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## Latino Initiative for Public Policy and Civic Leaders

### List of Former Delegates

#### **Buncombe (2002)**

**Marla Adams**, Partner, Van Winkle Law Firm (Board President)  
**K. Ray Bailey**, President, Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College  
**Charles Carter**, Senator, NC General Assembly  
**Cliff Dodson**, Superintendent, Buncombe County Schools  
**Carlos Gomez**, Executive Director, Western North Carolina Community Health Services  
**Olson Huff**, Pediatrician, Mission St. Joseph Health Care Foundation  
**Rick Lutovsky**, President & CEO, Asheville Chamber of Commerce  
**Bill Stanley**, Vice-Chairman, Buncombe County Board of Commissioners  
**Amanda Stone**, Director, Buncombe County Department of Social Services  
**Charles Worley**, Mayor, City of Asheville

#### **Catawba (2002)**

**Bobby Boyd**, Director, Catawba County Department of Social Services  
**Burford Cherry**, District Court Judge, Administrative Office of the Courts  
**Kitty Barnes**, Commissioner, Catawba County Board of Commissioners  
**Gertrude Clemons**, Section 8 Housing Administrator, Western Piedmont Council of Governments  
**William Crawford**, Superintendent, Newton-Conover City Schools  
**Maria Daily**, Director, El Centro Latino  
**Ann Hart**, Superintendent, Catawba County Schools  
**Floyd Lucas**, Chief, Hickory Police Department  
**Rudy Wright**, Mayor, City of Hickory

#### **Chatham (2000)**

**Ernest Dark**, Vice Chair, School Board, Chatham County  
**Rick Givens**, Commissioner, Chatham County Board of Commissioners  
**Gloria Maldonado**, Community Educator, Helping Hands Center, Chatham County  
**Lewis Phillips**, Chief of Police, Siler City, Chatham County  
**Margaret Pollard**, Commissioner, Chatham County Board of Commissioners  
**Don Whitt**, Former Sheriff, Chatham County

### **Duplin (2005)**

**Alex Asbun**, Director, Latino Healthcare Access, Duplin General Hospital  
**Albert Brown**, Board Member, James Sprunt Community College  
**Ila Davis**, Health Director, Duplin County Health Department  
**Fred Eldridge**, County Manager, Duplin County  
**Ed Emory**, County Extension Director, Duplin County Cooperative Extension  
**Charles Farrior**, Mayor, Wallace, NC  
**Bob Kornegay**, Manager of Marketing & Member Relations, Tri-County EMC  
**Emily Manning**, Vice Chairman, Duplin County Board of Education  
**Russell Tucker**, Representative, North Carolina General Assembly

### **Durham (2001)**

**Mary Ann Black**, Former Chair, Durham County Board of Commissioners  
**Carol Jean Gallione**, Board Chair, El Centro Hispano, Durham  
**Wib Gulley**, Senator, NC General Assembly  
**John Herrera**, Vice President of Latino/Hispanic Affairs, Center for Community Self-Help  
**Dan Hudgins**, Director, Durham County Department of Social Services  
**Alice Johnson**, Translation Coordinator, El Centro Hispano  
**Paul Luebke**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Ivan Parra**, Executive Director, Latino Community Development Center  
**Mark Schultz**, Night Editor, Durham Herald-Sun  
**Jean Spaulding**, Former Vice Chancellor of Health Affairs, Duke University Health System  
**Kenneth Titus**, Chief District Court Judge, Durham County District Court

### **Forsyth (2002)**

**Amy Frazier**, Reporter-Hispanic Issues, The Winston-Salem Journal  
**Miriam Hernandez**, Director, Hispanic Action Force  
**Joycelyn Johnson**, Alderman, City of Winston-Salem  
**Melvin Johnson**, Provost & Vice Chancellor, Winston-Salem State University  
**Tog Newman**, Chairman, NC Arts Council  
**David Pardo**, Hispanic Service Coordinator, Step One  
**David Plyler**, Vice Chairman, Forsyth County Board of Commissioners  
**Avon Ruffin**, K-12 Social Studies Supervisor, Winston-Salem Forsyth County Schools

### **Guilford (2002)**

**Dorothy Kearns**, Board Member, Guilford County Board of Education  
**Debbie Kelly**, Director, Centro de Acción Latino  
**Bill Martin**, Senator, NC General Assembly  
**Lawrence McSwain**, District Court Judge, State Courts of North Carolina  
**Robert Newton**, President, Moses Cone-Wesley Long Community Health Foundation  
**Frank Ramos**, Western NC Conference of the United Methodist Church  
**Tara Sandercock**, Vice President of Programs, Community Foundation of Greater Greensboro

**John Shore**, Director, Guilford County Department of Social Services

**Harnett (2001)**

**Teddy Byrd**, Chair, Harnett County Board of Commissioners

**Neil Emory**, County Manager, Harnett County

**Rosa Maria Matthews**, Center Director, Telamon Corporation, Harnett County

**Mary Lee Mungo**, Director, Henley-Roberts Head Start, Harnett County

**Marcia Stewart**, District Court Judge, Harnett, Johnston, Lee District Court

**Henderson (2002)**

**Ervin Bazzle**, Chair, Henderson County Board of Public Education

**Frank Byrd**, Director of Counseling Services, Blue Ridge Community College

**Marilyn Gordon**, Vice Chairman, Henderson County Board of Commissioners

**Bill Moyer**, Chairman, Henderson County Board of Commissioners

**Alfredo Oviedo**, Hispanic Representative, Children and Family Resource Center

**Ronnie Pepper**, Lead Teacher, Western Carolina Community Action

**David Sink**, President, Blue Ridge Community College

**Ron Stephens**, Councilman, City of Hendersonville

**Johnston (2001)**

**Steven Gillikin**, Chief of Police, Smithfield Police Department

**Greg Jenks**, Pastor, Christ Community United Methodist Church

**Dorothy Johnson**, Member, Johnston County School Board

**Ysaura Rodriguez**, Maternity Care Coordinator, Tri-County Community Health Center

**Mark Wellons**, Johnston County President, NC Farm Bureau

**Allen Wellons**, Senator, NC General Assembly

**Lee (2001)**

**Ann Blakely**, Clerk of Court, Lee County District Court

**Darla Cole**, Detective and Vice Chair, Sanford Police Department/Hispanic Task Force

**Leslie Cox**, Representative, NC General Assembly

**Maribel Diaz**, Executive Director, The Hispanic Task Force of Lee County

**Michael Hanes**, Director, Lee County Health Department

**Marvin Joyner**, President, Central Carolina Community College

**Bert Matthews**, Vice Chair, Lee County Board of Commissioners

**Mecklenburg (2005)**

**Diego Anselmo**, Captain, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department

**Men Tchaas Ari**, Limited English Proficiency Coordinator, Department of Social Services

**Gene Buccelli**, Senior Vice President of Operations, Urban League

**Daniel Clodfelter**, Senator, State Government

**Marlene Cox**, Human Resources Manager, TJ Maxx  
**Dianne English**, Executive Director, Community Building Initiative  
**Elsie Garner**, President & CEO, PBS/WTVI  
**Peter Gilchrist**, District Attorney, Mecklenburg County Courts  
**Carol Hughes**, Executive Director, Crisis Ministry  
**Kim Lewis**, Vice President of Community Planning, United Way  
**Joan Lorden**, Provost, UNC-Charlotte  
**Michael Marsicano**, President & CEO, Foundation for the Carolinas  
**Ed McMahan**, House of Representatives, State Government  
**Jorge Moller**, Vice President of Retail Segments Strategy, Wachovia  
**Patrick Mumford**, Senior Vice President of Community Affairs, Wachovia  
**Angeles Ortega**, Executive Director, Latin American Coalition  
**Clayton Owens**, Assistant Vice President of Grants & Contracts, Carolinas Healthcare System  
**Cheryl Palmer**, Director of Education, The Mint Museums  
**Elisa Rodriguez**, Owner & President, Latino Consulting Agency  
**Wayne Shirley**, Chief Deputy, Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office  
**David Stephens**, Deputy Chief, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department  
**Kenneth Szymanski**, President, Charlotte Apartment Association  
**Jan Thompson**, Director of Inmate Programs, Mecklenburg County Sheriff's Office  
**George Wackerhagen**, Vice President of Residential & Small Business, Duke Power  
**Eric Watson**, Vice President of Diversity and Inclusion, Food Lion

#### **Orange (2001)**

**Betsy Brown**, Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs, University of North Carolina  
**Margaret Brown**, Orange County Commissioner, Orange County Board of Commissioners  
**Sharon Campbell**, Managing Editor, Chapel Hill News  
**Eleanor Gates Kinnaird**, Senator, NC General Assembly  
**Mauricio Henríquez-Castro**, President, El Centro Latino, Chapel Hill  
**Verla Insko**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Rich Linton**, Formerly Assistant VP or Research & Director of Sponsored Programs, The University of North Carolina  
**Thomas Thornburg**, Associate Director of Programs, Institute of Government  
**Rosemary Waldorf**, Former Mayor, Town of Chapel Hill  
**James Williams**, Public Defender, Orange-Chatham Public Defender Office

#### **Sampson (2005)**

**Bill Aiken**, President, Sampson Community College  
**Larry Bell**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Sarah Bradshaw**, Director, Sampson County Department of Social Services  
**Mike Brim**, Police Chief, Clinton Police Department  
**Enrique Coello**, Manager, WRRZ Radio  
**Wanda Robinson**, Health Director, Sampson County Health Department  
**Scott Sauer**, County Manager, Sampson County  
**James Thornton**, Sheriff, Sampson County Sheriff's Office

**Pamela Westbrook**, Director of Federal Programs, Sampson County Schools  
**Rebecca Willis**, Senior Vice President & Chief Nursing Officer, Sampson Regional Medical Center

### Wake (2001)

**Andrea Bazan Manson**, Executive Director, El Pueblo, Inc., Raleigh  
**Ann Marie Calabria**, District Court Judge, 10<sup>th</sup> Judicial District of NC  
**Christopher Hoina**, Lieutenant, Cary Police Department  
**Alice Kunka**, Hispanic Ministries Liaison, NC Conference of The United Methodist Church  
**Sam Matheny**, Vice President & General Manager, DTV Plus  
**Brad Miller**, Senator, NC General Assembly  
**Katie Pomerans**, Agrability Program Coordinator, NCSU Cooperative Extension Service  
**Betty Lou Ward**, County Commissioner, Wake County Board of Commissioners  
**Jennifer Weiss**, Representative, NC General Assembly

### Wayne (2005)

**Kay Albertson**, Vice President of Academic Affairs, Wayne Community College  
**Robert Bandy**, Reverend Goldsboro District, United Methodist Church  
**William Bryan**, President, Mt. Olive Pickle Company  
**Gaspar Gonzalez**, Diversity Coordinator, Eastpointe Regional Mental Health  
**Charlie Ivey**, Principal of Spring Creek Elementary, Wayne County Public Schools  
**Mark Lynch**, Director of Human Resources, Goldsboro Milling Company  
**Chris Martin**, Human Resources Manager, Mt. Olive Pickle Company, Inc.  
**Louis Pate**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Judy Pelt**, Director, Wayne County Department of Social Services  
**Juvenio Rocha Peralta**, Associate Housing Manager, Carolina Turkey  
**James Roosen**, Health Director, Wayne County Government  
**Lynn Williams**, Community Relations Representative, Mt. Olive Pickle Company

### Cooperative Extension Leaders (2006)

**Andrew Behnke**, Assistant Professor, NC State University  
**Gary Bullen**, Extension Specialist, NC State University  
**Susan Condlin**, Lee County Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Tiffanee Conrad-Acuna**, Hoke County Area Livestock Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Sue Counts**, Watauga County Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension  
**DeShon Cromartie**, Extension Associate, NC A&T Cooperative Extension  
**Dee Furlough**, Tyrrell County FCS Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Tracy Harvey**, Extension Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Craven Hudson** Moore County Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Lorelei Jones**, EFNEP Coordinator, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Peggy Kernodle**, Program Assistant, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Della King**, Horticulture Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Arthur Latham**, Editor, Perspectives Magazine, NCSU CALS

**Jean-Marie Luginbuhl**, Assoc. Professor & Extension Specialist, NCSU & NC Cooperative Extension  
**Nolo Martinez**, Assistant Director for Research and Outreach, Center for New North Carolinians  
**Paul Mueller**, Professor of Crop Science, NCSU & CALS Sustainable Agriculture Coordinator, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Candace Murray**, Extension Agent, Family & Consumer Sciences, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Virginia New**, Extension Associate EFNEP, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Diana Rashash**, Area Specialized Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Angelina Schiavone**, Simultaneous Interpreter  
**Frances Senters**, 4-H Program Assistant, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Trudy Smith**, Duplin County Family & Consumer Education Agent, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Kevin Starr**, Lincoln County Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Julia Storm**, Agromedicine Information Specialist, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Wanda Sykes**, District Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Stephanie Tatum**, Associate EFNEP Coordinator, NC Cooperative Extension  
**Ann Ward**, Dare County Extension Director, NC Cooperative Extension

#### **Health Leaders (2003 & 2005)**

**Jen Algire**, Executive Director, Community Health Services  
**Camille Andy**, Clinical Assistant Professor, Moses Cone Family Medicine Residency  
**Tom Bacon**, State Program Director, NC AHEC Program  
**Deborah Bender**, Research Professor, UNC School of Public Health  
**MaryAnn Black**, Director of Community Affairs, Duke University Health System  
**Emily Bray**, Clinical Assistant Professor, East Carolina University  
**Ann Brown**, Certified Nurse Midwife, MAHEC and Memorial Mission Hospital  
**Edna Campos**, Member, Board of Directors, Mission Hospital  
**Arelys Chevalier**, Social Worker, UNC Greensboro  
**Maria Daily**, Executive Director, El Centro Latino (Hickory)  
**Tina Dixon**, Project Coordinator, Pitt County Memorial Hospital  
**Michael Dulin**, Director of Evidence-based Medicine and Research, Carolinas Medical Center  
**Trish Doyle**, Executive Director, Tileston Outreach Health Clinic  
**Joseph Durham**, Deputy County Manager, Wake County  
**Pamela Edwards**, Director of Education Services, Duke University Health System  
**Brian Ellerby**, Executive Director, Guilford Child Health & Adult Health, Inc.  
**Muki Fairchild**, Director, Dept. of Social Work, Duke University Hospital  
**Olivia Fleming**, Director, Open Door Clinic, Urban Ministries of Wake County  
**John Frank**, Director of Healthcare Division, Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust  
**Janet Garrett**, Radiologist, Asheville Radiology Associates  
**John Garrett**, CEO, Asheville Gastroenterology Associates  
**Deborah Gentry**, Public Health Planning Coordinator, Buncombe County Health Center  
**Karen Gibbs**, Program Manager, Mecklenburg County WIC Program  
**Alicia Gonzalez**, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Duke AHEC

**Nancy Hagan**, Director of Hispanic Ministries, St. Bernadette Catholic Church  
**Mike Hanes**, Director Lee County, Public Health Department  
**Glenna Harford**, Agency Business Manager, The Guilford Center  
**Gibbie Harris**, Community Health Director, Wake County Human Services  
**Melissa Hicks**, Faculty M.D., Clinical Assistant, MAHEC  
**Carmen Hooker Odom**, Secretary, Dept. of Health and Human Services  
**Olson Huff**, Pediatrician & Consultant, Mission Healthcare Foundation  
**Tom Irons**, Associate Vice Chancellor of Regional Health Services, ECU, Brody School of Medicine  
**Carlos Jorge**, Medical Doctor, Carolinas Healthcare System  
**Ramesh Krishnaraj**, Medical Director, Guilford County Health Department  
**Courtney Mann**, Director of Children's Department, Wake Emergency Physicians  
**Nolo Martinez**, Assistant Director for Research and Outreach, Center for New North Carolinians  
**Susan McLean**, Senior Associate Chief Operations Officer, Duke University Health Systems  
**Susan Mims**, Medical Director, Buncombe County Health Center  
**Jane Neese**, Associate Dean, Academic Affairs, UNC Charlotte, College of Health and Human Services  
**Deborah Norton**, Physician, Wake County Human Services  
**Rebecca Reyes**, Coordinator, Latino Health Project, Duke University Hospital  
**Lorree Riley**, Program Director, Community Health Services  
**Chan Roush**, Assistant Vice President, Carolinas Healthcare System  
**Pam Silberman**, President, North Carolina Institute of Medicine  
**Robyn Schryer**, U.S. Program Associate, Ipas  
**Bob Sorrels**, Deputy Director, Wake County Human Services  
**Maria Spaulding**, Executive Director, Wake County Human Services  
**Yvonne Torres**, Community Initiative Project Leader, Wake County Human Services  
**Elizabeth Tilson**, Medical Director, Wake Access II Program  
**Federico van Gelderen**, Board Member, Wake County Human Services  
**Kristin Wade**, Vice President, Carolinas Medical Center  
**Ricky Watson**, Assistant Clinical Professor, Brody School of Medicine, ECU

#### **Foundation Leaders (1998 & 2003)**

**Christina Anderson**, Director, Rex Healthcare Foundation  
**Philip Belcher**, President, Mary Black Foundation  
**Beth Briggs**, President, Creative Philanthropy  
**Tammy Brown**, Corporate Community Relations Manager, Progress Energy  
**Anita Brown Graham**, Trustee, Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation  
**R. Frank Davis**, Assistant Executive Director, The Cannon Foundation  
**Susan Downs-Karkos**, Program Officer, The Colorado Trust  
**Jean Gossett**, Vice President, Sales and Mortgages Department, Charlotte Mecklenburg Housing Partnership  
**Karen Johnson-Webb**, PhD Student, Department of Geography, UNC-Chapel-Hill  
**Valeria Lee**, Executive Director, The Golden LEAF Foundation  
**Tom McGuire**, Director, A.J. Fletcher Foundation

**Sandra Mikush**, Assistant Director, The Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation  
**Peter Morris**, Chairperson, NC Farm Worker Health Alliance  
**Rod O'Connor**, Regional Director, Catholic Social Ministries  
**Tony Pipa**, Executive Director, D. Michael Warner Foundation  
**Donna Rader**, Vice President, Grants and Programs, The Winston-Salem Foundation  
**Barbara Roole**, Program Officer, Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation  
**Val Rosenquist**, Director, Rural Church Division, The Duke Endowment  
**Tom Ross**, Executive Director, Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation  
**Tara Sandercock**, Vice President of Programs, Community Foundation of Greater Greensboro  
**Barbara Strack**, Director, Center for the New American Community, National Immigration Forum  
**Joy Vermillion**, Program Officer, Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation

### **State-wide (1999-2005)**

**Martha Alexander**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Christine Alvarado**, Deputy State Director, Telamon Corporation/Head Start  
**Leslie Bevacqua**, Vice President of Governmental Affairs, NC Citizens for Business and Industry  
**Bobbie Holloman**, Liaison to Hispanic Community and Foreign Consulates, NC Division of Motor Vehicles  
**Carmen Hooker Odom**, Secretary, Dept. of Health and Human Services  
**Wayne Hurder**, Director, Vehicle License Section, NC Department of Motor Vehicles  
**Matty Lazo-Chadderton**, Director of Hispanic/Latino Affairs, NC Senate; President Tempore's Office  
**Louise Lamm**, Director, Agriculture in the Classroom, NC Farm Bureau  
**Trisha Lester**, Vice President, NC Center for Nonprofits  
**Elaine Marshall**, Secretary of State, NC Department of Secretary of State  
**Nolo Martinez**, Assistant Director for Research and Outreach, Center for New North Carolinians  
**Norma Ware Mills**, General Counsel, NC Senate  
**Bill Owens**, Representative, NC General Assembly  
**Delores Parker**, Vice President for Academic and Student Services, NC Community College System  
**Clark Plexico**, President, Clark Plexico Consulting, Inc.  
**Ed Regan**, Deputy Director, NC Association of County Commissioners  
**Stephanie Scarce**, Coordinator of Foreign Language Services Project, Administrative Offices of the Courts  
**Roger Sheats**, Deputy Secretary, NC Department of Transportation  
**Carolyn Smith**, District Representative, Office of US Congressman Bob Etheridge  
**Nancy Temple**, Vice President, Corporate Communications, Progress Energy  
**Brad Thompson**, State Director, Office of US Senator John Edwards  
**Rogelio Valencia**, Hispanic Ombudsman, NC Department of Health and Human Services  
**Mike Ward**, State Superintendent, Department of Public Education  
**Tonya Williams**, General Counsel, NC General Assembly