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UPCOMING EVENTS:

Legal Eagle Golf Tournament

October 25, 2013

Verdict Ridge Golf and Country Club

\$85 per player

\$540 for team sponsorship

Register at www.meckbar.org

Evening at the Courthouse

April 24, 2014

Mecklenburg County Courthouse

More information coming soon!

CHANGES TO THE JI BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

JI proudly announces the addition of [Nicole Sodoma](#), of Sodoma Law, and Dean [Daniel Piar](#), of Charlotte School of Law, to its Board of Directors. Sodoma and Piar joined the board this summer and have already made significant contributions to improving the administration of justice in the 26th Judicial District. We look forward to the continuing benefits offered thru their extensive education and vast experience.

Welcome aboard Nicole and Dan!

JI is saddened to announce that Dennis Stone, former President of Charlotte School of Law, has resigned from our board as he transfers to Florida Coastal School of Law to serve as their president. We wish Dennis the best of luck at his new school.

JI ANNOUNCES NEW LEADERSHIP:

After serving as the Chairman of the Board of Justice Initiatives for nine years, the Honorable Chase Saunders (Ret) has resigned his position. Saunders has provided visionary and inspiring leadership since the inception of the organization in 2004.

“We are deeply indebted to Judge Saunders for his work to build this organization,” said Tom Myrick, the incoming Chairman of the Board. “Under his leadership, we have made significant strides in our efforts to educate, advocate, support and advance the needs of the court system in Charlotte, NC. I am honored by the opportunity to serve as the new Chair. I recognize that I have big shoes to fill, but accept the challenge with much enthusiasm.”

Myrick, a partner within Moore & Van Allen’s Charlotte Litigation group, has been an active board member with Justice Initiatives since 2007. He most recently served as Treasurer for the organization. Saunders will continue to serve as a member of Justice Initiatives.

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