



NC Early Voting Info

Early voting, also known as **One-Stop Absentee Voting**, allows any registered voter to cast their ballot in person prior to the Election Day. Same day registration is allowed, during early voting, if you are a North Carolina resident who is qualified to register to vote.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Oct. 12, 2012

Regular deadline for voter registration

Oct. 18, 2012

Early Voting and Same-Day Registration begins

Oct. 30, 2012

Absentee ballot requests due

Nov. 3, 2012

Early Voting and Same-Day Registration ends

Nov. 5, 2012

Absentee ballots due at County Board of Elections

Nov. 6, 2012

General Election

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145th Annual Session To Convene in Durham



The 145th Annual Session of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, Inc. will convene on October 29-31, 2012 in Durham, North Carolina. The Session will be held at the Sheraton Imperial Hotel and

Conference Center (4700 Emperor Boulevard, Durham). A familiar location for General Baptists, the Sheraton has been the site for the Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Banquet and the WBH&FMC One Day Session in January.

The selection of the Sheraton Imperial will allow for the attendees to be “under one roof” for the duration of the Annual Session. Hotel rooms, restaurants and meeting space are all contained in the complex.

The Annual Session will begin on Monday, October 29 at 12:30 p.m. The Session will close on Wednesday night, October 31, following the annual address of President Howard W. Parker, Jr.

The program for the Annual Session is being finalized and an outline will be available after October 5.

New Hope Association to Host Annual Session

Dr. Cornelius Battle (Moderator of New Hope Missionary Baptist Association and Pastor of Durham’s Ebenezer Baptist Church) will welcome our Baptist family to Durham for the 145th Annual Session. New Hope Association will serve as the host association for the upcoming An-

nual Session on October 29—31, 2012.

New Hope will be spotlighted during a “Welcome Program” on Monday night, October 29 at 7:00 p.m. During the week, members of New Hope will be available to help attendees enjoy all Durham has to offer.



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Sealed proposals will be received until 3:00 pm on Monday, October 8, 2012 in the main conference room of the General Baptist State Convention Headquarters located at 603 South Wilmington Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-2338, at which time and place bids will be opened and read for the construction of:

**The Brown Assembly and Dining Hall
21829 Bunch Road
Laurel Hill, NC 28351**

Complete plans and specifications for this project can be obtained from Large and Small Graphics, Inc. (LSG) at 532 South New Hope Road Raleigh, NC 27610 during the hours of 9:00 am to 5:00 pm beginning on Monday, September 17, 2012. Complete plans and specifications are available for purchase only at Large and Small Graphics, Inc. (LSG) and are available for review only at the General Baptist State Convention Headquarters at 603 South Wilmington Street, Raleigh, North Carolina 27601-2338



Annual Session Headquarters Hotel:
Sheraton Imperial Hotel

**and Conference Center
I-40 at Exit 282 (Page Road)
4700 Emperor Boulevard
Durham, NC 27703**

919-941-5050

**Ask for General Baptist State Convention Annual
Session Rate of \$92.00 per night**