

## NEWS RELEASE



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### **MAHONE ELECTED TO NORTH CAROLINA HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**ROANOKE RAPIDS, NC (August 8, 2012)**—Halifax Regional Medical Center President, Will Mahone, was recently elected to serve on the Board of Trustees for the North Carolina Hospital Association (NCHA). Mahone will serve in his role as trustee for a term of three years effective January 1, 2013.

“We are delighted to have Will joining our board,” said Bill Pully, NCHA president. “Will brings not only the perspective of a veteran administrator in a mid-sized non-urban hospital to his board duties but also experiences with hospital associations in other states where he had worked prior to coming to North Carolina. He will be a great asset to our board.”

Elected during this year’s summer meeting, Mahone will be an active and effective member of the NCHA Board of Trustees which serves as the policy-making body of the 130-member hospital group.

“I am honored to continue serving NCHA in my new role as a trustee,” said Will Mahone, president, Halifax Regional Medical Center. “My goal is to utilize my knowledge and perspective to help NCHA create policies that positively impact rural hospitals such as Halifax Regional.”

In recent years, Mahone has been very active with NCHA activities. He is currently completing a three-year term on the association’s Policy Development Committee. This committee serves as the investigative body of the association, researching and carefully discussing serious issues affecting hospitals and making recommendations for policy to the board of trustees.

Halifax Regional Medical Center congratulates Will Mahone on his election to NCHA’s Board of Trustees. This acknowledgement to serve further demonstrates his commitment to making a difference in the field of health care and to the Roanoke Valley.

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#### **About North Carolina Hospital Association**

*NCHA promotes improved delivery of quality healthcare in North Carolina through leadership, advocacy, information, and education in its members' interest and for public benefit.*

#### **About Halifax Regional**

*Halifax Regional Medical Center is licensed for 204 beds, including psychiatric and nursery. A non-profit organization, Halifax Regional is fully accredited by the Joint Commission. For more information, visit [www.halifaxregional.org](http://www.halifaxregional.org).*