

NCASA Day at the Legislature

Wednesday, March 11, 2009

(Note: Breakfast and Lunch Are on Your Own)

7:00-10:00 a.m.	Board R-Line Buses for Travel to Legislature <i>(Free buses run every 10 minutes)</i>	Salisbury Street near Convention Center
7:15-10:15 a.m.	Buses Unload on Wilmington Street <i>(Between Edenton & Jones Streets – closest stop to General Assembly's Jones Street main entrance)</i>	
8:30-10:30 a.m.	Conference Registration & Legislative Visit Info.	3 rd Floor, Leg. Bldg. Jones Street
8:30-10:30 a.m.	Legislative Visits on Your Own <i>(Find your legislators in their office or committee room & discuss need to protect your schools from potentially devastating state budget cuts!)</i>	All Floors of the Legislative Building & Legislative Office Bldg.
8:30-9:50 a.m.	Appropriations Subcommittee on Education <i>(Find your legislators & hear state budget debate)</i>	421 Leg. Office Bldg.
9:45-10:15 a.m.	Arrival & Seating in Legislative Auditorium for Legislative Perspectives on 2009 Issues	3 rd Floor, Leg. Bldg. Jones Street
10:15 a.m.	Legislative Perspectives on 2009 Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Call to Order/Introductions <i>Bill McNeal, NCASA Executive Director</i>▪ Major Issues Facing General Assembly <i>House Speaker Joe Hackney, D-Orange</i>▪ Recruiting & Retaining Principals <i>Rep. Tricia Cotham, D-Mecklenburg</i>▪ State Budget Outlook for Public Schools <i>Rep. Douglas Yongue, D-Scotland</i>▪ State Health Plan Funding & Changes <i>Sen. Tony Rand, D-Cumberland</i>	Legislative Auditorium
12:30 p.m.	Announcements & Adjournment <i>Bill McNeal, NCASA Executive Director</i>	Legislative Auditorium
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Board Buses for Travel to Convention Center	Wilmington Street
2:00-4:30 p.m.	NCASA Conference General Session	Ballroom C
4:30-5:30 p.m.	Reception in Conference Exhibition Area <i>(Door Prizes, Food & Cash Bar)</i>	Ballroom B