

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR

February 15, 2023

VIA HAND DELIVERY

- The Honorable Tim Moore Speaker of the House 16 W. Jones Street, Room 2304 Raleigh, NC 27601-1096
- Dear Speaker Moore:

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I hereby submit his name for confirmation by the General Assembly by joint resolution.

I am grateful for Judge Wilson's willingness to assume this important responsibility for the State of North Carolina. Attached is his biographical information for your review. Please feel free to call my staff for any additional information.

Sincerely,

Roy Cooper

Enclosure

cc:

The Honorable Dan Blue

The Honorable Robert Reives

Ms. Sarah Holland, Senate Principal Clerk

Mr. James White, House Principal Clerk

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The Honorable Philip E. Berger Senate President Pro Tempore 16 W. Jones Street, Room 2007 Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-2808

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The Honorable Mark Robinson Lieutenant Governor 310 N. Blount Street Raleigh, North Carolina 27601

Dear Lt. Governor Robinson:

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EDWIN GRAVES WILSON, JR.

SENIOR RESIDENT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE, STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA LIEUTENANT COLONEL, UNITED STATES ARMY RESERVE, JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S CORPS

PROFESSIONAL

Senior Resident Superior Court Judge, State of North Carolina, 2005-2022 Resident Superior Court Judge, State of North Carolina, 2003-2005 Partner, Maddrey Wilson Etringer and Smith, Eden, North Carolina, 1994-2003 Fellow, Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, 1993-1994 Staff, U.S. Senator Terry Sanford, Washington, D.C., 1988-1989

MILITARY

Lieutenant Colonel, Judge Advocate General's Corps, United States Army Reserve
Department of Homeland Security, Military Augmentation Response Cadre (2022-Present)
United States Military Academy, Instructor of Law, West Point, N.Y. (2017-2022)

134th Legal Operations Detachment, Fort Bragg, N.C. 2014-2017

81st Regional Support Command, HHC, Fort Jackson, S.C. 2012-2014

Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg, N.C. 2011(Active Duty)

12th Legal Support Organization, Fort Jackson, South Carolina, 2002-2006, 2008-2010

United States Army Reserve Readiness Command, Fort Jackson, S.C., 2006-2007

Military Education

U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, 2013

Judge Advocate General's School, Charlottesville, Virginia Judge Advocate Officer Advanced Course, 2007

Judge Advocate Officer Basic Course, 2002

United States Army Decorations/Badges

Meritorious Service Medal 2011, 2015, 2017, 2020

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal 2011

Armed Forces Reserve Medal with "M" Device 2011, 2014

Army Commendation Medal 2008, 2009

Army Achievement Medal 2015

Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal 2005, 2008, 2011, 2014

Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015 (Germany)

Army Reserve Component Overseas Training Ribbon 2005 (Panama)

National Defense Service Medal 2005

Army Service Ribbon 2002

HIGHER EDUCATION

Wake Forest University, J.D., 1993 University of Virginia, B.A. in History, 1988

EDUCATION

R.J. Reynolds High School, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, 1984 Forsyth County, North Carolina, Public Schools

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS (past and present)

President, North Carolina Superior Court Judges Conference, October 2022-December 2022

Pattern Jury Instruction Committee, North Carolina Superior Court Judges, 2018-Present

Treasurer, North Carolina Conference of Superior Court Judges, 2006-2008

Education Committee, North Carolina Conference of Superior Court Judges

North Carolina Conference of Superior Court Judges

North Carolina State Bar

Rockingham and Caswell County Bar Association

Master, Guilford Inn of Court, Greensboro, North Carolina (leave of absence)

Master, Chief Justice Joseph Branch Inn of Court, Winston-Salem, North Carolina (leave of absence)

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS (past and present)

Scoutmaster, Troop 567, Eden, North Carolina

Board of Advisors, Wildacres Leadership Initiative, Durham, North Carolina

Chairman of the Board, Reidsville Area Foundation, Reidsville, North Carolina

Vice Chairman of the Board, Morehead Memorial Hospital, Eden, North Carolina

Chairman of the Board, North Carolina Center for Voter Education

Board Member, North Carolina Clean Water Management Trust Fund

Chairman of the Board, Rockingham County Education Foundation, Wentworth, North Carolina

Board Member, Boys and Girls Club, Eden, North Carolina

Board Member, Free Clinic of Rockingham County, Reidsville, North Carolina

Board Member, Piedmont Land Conservancy, Greensboro, North Carolina

Board Member, Rockingham County United Way, Wentworth, North Carolina

Board Member, Help, Inc., Wentworth, North Carolina

Board Member, Chamber of Commerce, Eden, North Carolina

AWARDS

Eagle Scout

William Friday Fellow, Wildacres Leadership Initiative

Order of the Long Leaf Pine

PERSONAL

Married to Laurie Turnage Wilson (BA, MA, Wake Forest University, former high school English teacher)

Children: Edwin G. Wilson III (Buddy), Harry Clyde Wilson, Maria Elizabeth Wilson,

Eleanor Louise Wilson

Church: Episcopal Church of the Epiphany (Senior Warden, Vestry and Minister Search Committee)