

# MINUTES

Executive Committee Meeting 6:30 pm, Thursday, May 18, 2023  
Republican Headquarters, 844 Washington Plaza, Washington, NC

<i>Members</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Excused</i>	<i>Members</i>	<i>Present</i>	<i>Excused</i>	<i>Visitors</i>
Gail Breed	Yes		Danny Roe	No	<i>Excused</i>	Gary Ceres
Nancy Brickhouse	Yes		Scarlet Stokes	Yes		Travis Wilson
Ruth Cauvin	Yes		Jackie Vanessendelft	Yes		
Joyce Coward	No	<i>Excused</i>	Paul Varcoe	Yes		
Kelly Cox	Yes		Frankie Waters	No	<i>Excused</i>	
Sheri Elks	Yes		Kathy Waters	Yes		
Joanne Forrest	Yes		Jimmie Whichard	Yes		
David French	Yes		Donna Wortman	Yes		
Carolyn Garris	Yes		Jeffrey Trueblood	Yes		
Patricia Garrison	Yes					
Donna Henderson	Yes		Ex-officio Members			
April Holloway	Yes		Steve Rader, Precinct Chair	Yes		
Jeffrey Johnson	No	<i>Excused</i>				
Keith Kidwell	No	<i>Excused</i>				
Al Klemm	Yes					
Janet Knight	No	<i>Unexcused</i>				
Joseph Knox	No	<i>Excused</i>				
John Rebholz	No	<i>Excused</i>				

1. Call to Order - Carolyn Garris
2. Invocation - Chaplain Donna Wortman
3. Pledge of Allegiance - Donna Henderson
4. Recognition of New Executive Committee Members elected during Convention
5. Approval of Minutes - Motion- Jimmie Whichard, second David French
6. Memorial Day Tribute- Photos of Loved Ones lost in combat and banner
7. Chairman Garris reported nominations for the Board of Elections were forwarded to the NC GOP. Rane Singleton, John Tate, and Amanda Sasnett were selected by the Executive Committee.
8. Chairman Garris reported Municipal Elections are to begin countywide. Filing begins Friday, July 7, 2023, at 12 noon and ends Friday 21, 2023 at noon
9. Chairman Garris introduced Travis Wilson, candidate for Commissioner of Labor. Mr. Wilson addressed the audience and answered questions.
  - a. Missionary Workers taking risks
  - b. Industrial Commission
  - c. General and Independent Contractors
  - d. Labor Union
10. Danny Roe will continue to serve on MAT. Multi Partisan Assistance Team.
11. Annual Golf Tournament – Chairman Garris gave a brief update for Jeffrey Johnson. Kelly Cox also shared comments and suggestions for the upcoming golf tournament. The committee will have a final date and location at the next meeting.

12. Chairman Garris reported that Gary Ceres, GOP candidate, is running for Washington City Council. She also reported there will be a meet and greet at the Republican Headquarters Saturday, June 3, 2023, 12-2 pm. She encouraged everyone to attend.
13. State Convention - June 8-11, 2023, Koury Convention Center, Greensboro, NC
14. Reagan Day Dinner Committee- Chairperson needed
15. Sponsors- Elephant Banners along the wall to represent the building fund sponsors.
16. Announcements
  - Memorial Day service in Washington Park at 11:00
  - Next meeting June 15, 2023, @ 6:30
  - Steve Radar- District 3 raffle
  - Register of Deeds-updating equipment, processes, and online presence
17. Adjourned - Motion- Donna Wortman  
Second- Gail Breed