DOWN HOME
NORTH CAROLINA

Levon Barnes
House District 64

BIOGRAPHY/ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Levon Barnes 	**Bio:** LeVon Barnes is a proud husband, father, teacher, and coach who has dedicated his life to serving and uplifting others. Inspired by the values of hard work, faith, and service his parents instilled, LeVon has built a career in education focused on mentoring young people and creating opportunities for the next generation. His lifelong commitment to giving back reflects his belief that strong communities are built when people invest in one another. **Why he's running:** LeVon is running because he believes every family deserves the opportunity to succeed and every voice deserves to be heard. Guided by a lifetime of service and shaped by the support his community gave him, he wants to ensure Alamance County has strong schools, thriving communities, and leaders who put people first.

PLATFORM:	• **Government Accountability:**
	  ○ Will always fight to keep an always-open email inbox for every constituent.
	  ○ Dedicated to ending gerrymandering through an independent redistricting commission.
	  ○ Emphasizes the importance of requiring online posting of committee votes within 24 hours.
	  ○ Will fight to protect whistleblowers who expose corruption.
	• **Healthcare:**
	  ○ Protect abortion access and reproductive healthcare in state law.
	  ○ Safeguard IVF and maternal care from political interference.
	  ○ Expand family-planning and rural maternal-health services
	• **Community Investment**
	  ○ Secure disaster-recovery funds to rebuild roads and homes.

	○ Modernize stormwater systems to prevent flooding. ○ Invest in clean-energy and green jobs here at home. ○ Expand rural broadband access for families and farms. ○ ● **Public Education:** ○ Will fight to fully fund public schools and raise teacher pay. ○ Dedicated to stopping voucher schemes that drain public dollars from local schools. ○ Expand career and technical education options. ○ Fund after-school and nutrition programs for every child. ○ ● **Affordability** ○ Dedicated to capping runaway utility rate hikes and holding Duke Energy accountable. ○ Focused on expanding state food support during federal shutdowns and emergencies. ○ Will fight to create a Carolina Family Affordability Credit for working families. ○ Investment in small-business growth and fair wages.