

VOTER GUIDE TO RE-ELECT YOUR STATE REPS

Sen. Valerie Foushee

District 23, Chatham & Orange Counties



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Investing in Quality Education

We must support public education: universal pre-K, affordable early college programs, and our flagship community college & university systems.

Promoting a Strong Economy

Many North Carolina families have not experienced the "Carolina Comeback." We must ensure our economy works for all North Carolinians.

Protecting the Environment

Our state is rich in natural & cultural resources. Our clean air and water regulations are being slashed. We must protect these resources for future generations.

Ensuring Equality

Our Constitution asserts the rights to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. Yet our reality falls short. We must promote fairness and equality for all North Carolinians.

Preserving Democracy

In these times we cannot take the fundamentals of our democracy for granted. We must speak up against efforts to manipulate government to serve the needs of politicians and not North Carolinians.

CAREER

As a lifelong resident of Orange and Chatham Counties, State Senator Valerie Foushee understands the hopes and needs of residents.

In the Senate, Valerie has advocated for bipartisan reform of education funding policy to ensure transparency and appropriate funding for all school districts.

Valerie began her tenure in the Senate following Senator Ellie Kinnaird's retirement from District 23, serving Orange and Chatham Counties.

Valerie first joined the legislature in 2012 as a House Representative for District 50 (rural Orange and Durham counties). Foushee built relationships, passing several local bills.

First African-American female elected to the Orange County Board of Commissioners, 2004–2010. Chair from 2008–2010.

Board of Education for the Chapel Hill– Carrboro City Schools, 1997–2003. Chair from 2001–2003.

Retired from the Chapel Hill Police Department after 21 years of service supervising two units and administering an \$11 million budget.

Graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Bachelor of Arts degrees in Political Science and African and Afro-American Studies.

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Rep. Robert Reives

District 54, Chatham & Durham Counties



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Education

Our public schools, community colleges and university system have been under attack. We need to raise teacher salaries to the national average, reduce class size, restore job protections and put resources into our classrooms.

Jobs and the Economy

Schools, community colleges, and universities must prepare students for the future and we need to work to attract high-tech manufacturing jobs that pay good wages to well-trained employees.

Environment

Wise stewardship of our renewable resources and minerals is essential to provide long-term benefits. Clean water and air is essential to attracting industry and protecting our tourist industry.

Women's Health

The legislature has been trying to turn back the clock on women's health and choice issues. I fight back hard for our daughters and granddaughters.

Voting Rights

Democracy is the foundation of our political system. Voting must be more accessible, not less. I'll fight to reverse the policies passed by the General Assembly that try to disenfranchise certain segments of our population.

CAREER

2016 - Elected Deputy Democratic Leader, making him the 2nd highest ranking Democrat in the NC House of Reps; Vice-Chair of the Education & Community Colleges and the Judiciary III Committees. Other legislative committee assignments include Agriculture, Finance, and Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

After winning his first full term in 2014, Robert was named co-chairman of the House Freshman Caucus and treasurer of the Legislative Black Caucus.

Partner, Wilson & Reives for almost two decades

Prosecutor, Lee County DA's Office

J.D. from UNC-Chapel Hill, School of Law

Awarded a Pogue Scholarship while studying at UNC-Chapel Hill for a B.S. in Business Administration/Finance

CONSTITUENTS SAY

"No one becomes a teacher to get rich, but it would be nice if our legislators had a little respect for our profession. Robert Reives respects teachers, and he fights to get us better pay, too."

Laine Lipson Retired teacher, Chatham Co. Schools

"North Carolina needs Robert Reives in Raleigh defending us from discriminatory right-wing policies. I'm with Robert because he stands up for equality."

Chris Sgro Dir. Communications, Human Rights Campaign

"As a small business owner, I'm glad to know Robert Reives is looking out for me in Raleigh. I, my family and my employees depend on his leadership."

Leslie Cox Former State Rep., NC

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