzell	Tippett's Chapel

Molded Clay 7.72

D – Courtney Leggett	Washington
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Personal Experience 8.20

D – Peyton Ezzell	Tippett's Chapel
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Book Review 8.30

C – Avery Diaz	Washington
C – Valerie Diaz	Washington
D – Victoria Diaz	Washington

Slide Show Presentation 9.20

D – Peyton Ezzell	Tippett's Chapel
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• **NC ETEAM Students 2022**

- Kaitlyn Eason (Brazil) – New Life Free Will Baptist Church in New Bern
- McKenna Perry (Chicago) – Ahoskie Free Will Baptist Church in Ahoskie
- Anna Donoho (Ecuador) – Bethel Free Will Baptist Church in Kinston
- Mackenzie Cooper (France) – Temple Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville
- Olivia Fulcher (Japan) – Unity Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville
- Joshua Mills (Spain) – Unity Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville
- Julia Barnhill (St. Croix, USVI) – Unity Free Will Baptist Church in Greenville

- **NC Truth and Peace Students 2022**

- Christian Bryson—Belmont—Cramerton Free Will Baptist Church
- Brett Baumgartner—Princeton—Faith Free Will Baptist Church
- Andrew Tilghman—Grifton—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church
- Cooper Williams—Kinston—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church
- Julia Barnhill—Winterville—Unity Free Will Baptist Church
- Ellison Cantrell—Belmont—Cramerton Free Will Baptist Church
- Rachel Cheyenne Lewis—Gastonia—Cramerton Free Will Baptist Church
- Julianna Gibbs—Gastonia—First Free Will Baptist Church
- Anna Donoho—Kinston—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church
- Caleb Carroll—Wilson—Peace Free Will Baptist Church
- Jackson Baer—Gastonia—Cramerton Free Will Baptist Church
- Joshua Mills—Greenville—Unity Free Will Baptist Church
- Mackenzie Cooper—Greenville—Temple Free Will Baptist Church
- Makenna Gibbs—Gastonia—First Free Will Baptist Church
- Maryn Gates—Kinston—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church
- Olivia Fulcher—Ayden—Unity Free Will Baptist Church
- Easton Truett—Kinston—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church
- Hailey Carnes—Wilson—Peace Free Will Baptist Church
- Karlie Strickland—Jacksonville—Bethel Free Will Baptist Church

- **Youth Evangelistic Team 2022**

- Jackson Baer—Gastonia—Cramerton Free Will Baptist Church
- Caleb Carroll—Wilson—Peace Free Will Baptist Church

- **Staying Connected**

- There are a variety of ways that we are encouraging youth groups/pastors to stay connected.
 - *V3 Student Ministry Forum* FB Page. Its purpose is to provide encouragement and community for FWB student ministry leaders and volunteers.
 - Youth Rallies (such as the Coastal Youth Rally in April. 140 students in attendance representing 9 churches)
 - Retreats (such as the *Snowed In Retreat* in March; 400 students in attendance representing 10+ churches in our state)
 - Summer Camps and Mission Trips
- For more information, please contact one of our board members.

- **Note:** We are still in the process of joining the Youth Ministries website to the NCFWB website and are in talks with Jeremy Smith about putting this together. We believe having all our information on one site will make it easier for everyone.

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

NCFWB State Youth Ministries Board
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Jake Manning – Chairman
Derek Cominskie - Treasurer
Joe Ange
Devin Cominskie
Aaron Pendergraft

May 2021 - May 2022 Financial Report

Thursday, May 13, 2021	CURRENT BALANCE	\$ 4,588.74
Thursday, May 27, 2021	Postage for CTS Forms	\$ (26.90)
Tuesday, May 25, 2021	Deposit for State Competition CTS Fees	\$ 210.00
Friday, June 4, 2021	NAFWB CTS Registration Fees	\$ (2,760.00)
Monday, June 7, 2021	Gift for State Comp Judge	\$ (50.00)
Thursday, June 10, 2021	Deposit for State Competition CTS Fees	\$ 40.00
Wednesday, June 30, 2021	Gift for State Comp Judge	\$ (50.00)
Monday, August 9, 2021	Gift for State Comp Judge	\$ (50.00)
Tuesday, October 5, 2021	Supplies: One Day Mission Trip Glad Tidings, Asheboro	\$ (13.75)
Tuesday, October 5, 2021	Supplies: One Day Mission Trip Glad Tidings, Asheboro	\$ (41.43)
Thursday, October 14, 2021	Food Cost for ODMT Glad Tidings, Asheboro	\$ (601.77)
Tuesday, March 29, 2022	Deposit for State Competition CTS Fees	\$ 210.00
Thursday, March 31, 2022	Deposit for State Competition CTS Fees	\$ 2,210.00
Wednesday, May 25, 2022	Deposit for State Competition CTS Fees	\$ 30.00

Tuesday, May 18, 2021 **CURRENT BALANCE** **\$ 3,694.89**

Respectfully submitted,
Derek J. Cominskie
NCFWB Youth Board Treasurer

Leah Waddell Scholarship Fund Report

Who we are:

The Leah Waddell Scholarship was adopted by the North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists in 1964. The fund was established to assist students from North Carolina and descendants of Leah Waddell who desire to attend Welch College. It is funded entirely through gifts: projects adopted by Sunday School classes, WAC's, Vacation Bible School, individuals, etc. The Waddell Scholarship is awarded annually to a worthy student selected by the college administration. Students from North Carolina or the Waddell family can apply for the scholarship at <http://welch.edu/admissions>

Annual Report:

We are grateful for the continued faithfulness of our churches, associations, WACs and businesses, along with several individual donors, who have given to the Leah Waddell Scholarship Fund this year. Due to your generosity, we were able to send a check of \$10,350 to Welch College to support students from our state! A list of contributors can be found below in our financial report.

The recipients for the Leah Waddell Scholarship this year are:

Madison Carnes
Shelby Dilda
Cassidy Jackson
Emily Lassiter
Ryan Willaford
Lauren Weese
Easton Truett
Cheyenne Lewis

We are so thankful for these students who are "preparing to serve Christ, His Church, and His world through biblical thought and life."

Looking Forward:

The Leah Waddell Scholarship Committee (Shelby Cominskie, Treasurer; Glenda Fulcher, and Terry Cason) has set our goal at \$10,500 for the upcoming year. Contributions may be sent to our treasurer, Shelby Cominskie, at:
108 Browning Ct.
Clayton, NC 27520

Leah Waddell Scholarship Fund Financial Report

May 5, 2021 through May 17, 2022

Wednesday, May 5, 2021	STARTING BALANCE	\$	96.35
Contributors for this period:			
	Coastal Association of FWB	\$	100.00
	Edwin and Betty Hill	\$	300.00
	First FWB Church WNAC, Morehead City, NC	\$	280.00
	Glenda Fulcher	\$	40.00
	Lena T. Golding	\$	500.00
	Lynda Rackley	\$	30.00
	NC Association of FWB	\$	5,400.00
	NCWAC	\$	250.00
	Pamlico Distric WNAC	\$	100.00
	Peace Chapel FWB Church WAC, Washington, NC	\$	200.00
	Reuben and Terry Cason	\$	100.00
	Royce and Debra Stone, High Point, NC	\$	50.00
	Sherwood Forest FWB Church, New Bern, NC	\$	2,418.00
	Tippett's Chapel FWB Church, Clayton, NC	\$	589.20
	Zephyr Hills FWB Church WAC, Asheville, NC	\$	200.00
Tuesday, April 26, 2022	Check Mailed To: WELCH COLLEGE	\$	(10,350.00)
Tuesday, May 17, 2022	CURRENT BALANCE	\$	303.55

Respectfully submitted,

Shelby F. Cominskie, Treasurer

Other Committee Members: Glenda Fulcher & Terry Cason

**The North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists
2021-2022 Officers and Board Members**

Executive Board

Moderator:	Gene Williams (2022)	serving 2 nd term
Asst. Moderator:	Josh Baer (2022)	serving 1 st term
Treasurer:	Jeff Manning (2023)	serving 1 st term
Clerk:	Jeff Silver (2022)	serving 1 st term
Member at large:	Sherman Branch (2022)	filling unexpired term
Member at large:	Chris Truett (2023)	serving 2 nd term
Member at large:	Christian Powell (2024)	serving 1 st term

NC State Mission Board

Cliff Donoho (2022)	serving 1 st term
Chuck Overcash (2023)	serving 1 st term
Jimmy Mercer (2024)	serving 2 nd term
Brian Bird (2025)	serving 2 nd term
Luke Johnson (2026)	serving 1 st term

Youth Board

Joe Ange (2022)	serving 1 st term
Devin Cominskie (2023)	filling unexpired term
Jake Manning (2024)	serving 2 nd term
Aaron Pendergraft (2025)	serving 1 st term
Dered Cominskie (2026)	serving 2 nd term

The North Carolina Association of Free Will Baptists
2022-2023 Officers and Board Members

Executive Board

Moderator: _____ (2024) *replacing Gene Williams*, served 2nd term*
Asst. Moderator: _____ (2024) *replacing Josh Baer**, served 1st term*
Treasurer: Jeff Manning (2023) *serving 1st term*
Clerk: _____ (2024) *replacing Jeff Silver, served 1st term*
Member at large: Chris Truett (2023) *serving 2nd term*
Member at large: Christian Powell (2024) *serving 1st term*
Member at large: _____ (2025) *replacing Sherman Branch, served unexpired term*

NC State Mission Board

Chuck Overcash (2023) *serving 1st term*
Jimmy Mercer (2024) *serving 2nd term*
Brian Bird (2025) *serving 2nd term*
Luke Johnson (2026) *serving 1st term*
_____ (2027) *replacing Cliff Donoho, served 1st term*

Youth Board

Devin Cominskie (2023) *filling unexpired term*
_____ (2024) *replacing Jake Manning, resigned*
_____ (2025) *replacing Aaron Pendergraft, resigned*
Derek Cominskie (2026) *serving 2nd term*
_____ (2027) *replacing Joe Ange, served 1st term*

**Gene Williams completed his second terms and is not able to replace himself. The newly elected Moderator must come from the West.*

***The newly elected Assistant Moderator must come from the East.*

