

North Carolina Board of Funeral Service

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The next meeting of the Board will be 9 a.m. Wednesday, February 9, 2011 at the Board offices, 1033 Wade Avenue, Ste. 108, Raleigh, NC 27605. The Board will also meet to hold hearings on Thursday February 10 at the Board offices. The agenda for the meeting can be viewed by [following this link.](#)

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BOARD ACTIONS- Actions and Results from the January 19 Board meeting:

- A. President George Parrott administered the Oaths of Office for Crematory Authority members-elect Lynn Sawyer and Russ Hackett.
- B. Set the interest rate for 2011 recovery fund claim payments at 1/2 of 1%.

NEW MEMBERS AND RE-APPOINTMENT

Mr. Harris B. High, Jr. and Mr. Kenneth D. Stainback recently received their appointments from the Governor on the recommendations of NCFDA. Both have taken their Oaths of Office and are duly qualified as Board members.

Mr. J. T. Willoughby, III has been re-appointed by the Governor on the recommendation of FD&MA of NC, Inc. Mr. Willoughby will take his Oath of Office at the meeting on February 9.

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION TO OUTGOING MEMBERS

Mr. Larry R. Andrews and Mr. P. Mark Blake are to be commended for their service on the Board. Both served since January 2005 and their terms ended upon the new members taking the Oath of Office.

OUR SYMPATHIES ARE EXTENDED TO THE FAMILIES OF:

William Thomas Johnson of Johnson Funeral Home, Huntersville who died August 23, 2010.

Blanche Lucille Sparrow Rivers, formerly of Rivers Funeral Home New Bern, (currently operating as Rivers-Morgan Funeral Home) who died December 28, 2010.

Jack Warner Williams, former owner of Hankins and Whittington Funeral Service and McEwen Funeral Service in Monroe, and Williams-Dearborn Funeral Home (now Heritage at Weddington) who died January 13, 2011.

Brenda Lois Coble, formerly of Butler Funeral Service, Laurinburg who died January 21, 2011.