

# CORE TRAINING DRAFT AGENDA – ASHEVILLE 2025

## January 29

- 9:00-9:30 a.m.      **Welcome and NCSBA Overview**  
*Leanne Winner, NCSBA Executive Director*
- 9:30-10:30 a.m.      **What I Wish I Knew – A Conversation with Veteran Board Members**
- 10:30-10:45 a.m.      Break
- 10:45-11:45 a.m.      **Show Me the Money**  
*Leanne Winner, NCSBA Executive Director*
- 11:45-12:30 p.m.      Lunch
- 12:30-1:30 p.m.      **Open Meetings, Public Records, and the Board’s Role in Policy**  
*Kendra Hill, NCSBA Legal Counsel/Director of Policy*
- 1:30-2:30 p.m.      **Your Role as a Legislative Advocate for Public Education**  
*Bruce Mildwurf, NCSBA Director of Governmental Relations*
- 2:45-3:45 p.m.      **Common Liability Issues for School Districts**  
*Donna Lynch, NCSBA Litigation Counsel*
- 3:45-5 p.m.      **Board/Superintendent Roles and Responsibilities**  
*Ramona Powers, NCSBA Director of Board Development*

## January 30

- 9-10 a.m.      **The Pitfalls of Social Media for Board Members**  
*Justice Warren, NCSBA Assistant Legal Counsel*
- 10-10:45 a.m.      **Ethics and Conflicts of Interest for School Board Members**  
*Kendra Hill, NCSBA Legal Counsel/Director of Policy*
- 10:45-11 a.m.      Break
- 11-12 p.m.      **Ethics and Conflicts of Interest for School Board Members continues**  
*Kendra Hill, NCSBA Legal Counsel/Director of Policy*
- 12 p.m.      **Session Ends**