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SESSION GOALS

1. To provide updated information on NC's land resources, water quality and air quality.
2. To provide diverse viewpoints on the challenges and opportunities to protect and conserve our natural resources.
3. To increase class members' knowledge about the interconnectedness of environmental issues.
4. To help class members to understand the complex issues facing the state regarding environmental quality.
5. To explore options for dealing with environmental problems at the individual and community level.
6. To provide opportunities for class members to build their networks.

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AGENDA

Wednesday, April 11 (Optional Activities)

- 2 – 4 pm Optional Activity – Cool Springs Environmental Education Center
- 6 – 7:30 pm Welcoming Reception – Tryon Palace Historic Sites & Gardens
Sponsored by RSM McGladrey and Tryon Palace Historic Sites & Gardens

AGENDA

Thursday, April 12

Meeting Location: *Morning – East Carolina University Murphy Center – Harvey Banquet Room*
Afternoon – Field Trip
Meeting Space, Breaks and Lunch Sponsored by East Carolina University

7 am	Meet in hotel lobby (bus will leave promptly at 7:15 am)	
7:15 – 8:30 am	Travel to ECU	
8:30 – 8:50 am	Welcome and Session Overview	Bryan Mulqueen, <i>Session Chair</i>
8:50 – 9 am	ECU Welcome	Dr. Austin W. Bunch <i>Chief of Staff, East Carolina University</i> <i>Member, LNC Class VII</i>
9 – 10:15 am	State of the State: NC Environment	Dr. Richard N. L. (“Pete”) Andrews <i>Thomas Willis Lambeth Distinguished Professor of Public Policy</i> <i>Chair and Director of Graduate Studies, Department of Public Policy</i> <i>UNC Chapel Hill</i>
10:15 – 10:30 am	Break	
10:30 am – Noon	Air, Land and Water	Mike Campbell <i>Wildlife Education Specialist, Coastal Region</i> <i>North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission</i> Bill Holman <i>Visiting Scholar, Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions</i> <i>Duke University</i> Dr. Stanley R. “Stan” Riggs <i>Distinguished Research Professor, Department of Geologic Sciences</i> <i>East Carolina University</i> Robert W. “Bob” Slocum, Jr. <i>Executive Vice President</i> <i>North Carolina Forestry Association</i>
Noon – 1 pm	Lunch and Coastal Management Discussion	Stan Riggs
1 – 5 pm	Environmental Field Trip	Dorothea V. Ames <i>Research Associate, Department of Geologic Sciences</i> <i>East Carolina University</i> Stan Riggs
	Stop 1: PCS Phosphate Mine	Ross Smith, <i>Environmental Manager</i> & Jerry Waters, <i>Mine Manager</i> <i>Discussion: phosphate resource, mine operation, land restoration, environmental considerations</i>
	Stop 2: Neuse River Estuary	<i>Discussion: water quality, shoreline development, storms and estuarine shoreline erosion</i>
	Stop 3: Paleo-Suffolk Shoreline	<i>Discussion: pocosins, climate change, sea-level rise</i>
5 – 6:15 pm	Free Time	
6:15 – 9 pm	Class Dinner – Tryon Palace Historic Sites & Gardens with candlelight tour	<i>Sponsored by Howard Stallings From & Hutson PA, Johnson Controls Inc., Progress Energy, River Dunes, Skanska USA Building Inc. and Tryon Palace Historic Sites & Gardens</i>

AGENDA

Friday, April 13

Meeting Location: *New Bern Riverfront Convention Center – Berne Room, 2nd Floor*
Morning Break & A/V sponsored by New Bern / Craven County Convention & Visitors Center
Meeting Space sponsored by University of Phoenix – NC Campuses (Charlotte / Raleigh)

8 – 8:15 am	LNC Announcements	
8:15 – 9 am	Field Trip follow-up	Planning Team
9 – 10:30 am	Environmental Challenges	Kate Dixon <i>Director</i> <i>Land for Tomorrow</i> Tony Duque <i>Hydrogeologist, Brownfields Program - Division of Waste Management</i> <i>NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources</i> Steve Gourley <i>Project Manager and LEED® Accredited Professional</i> <i>Skanska USA Building Inc.</i> Dr. John E. Wear Jr. <i>Director of the Environmental Science and Studies Program</i> <i>Director of the Catawba College Center for the Environment</i> <i>Associate Professor of Biology and Environmental Science</i> <i>Catawba College</i>
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break	
10:45 am – Noon	Leadership Profile	Major General Robert C. Dickerson Jr. <i>Commanding General, Marine Corps Installations East</i> <i>Camp Lejeune</i>
Noon – 1:15 pm	Lunch; Group Discussions <i>Lunch sponsored by ARCADIS</i>	Kelley Dennings, <i>Facilitator</i> <i>Education and Outreach Project Manager</i> <i>Division of Pollution Prevention and Environmental Assistance</i> <i>NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources</i> Rachel E. Golden, <i>Facilitator</i> <i>Adult Environmental Education Program Manager, Office of Environmental Education</i> <i>NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources</i>
1:15 – 2 pm	Group Presentations	
2 – 2:45 pm	Solutions: What Can I Do?	Kelley Dennings Rachel Golden
2:45 – 3 pm	Break	
3 – 3:45 pm	Environmental Success Stories	Matthew D. “Matt” Ewadinger <i>Recycling Business Assistance Center (RBAC) Manager</i> <i>Division of Pollution Prevention and Environmental Assistance</i> <i>NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources</i> Gary Hunt <i>Division of Pollution Prevention and Environmental Assistance</i> <i>NC Department of Environment and Natural Resources</i>
3:45 – 4 pm	Learnings & Takeaways	
4 pm	Adjourn	