

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING MINUTES
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
NOVEMBER 18, 2018

The congregation of First Presbyterian Church of Greenville, North Carolina, held a called meeting at 10:45 AM on November 18, 2018, in the Sanctuary. The purpose of the meeting was to act on a report from the Nominating Committee to elect congregational representatives to the 2019 Nominating Committee and to elect members of a Pastor Nominating Committee.

Moderator Dave McNeilly called the meeting to order and declared a quorum present. Clerk of Session, Dick Marks, served as clerk for the meeting. Moderator McNeilly led the gathering in an opening prayer.

Tammy Worden, representing the 2018 Nominating Committee, made a motion on behalf of the committee that the following nominees be elected as congregational representatives to the 2019 Nominating Committee: Peggy Barnes, David Kemble, John Morrow Tammy Worden, and Jeri Jackson.

After there were no nominations from the floor, the motion passed unanimously, and these members were elected by acclamation.

Ms. Worden then made a motion on behalf of the committee that the following members be elected to serve as members of a Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC): Carol Cutler, Alsia Fraley, Karen Kay, Debra Mizelle, Derek Perry, Ray Spears, David Webb, Rob Ables, and Michael Scull. The Moderator reminded the congregation that we are obliged to have a PNC that is "representative of the congregation," and that the Nominating Committee had worked hard to ensure that their nominees fulfilled that requirement. He then opened the floor for further nominees and questions. Questions were asked about whether the PNC would solicit input from the congregation about desirable characteristics of a new pastor. The Moderator indicated that the PNC would use information from the Mission Study and from other input in their deliberations and the construction of a Ministry Information Form. After no further nominations were heard, the Moderator asked for a motion to elect the nominees as a slate and to direct the Clerk to enter a unanimous vote into the minutes. The motion was made and passed.

With no further business, the Moderator asked for a motion to adjourn. The motion was made and passed, and he adjourned the meeting with prayer.

Dave McNeilly, Moderator

Richard Marks, Clerk of Session