

2022 ANNUAL CONVENTION

NEW BOARD ORIENTATION

- 8 - 8:30 a.m. **Registration and beverage break**Foyer
Co-sponsored by *McMillan Pazdan Smith*

- 8:30 - 9 a.m. **Welcome and About SCSBA**.....Ballrooms ABC
Scott T. Price, *SCSBA Executive Director*
Jamie Devine, *SCSBA President, Richland One School District*

- 9 - 10 a.m. **Understanding roles and responsibilities**.....Ballrooms ABC
 - Setting the vision
 - Establishing the structure and environment
 - Identifying accountability measures and monitoring progress
 - Being an advocate for schools and students
 - Fostering positive board/superintendent relationships
 - Adhering to a code of ethics
 ElizaBeth D. Branham, *Esquire, SCSBA Past President, NSBA President 2019-2020, Lexington School District Two*

- 10 - 10:15 a.m. **Beverage break**.....Ballrooms ABC
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- 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. **School Board Ethics**.....Ballrooms ABC
In this session, you will get an overview of the Ethics Reform Act with an emphasis on the rules of conduct for new school board members.
Scott Winburn, *White & Story, LLC*

- 11:15- 12:15 p.m. **School finance 101**Ballrooms ABC
Come hear a review of the revenue sources available to school districts with an emphasis on local and state funding. We will discuss property taxes, the Education Finance Act and other issues currently impacting the funding of education in South Carolina.
Mellanie Jinnette, *Chief Financial Officer, Chester County School District*

- 12:15 - 1:15 p.m. **Lunch (Included in registration)**.....Foyer
Co-sponsored by *White & Story, LLC*

- 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. **The South Carolina Freedom of Information Act: what you need to know**
.....Ballrooms ABC

Join us for a review of the basic requirements of South Carolina’s FOIA, focusing on school board obligations regarding board meetings and the disclosure of public records.

Kathryn L. Mahoney, Esquire, *Halligan Mahoney & Williams, P.A.*

Vernie L. Williams, Esquire, *Halligan Mahoney & Williams, P.A.*

2:30 - 2:45 p.m. **Beverage break**.....*Foyer*
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2:45 - 4 p.m. **“The Mock Meeting from Hades”***Ballrooms ABC*
This session will give attendees the opportunity to practice parliamentary perfection. Novice and intermediate level board members will have the chance to show what they know and strut their stuff on some easy and some challenging problems that are often encountered during organizational meetings. And happily, there are no real issues or test scores to endure if you make a mistake during “The Mock Meeting from Hades”.

Phil Ashley, *Board Member, Anderson School District Two*
Carolyn Bolden, *Board Chair, Jasper County School District Four*
Michele Branning, *SCSBA Secretary/Treasurer, York County School District Four*
Charles Govan, *SCSBA Board Member, Darlington County School District Six*
Lisa Wells, *SCSBA Board Member, Greenville County Schools*
Moderator: Helen McFadden, *Parliamentarian, Consultant*

4 - 4:15 p.m. **Workshop closing and door prizes**.....*Ballrooms ABC*
Jamie Devine, *SCSBA President, Richland One School District*