DOWN HOME NORTH CAROLINA

Lorenza Wilkins
North Carolina House District 25

BIOGRAPHY/ACCOMPLISHMENTS:



Bio:
Dr. Lorenza Wilkins is an inclusive servant leader and longtime North Carolina community advocate with experience across the private, public, and nonprofit sectors. His career has focused on education, small businesses, workforce development, and mental health. He has served in leadership roles with organizations including Rebound, Alternatives for Youth, Made in Durham, Triangle Literacy Council, and CSX. A longtime Nash County resident, Dr. Wilkins lives in the community with his wife and four children.

Why he's running:
Dr. Wilkins is running to bring his experience in education, workforce development, and community service into public leadership. He believes strong communities require investment in people, small businesses, and opportunities for families to thrive. His approach is rooted in inclusive, servant leadership and making sure residents have a voice in the decisions that affect their communities.

Education:	• Will fight to fully fund public schools, support and retain teachers, address overcrowded classrooms and aging facilities, and ensure every North Carolina child has access to the quality education guaranteed by the state constitution.
Small Business:	• Will advocate for investments and incentives that help locally owned businesses grow, recover, and create good jobs. He believes thriving small businesses strengthen communities and keep economic opportunity local.
Mental Health:	• Will work to address North Carolina's mental health crisis by investing in resources that tackle root causes, expand access to support, and help people recover and successfully reenter their communities.