



**IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Chapter  
Eastern North Carolina Section – R30171, GRS29  
Minutes for November 29, 2016**



Present Chair: Dr. Linda Hayden  
In attendance:

Dr. Linda Hayden	Jefferson Ridgeway	Nathaniel Richardson
Dr. Darnell Johnson	Tatyana Matthews	Thomas Johnson III
Kevin Benton	Joselyn Hathaway	Reginald Kelley
Andrew Brumfield	Kevin Benton	Disaiah Bennett
Derek Morris	Tori S. Wilbon	Heaven Tate
Jeff Wood	Hagen Hodgkins	Austin Ivins
Dana Chandler	Dana Chandler	Antonio Guion
Jessica Hathaway	Tangee Beverly	Joel Gonzales-Santiago
Nigel Pugh	Jonathan Branch	Anissa Norman

1. Dr. Linda Hayden, Chapter President, opened the meeting with an Introduction to IEEE Geosciences and Remote Sensing Chapter of Easter North Carolina section.
2. Mr. Brumfield read the minutes from July 7, 2016. The minutes are approved with corrections.
3. Dr. Linda Hayden gave a overview of the AARSE Symposium On October 24, 2016, Dr. Linda B. Hayden, Chair of the GRSS Underrepresented Committee and Dr. Alejandra Frery, GRSS Letters Editor traveled to Kampala, Uganda, for the International Conference of the African Association of Remote Sensing of the Environment (AARSE) held at the Hotel Africana and Convention Center. The conference theme, "Our Earth, Our Heritage: Harnessing Geospatial Technologies for Sustainable Development in Africa," recognized not only the past efforts related to resource management challenges but also the current challenges in the global discourse. GRSS was a co-sponsor of the 2016 AARSE Conference.
4. Dr. Linda Hayden introduced the guest speaker, Justin Waddell of the Federal Administration of Aviation. He presented his talk on "A View of The FAA Small Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) Rule and the related FAA Order JO 7200.23 on Operation/Coordination of USA in the National Airspace System (NAS)". Mr. Waddell is and ECSU Graduate.
5. Mr. Brumfield made a motion to close which was seconded by Nigel Pugh

Respectfully submitted,  
Jeff Wood, Chapter Secretary