

North Carolina Board of Funeral Service

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The next meeting of the Board will be 9 a.m. Wednesday, January 12, 2011 at the Board offices, 1033 Wade Avenue, Ste. 108, Raleigh, NC 27605. The Board will also meet to hold hearings on Thursday January 13 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 December 8 Board meeting:

- A. Elected the 2011 officers: George Parrott as President; Tryphina Wiseman as Vice President; Elizabeth Webber as Secretary
- B. Adopted recommendation for the 2011 budget from Finance and Personnel committee.
- C. Adopted two recommendations from the Laws, Rules & Legislative committee:
Recommendation 1- to set the look back period for performed inflation proof contracts as follows: For contracts written since January 1, 2000 and performed by the original contracting funeral home, during audits the Board will examine those contracts back to January 1, 2006 (when the new sales tax computation on funeral expense went into effect) or to the last audit date which ever is later. Recommendation 2- to set a 60 day limit for firms who have existing bonds dropped by the carrier to obtain new coverage before the Board will commence action to transfer preneed contracts and a 60 day limit for a firm to obtain a bond when purchasing another firm who held a preneed license, before the Board will commence action to transfer preneed contracts.

2011 RENEWALS-

- Licenses expired December 31, 2010 and must be renewed on or before February 1, 2011 to avoid disciplinary action.
- 2011 Renewal applications were mailed the end of November. If you have not received one please contact the Board office. **DO NOT** wait until the end of January to request another. You may also access renewal forms online at www.ncbfs.org on the "Applications" page.
- Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 90-210.23(d) make certain you inform the board of any change in mailing address. In the interest of security, the notice should be in a signed, written format.
- Licensees can check their CE hours by accessing the website "Directory" page. Enter either your license number or **only** your last name. Please keep in mind CE hours recently obtained may not be entered as yet.

OUR SYMPATHIES ARE EXTENDED TO THE FAMILY OF:

Ivey Howard Stampley, Jr. formerly of Coble Ward Smith Funeral Service, Wilmington, who died December 22.

THE BOARD OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY JANUARY 17 IN OBSERVANCE OF THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY