North Carolina Gubernatorial (Governor) Candidates

Election 2016-Mr. Groves' Class

Incumbent (Currently in Office) Candidate-Pat McCrory!

Pat McCrory-Current Governor of North Carolina

Republican

Served 2013-Present

Mayor of Charlotte: 1995-2009 (Seven Terms)

First Lady: Ann McCrory

Notable actions: Tax cuts, helped create 300,000 jobs, and pushed funds to improve highways in the state

Source: governor.nc.gov

Challenging Candidate-Roy Cooper!

Roy Cooper III-Current State Attorney General

Democrat

Served 2001-Present

Lawyer, North Carolina State House (1987-90), North Carolina State Senate (1991-2000), State Sen. Majority Leader

Wife: Kristin Cooper

Notable actions: Efforts to protect homeowners, decrease state crime rate, and bring down pollution statewide (sources: ncdoj.gov, citizen-times.com, wral.com)

Lt. Governor (Elected Separate from Governor)

Incumbent-Lt. Gov. Dan Forest (Republican)

2013-Present



Challenger-Linda Coleman (Democrat)

Former N.C. House

Member, Wake County

Commissioner



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