David Jackson ‘87 has served this Association for decades including serving 3 terms, totaling 7 years as an officer and director of the Association.

\*From 1 January 1998 - 31 December 2000, David was a Director and the Treasurer of the Association. During this period the Association experienced significant financial growth. During his tenure, David shepherded the transition of the Association to a North Carolina charitable and educational non-profit corporation recognized under IRS code section 501(c)3. Likewise, under his leadership, the Association established the capability to accept payments of dues and gifts via credit card.

\*During his 2nd and 3rd terms from 1 January 2016 through 31 Dec 2019, David served as a Director and enthusiastic participant on both the Budget & Financial Oversight Committee and the Member Communications Committee. He used his experience as a senior banking and financial services professional to guide the Association back to financial stability; likewise, he helped establish and manage the Association’s first Facebook account presence (currently with 123 followers) and the companion "UNC NROTC Alumni Connections" affiliated Facebook site (currently with 89 followers)

\*David has also “answered the call” with generous contributions to all of the Association's charitable activities including the Pat Connor Memorial Award Fund, the Dawson Library Fund and, most recently, the Scholarship Fund.

David's service to this Association spans 3 decades and has been exemplary. He is most worthy of recognition as recipient of the Distinguished Service Award for 2023.