

Membership and Governance Committee Recommendations for 2016 New Board Members and Officers

Slate of Candidates for Board Membership:

Rasheeda McDaniels

Ruth Birge

Karen Olsen

Barry Kampe

Steve Metcalf

Judy Butler

Chuck Cloninger

Nominations for Officers and Executive Committee

Jim Mathews---President

Melody Dunlop---Vice President/President-elect

Joyce Miles---Secretary

Pending---Treasurer

Scott McLean--- Member at Large

Special Appointment

Terry Latanich---MANNA Board-appointed representative to the NC State Association of Food Banks Board

2016 NEW MANNA BOARD MEMBERS **(highlights from their biographies)**

JUDY BUTLER

Since retiring from a career in banking with BBVA Compass in Birmingham, AL. in 2010, she has been very engaged in various volunteer opportunities here in Asheville. She and her husband have been part of a team of volunteers from their community who routinely volunteer at MANNA on a monthly basis. At the beginning of 2015, she also became an Agency Relations Monitor for MANNA. She has also participated in Leadership Asheville for Seniors program.

EDUCATION

BA from the College of St. Catherine, St. Paul, MN, and a MBA from Samford University in Birmingham, AL.

SKILLS/TALENTS

She has been very moved by the poverty I have seen since moving to this area. She has developed a keen passion for those less fortunate and is highly motivated to do what she can to improve the lives of those in our community who need it the most.

INTERESTS/HOBBIES

Husband/cat/reading/travel. Cooking and cleaning, not so much!

M. CHARLES (CHUCK) CLONINGER

Attorney, Ward and Smith, P.A. His practice primarily focuses on a wide range of construction law matters. He represents general contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, architects, engineers, developers, and owners. Recognized as one of the "Legal Elite," Business North Carolina, 2009. He will be retired as of January 1, 2016.

EDUCATION

J.D., The University of North Carolina School of Law, 1982; AB., Phi Beta Kappa, The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1979

SKILLS/TALENTS

Many community and professional affiliations including Asheville Area Chamber of Commerce (Leadership Asheville Alumnus, Class V); Asheville City Council (1995-2001; vice mayor 1999-2001); Asheville Downtown Association (member, board of directors 1988-1994; chairman); Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Western North Carolina (member, board of directors 2009-present; chairman 2011-2012); North Carolina Bar Association-Sections: Construction; Litigation North Carolina Construction Law Council (three time member); WCQS Public Radio (member, board of directors 2007-present; Chair 2013-present)

INTERESTS/HOBBIES

His hobbies are kayaking, hiking and travel.

BARRY KAMPE

He is the Western North Carolina area executive for First Bank.

EDUCATION

Graduate of UNCA. Obtained his CFP. Graduate of the NC School of Banking, East Carolina's School for Commercial Banking, and Leadership Asheville.

SKILLS/TALENTS

He loves coaching youth sports, primarily girls' basketball and softball, and boys' baseball, including his own son's and daughters' teams.

INTERESTS/HOBBIES

He loves spending time with his family and coaching, and would love to spend more time with his church. A runner, he is looking to get back into doing trail runs. He also likes playing golf.

RASHEEDA McDANIELS, MSW

Family and Community Connections Program Manager, 10/2015-present. Community Service Navigator Coordinator, Buncombe County Health and Human Services. She supervises a team of social workers, prevention workers, and a community health nurse to engage the community to support health and human services. Oversee grants supported by non-profit organizations that connect people to Health and Human Services in the Buncombe County and other resources based on client and community needs.

EDUCATION

M S W: Social Work 2004, Temple University Philadelphia, PA
Bachelor of Science: Social Work, 2002, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Bachelor of Arts: Biology, 1999, University of North Carolina at Greensboro

SKILLS/TALENTS

Includes completing a TEDtalk at the MARC (Mobilizing Action for Resilient Communities) convention, November 2015; 2015 Excellence in Innovation Award 2015, "Community Service Navigator Pop-Up Markets"; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated Community Building and Advocacy

INTERESTS/HOBBIES

Person of the Month November 2015 for the WNC Diversity Coalition
Coordinated the first "Girls on the Run" group in public housing.
Developed a teen girls group "GEMS" in public housing.