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Subject: Apology Demanded From BCGOP Chairman Nathan West For False and Misleading Statement.

[**Editors Note:** On Tue, Nov 1, 2016 at 8:21 AM, Lisa Baldwin wrote:

Dear BCGOP Chairman Nathan West,

I sent out this statement after our club was slandered yesterday at an Early Voting site by Christy Fryar and Amy Churchill. As BCGOP Chair, you have misled some members of the party by making false statements about our official BCRWC campaign material. It is unfortunate that a consequence of your actions may be damage to our Republican candidates. Please make an immediate apology and retraction. - Lisa Baldwin.]

APOLOGY DEMANDED FOR FALSE AND MISLEADING STATEMENTS

Dear Buncombe County GOP Precinct Chairs,

Last week, BCGOP Chairman Nathan West issued false and misleading statements to WLOS and the Asheville Citizen-Times.

The Buncombe County Republican Women's Club is demanding an apology and retraction.

Chairman West falsely led the public to believe that legal action could be taken against the Buncombe County Republican Women's Club (BCRWC) and that our actions were in violation of the N.C. Federation of Republican Women's club rules. This was malicious slander, recklessly published without investigation by the reporter and printed with the intention of misleading the public.

We are above reproach in handing out our official sample ballot. This is campaign material and was unanimously approved by our BCRWC members. Our campaign committee vetted and researched school board voting records and candidate' past history on education issues to make our decision on whom to support.

We are in compliance with our campaign policy and by-laws. We followed the National Federation of Republican Women's campaign policy to the letter.

Obviously, school board candidate Amy Churchill is upset because her name is not on our handout. The Republican Party has a platform of stated beliefs. If the candidates running for office don't espouse the adopted party principles then why would they expect said party to campaign on their behalf? Our sample ballot is correct; it's the candidates who treat our conservative principles as meaningless and still expect to receive endorsement who are out of line.

We are strong Republican women and we will continue handing out our official BCRWC conservative candidate sample ballots.

God Bless America!

Lisa Baldwin

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Conservative Candidate Sample Ballot

THIS DOCUMENT WAS NOT PRODUCED BY A BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND IS NOT AN OFFICIAL BALLOT. (2001-480, s. 3.)

* Please note that this is a composite of all districts in Buncombe County and not all names will appear on the ballot in your voting district. For a ballot for your district with all candidates go to https://vt.ncsbe.gov/voter_search_public/

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President and Vice President of the United States	NC Commissioner of Insurance	Board Of Commissioners District 3*	
Donald J. Trump and Michael R. Pence	Mike Causey	Robert Prestley (Unexpired term ending 2018)	
US Senate	NC Commissioner of Labor	Register of Deeds	
Richard Burr	Cherie Berry	Patricia (Pat) Cochran	
US House of Representatives District 10*	NC Secretary of State	NONPARTISAN OFFICES	
Patrick McHenry	Michael LaPaglia	NC Supreme Court Associate Justice	
US House of Representatives District 11*	NC Superintendent of Public Education	Robert H. "Bob" Edmunds	
Mark Meadows	Mark Johnson	NC Court of Appeals Judges (You may vote for ALL of the following)	
NC Governor	NC Treasurer	Phil Berger Jr.	
Pat McCrory	Dale R. Folwell	Hunter Murphy	
NC Lieutenant Governor	NC Senate District 48*	Bob Hunter	
Dan Forest	Chuck Edwards	Richard Dietz	
NC Attorney General	NC House District 115*	Valerie Zachary	
Back Newton	Frank Moretz	Board of Education Owen District	
NC Auditor	Board Of Commissioners Chair	Robert (Bob) Chilmonik	
Chuck Stuber	Chuck Archerd	Board of Education Roberson District	
NC Commissioner of Agriculture	Board Of Commissioners District 2*	Laura Bowen	
Steve Troxler	Mike Fryar	Soil & Water Conservation District Supervisor	
	Board Of Commissioners District 3*	Jeff Foster	
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