

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

The Mission of the Housing Authority of the City of Goldsboro is to provide exceptional housing opportunities to our community while helping them obtain the trade and recourses needed to hailed a better future for themselves and their families.

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Housing Authority of the City of Goldsboro Announces Leadership Transition

Goldsboro, NC — During its regularly scheduled Board meeting on August 21, 2025, the Board of Commissioners of the Housing Authority of the City of Goldsboro voted to terminate the contract of Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Anthony Goodson Jr.

While the Board acknowledges and appreciates Mr. Goodson's years of service and contributions to the Housing Authority, a majority of the Commissioners determined that it was time for a change in leadership direction.

To ensure stability during this transition, the Board has invited Chief Operating Officer, Mrs. Sharita Oates, to consider serving as Interim Chief Executive Officer. She has accepted that position this morning and will continue to lead the day-to-day operations until next steps are communicated.

The Board is committed to fully complying with the terms of Mr. Goodson's contract and is working cooperatively with him. Throughout this process, the Board has been and will continue to be guided by its legal counsel, Mr. Phil Baddour, to ensure proper procedure and compliance.

"The Board of Commissioners remains dedicated to the residents of Goldsboro and to the Housing Authority's mission of providing safe and affordable housing opportunities for our community," said Sherry Archibald Commissioner Chair. "We are focused on a smooth transition in leadership and on continuing the important work of serving families who rely on us."

The Housing Authority will provide further updates as developments progress.

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