

**Committee to Elect Scott Lassiter**

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Dear Voter:

I believe elections represent one long job interview. I hope you will compare my education, experience, and dedication to other candidates and choose to cast your vote to “hire” me to serve you in the North Carolina House of Representatives. I encourage you to visit the “About Scott” page on my website to learn more about my background and the “Platform” page to learn more about issues.

True to my belief that I’m asking you to hire me for this very important job, I want to acknowledge that I have an imperfect past. Over a decade ago, months after college graduation and during a very personally trying time, I made the dangerous mistake of operating a motor vehicle after having consumed alcohol. I was stopped and charged with driving while impaired. I pled no contest, was convicted, and completed all requirements of my sentence. I did not live up to my own, my family’s, nor my community’s standards.

However, since then I have been elected to serve my hometown of Apex as a councilman, married my incredible wife Jamie, attained an advanced degree, been promoted to assistant principal in our school district, returned to college for my doctorate, and been elected by the citizens of Wake County as a soil and water conservation district supervisor. I have lived every day since that evening, the worst of my life, in a manner to assist others and support positive decision making by youth and adults alike. I know that decisions matter and consequences exist for poor ones. In my professional role as an administrator at an alternative school, I work to instill that lesson in my students. I also remind them that their past doesn’t have to define them. Finally, I offer them a second chance to prove themselves - much like I have been given.

With gratitude and sincerity, I remain,

**Scott R. Lassiter**

Supervisor - Wake Soil & Water Conservation District

Candidate - North Carolina House District 21