

From: Bruce Hartford SCLC staff-Hale County, Ala.

List of people on COAPO Committees in Hale County Ala.

INTERVIEW COMMITTEE

\*Note-The interview committee arranged a mass meeting of people from all over the county to come and hear the candidates interviewed. They invited all the candidates to attend, and all the candidates said that they would come. On the night of the meeting there were over 300 people packed into the church, however no candidates showed up.

Mrs. Lewis Black (chairman) 20 Washington St. Greensboro 624-7118  
 Mrs. Lizzy Bradley Gen. Del. Akron 372-3995  
 Thresea Burroughs 510 Depot St. Greensboro 624-6241  
 Anderson Gooden Baptist Hill, Greensboro  
 Eugene Lyles P.O.Box 29 Greensboro

Mrs. Lewis Black and Mrs Bradley are Hale County's representatives on the State-wide committees the Congressional committee (inactive because the incumbent is running unopposed), the state senatorial and representational committees.

POLITICAL GUIDANCE COMMITTEE

\*Note-This committee met on April 20th and endorsed candidates on the county level and on the representatives level. See attached list of endorsed candidates. The members of this committee were drawn to represent the different beat organizations in the county. (these are the only active organizations in Hale county)

Mr. T.B.Hicks (beat 5) P.O.Box 205 Newbern (chairman)  
 Warren Avery P.O.Box 183 Akron (beat 2)  
 Carrie Harrell P.O.Box 112 Akron 372-3995 (beat 2)  
 Bettie Miller P.O.Box 164 Akron 372-4105 (beat 2)  
 Dorethy Ash #1 Jackson St. Greensboro (beat 4) 624-4313  
 Adelaide Edwards 2412 Walker St. 624-7705 (Beat 4)  
 Dorethy Mae Bryant 43 Washington St. Greensboro (beat 4)  
 Ron Kaufman Box 122 Akron (Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee)  
 Birley Foster Gen Del Havana (beat 1)  
 I.W.Harper Gen Del. Havana (beat 1)  
 Rev. Lee A. Lee Gen Del Havana (beat 1)  
 Alice Hargress Rt. 3 Box 37 D Greensboro (beat 7)  
 C. A. Shaw rt2 box 243 Greensboro 624-7716 (beat 7)  
 Elizibeth Micken (beat 7)  
 Lula Bell Williams P.O.Box 60 Stewart. (beat 16)  
 Natalie Collins Rt1 Box 68 Akron (beat 16)  
 Clifton Bates rt2 Box 200 Moundville (beat 12)  
 Annie Mae Bates 1206 Ward St. Greensboro (beat 4)

Dorothy Mae Bryant and Annie Mae Bates are on the state-wide, congressional, senatorial, etc. committees.

PATRONAGE COMMITTEE

MR Eddy Long Jr. 501 Depot St. Greensboro (chairman) 624-7638  
 Rev. Lee A Lee Gen. Del. Havana  
 Rev. Lyles ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Gen Del. Casemore community rt 2 greensboro.  
 Joe Lee Hamilton 1109 3rd st. Greensboro.  
 Patton Gen Dell. Bay Springs.

\*\*CANDIDATES ENDORSED BY POLITICAL GUIDANCE COMMITTEE \*\*

Member House of Rep. 23rd Dist.-Walter Owens  
 Sheriff - Henry McCaskill (Negro Candidate)  
 Tax Assesor-Carl M. Wilson (a committee was formed to find a Negro to run as an independant for this office)

Board of Revenue Dist. 4 - O.L. Clements

County Dem. Exec. Comm. - Homer E. Williams Sr. (he is the only racial moderate running)

\*Note - all other county offices are running unopposed. There will be an independant Negro running for tax collector.

[COAPO = Confederation of Alabama Political Organizations]

4-22-66

BUDGET - HALE COUNTY GET OUT THE VOTE DRIVE

1-	Transportation	\$175.00
2-	Phone	\$25.00
3-	Office Supplies	\$35.00
4-	Postage	<u>\$15.00</u>
	Total	\$250.00

\*Note-We still desperatly need a car for this County. We have been here for three weeks now and we still have no transportation.

Thank You

*Bruce Hartford*  
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(SCLC)

LIST OF BEATS AND BEAT CAPTAINS AND/OR ELECTION COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN  
HALE COUNTY ALABAMA For May 3rd. Primary 1966. - Bruce Hartford SCLC  
The Number in ( ) is the number of registered Negroes in the beat, approximately  
Beat 1 (100) Rev. Lee A. Lee Gen. Del. Havana -beat captain  
Birley Foster Gen Del. Havana -chairman election committee

Beat 2 (375) Mrs. Lizzy Bradley Gen. Del. Akron-Beat leader  
Mrs. Rosemary Cheezeburrough Gen. Del. Akron-beat leader

Beat 3 (<sup>60</sup>~~270~~)

Beat 4 (1300) Mr. Lewis Black 20 Washington St. Greensboro -president  
Rev. McCasskill 39 North St. Greensboro-Election Chairman  
Eddy Long Jr. 301 Depot St. Greensboro-Canvassing Chairman  
E.H.Holifield Rt. 3 box 124 Greensboro-transportation chairman  
Thresa Burroughs 510 Depot St. Greensboro-polling places chairman  
Mrs. Annie Collins 116 Centerville Circle-phone committee  
Beat 5(280) Arthur Kelly P.O.Box 246 Newbern  
Mrs. Ella L McKinnew P.O.Box 176 Newbern  
T.B.Hicks Box 205 Newbern

Beat 6 (600) Sidney Lyles Gen. Del. Sawyerville -beat leader  
Colonel Hymon Gen Del. Sawyerville

Beat 7 (240) Henry Mickens Rt. 2 Box 242A Greensboro-Transportation Chairman  
C.A. Shaw Rt. Box 243 Greensboro-canvass chairman  
Mrs. Sarah Cabbil rt. box 243 Greensboro-polling place

Beat 8 (180)

Beat 9 (280) Arthur Joe Rt. 1 Box 74 Newbern -transportation

Beat 10 (100) Mrs. Cecial Avery Rt.1 Box 157 Greensboro  
Flora Constant Rt. 1 Box 166 Greensboro

Beat 11 (30) Mr. Hudson Poole Rt 1 Box 132B Greensboro  
Mrs. Emma Rynew Rt. 1 Box 133A Greensboro

Beat 12 (200) Jesse Walter Rt. 2 Box 48-Transportation Chairman  
Frank Miller Gen Del. Moundville-Canvass Chairman

Beat 13 (there are no Negroes living in this beat)  
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Beat 14 (there are No Negroes living in this beat)

Beat 16 (100)\*Note\* there is no beat 15 and there is no beat 17  
Mrs. Johnnie Mae Jackson Gen Del Stewart  
Mrs. Natalie Collins Gen. Del Stewart

Beat 18 (there are no Negroes in this beat)

\*Note\* When the official list of registered voters was published in the newspaper it was broken down as to race, this made it easy to get a comparison of Negro and White voting strength. The official list listed 4,478 White voters and 3,950 Negroes. It should be noted however that the U.S. census (1960) gives the white voting age population as approx. 3,600. Still, even if you removed that 800 or so persons listed who are dead we would then have a ma jority of only 350 votes.

# LIST OF POLL WORKERS AND WATCHERS

## BEAT 1 Watcher Worker

Irean Harper  
Mrs. Birley Foster

Gen. Del. Havana  
Gen. Del. Havana

## BEAT 2 ~~Watchers Box 1~~ Watcher box 2 worker Worker " " "

Carrie Harrell  
Larcenia Holly  
Lissy Bradley  
Lille Mae Coleman  
Pinky Green  
Bettie Miller  
Carrie Wilson

P.O.Box 112 Akron  
Gen. Del. Akron  
G.D. Akron  
P.O.Box 184 Akron  
P.O.Box 164 Akron  
G.D. Akron

## BEAT 3 Watcher Worker

Emma Rhynes  
Alfoncio Levert

Rt. 1 Box 133A Greensboro  
Rt. 1 Box 67 Akron

## BEAT 4 Watcher Box 1 Watcher Box 2 Watcher box 3 Watcher box 4 Watcher box 5 Watcher Box 6 Workers-

Thresa Burroughs  
Mildred Black  
Dorothy Mae Bryant  
Maggie Richardson  
Juanita Nabors  
Katie Jeffries  
Virginia Fields  
Ginger Duminican  
Cora Wilson  
Willie Kate Jackson  
Gloria Parker-  
Margret Black  
Monica Black  
Marie Black

510 Depot St. Greensboro  
20 Washington St. Greensboro  
43 Washington St. "  
1406 Centerville St. "  
Rt. 3 Box 4 F Greensboro.  
39 Knights St. "  
5 Jackson St.  
1110 Wall St.  
1110 Wall St.  
17 Baptist Hill  
20 Washington St.  
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## BEAT 5 Watcher Workers

Rev. Albert Berry Jr.  
Chas Pickens

G. D. Newbern  
Rt. 3 Box 67 Greensboro

## BEAT 6 Watcher Box 1 Watcher Box 2 Workers Workers

Australia Chavers  
Vera Chavers  
Dorothy Tinker  
Mattie Jackson

Rt. 1 Box 181 Sawyerville  
Rt. 1 Box 204 "  
Rt. 1 Box 100 "  
G.D. Sawyerville

## BEAT 7 Watcher Worker

Sarah Cabbil  
Leatha Williams

Rt. 2 Box 243 Greensboro  
Rt. 2 Greensboro

## BEAT 8 ~~Watchers Box 1~~ Watcher Workers

Alice Hargress  
Rev. Lyles  
Mrs. Lyles

Rt. 3 Box 37D Greensboro  
Rt. 3 Box 33A Greensboro  
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## BEAT 9 Watcher- Worker

Queenie Joe  
Violet Lee Parker-

Rt. 1 Box 74 Newbern  
Rt. 1 Box 79 Newbern

## BEAT 10 Watcher Worker

Susy Chambers  
Flora Constant

Rt. 2 Box 130 Mouniville  
Rt. 1 Box 166 Greensboro

POLL WATCHERS AND WORKERS

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BEAT 11

Watcher  
Worker  
Workers

Albert Webster  
Carlton Roberts

Rt. 3 Box 78 Greensboro  
26 Baptist Hill Greensbro

BEAT 12

Watcher box 1  
Watcher Box 2  
Watcher Box 3  
Watcher (alternate)  
Workers

Johnny Harris  
Archie Lee James  
Ruthie Rutley  
Joyce Tusson  
Shirley Sylvers  
Bettie Rutley  
Ethel Rutley

P.O.Box 291 Moundville  
Rt. 2 Box 254 Moundville  
Rt. 2 Box 146 Moundville  
P.O.Box 147 Cypress  
P.O.Box ~~254~~ Moundville Cypress  
~~254 Moundville Cypress~~  
Rt. 2 Box 146 Moundville

BEAT 16

Watcher  
Worker

Natalie Collins  
Johnnie Mary Jackson

G.D.Stewart  
G.D.Stewart.