



NASS  
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# NASS CONFERENCES, OFFICERS AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES

## 1st CONFERENCE\*

*October 21-22, 1915, at Cincinnati, Ohio*

President	Stuart F. Reed, West Virginia
Vice President	Charles D. Burns, Connecticut
Secretary-Treasurer	Charles Q. Hildebrant, Ohio

## 2nd CONFERENCE\*

*October 19, 1917, at Topeka, Kansas*

President	Stuart F. Reed, West Virginia
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## 3rd CONFERENCE\*

*September 22-24, 1919, at Washington, D. C.*

President	Albert P. Langtry, Massachusetts
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## 4th CONFERENCE\*

*November 21-23, 1920, at Chicago, Illinois*

President	Albert P. Langtry, Massachusetts
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## 5th CONFERENCE\*

*August 2-4, 1921, at Helena, Montana*

President	Louis L. Emmerson, Illinois
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## 6th CONFERENCE

*November 17-18, 1922, at Frankfort, Kentucky*

President	Louis L. Emmerson, Illinois
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## 7th CONFERENCE

*September 13-15, 1923, at Asheville, North Carolina*

President	Louis L. Emmerson, Illinois
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## 8th CONFERENCE

*July 9-12, 1924, at Salt Lake City, Utah*

President	Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts
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\*Changed from Association of American Secretaries of State to National Association of Secretaries of State in 1921.

**9th CONFERENCE**

*December 9-11, 1925, at Miami, Florida*

President Mike Holm, Minnesota

**10th CONFERENCE**

*September 15-17, 1926, at Providence, Rhode Island*

President Mike Holm, Minnesota

**11th CONFERENCE**

*September 6-8, 1927, at Sacramento, California*

President J. Grant Hinkle, Washington

**12th CONFERENCE**

*September 18-21, 1928, at Rapid City, South Dakota*

President Fred E. Lukens, Idaho

**13th CONFERENCE**

*September 30-October 3, 1929, at Boston, Massachusetts*

President Fred E. Lukens, Idaho

**14th CONFERENCE**

*November 18-21, 1930, at Memphis, Tennessee*

President W. P. Blackwell, South Carolina

**15th CONFERENCE**

*August 18-23, 1931, at Salt Lake City, Utah; Zion, Grand Canyon, Bryce Canyon, National Parks and Cedar Breaks*

President	Ernest L. Sprague, Rhode Island
Vice President	Ernest N. Haston, Tennessee
Secretary	Robert Byrne, North Dakota
Treasurer	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
Executive Committee	Wm. J. Stratton, Illinois
	W. P. Blackwell, South Carolina
	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin

**16th CONFERENCE**

*June 28-30, 1933, at Chicago, Illinois*

President Ernest N. Haston, Tennessee

### 17th CONFERENCE

*April 3-5, 1934, at St. Petersburg, Florida*

President	Robert Byrne, North Dakota
Vice President	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
Treasurer	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin
Secretary	Robert A. Gray, Florida

### 18th CONFERENCE

*July 29-August 1, 1935, at St. Paul, Minnesota*

President	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
Vice President	Robert A. Gray, Florida
Treasurer	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin
Secretary	Grace A. Reavy, New York
Executive Committee	Mike Holm, Minnesota Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Ernest N. Haston, Tennessee Frank C. Jordan, California

### 19th CONFERENCE

*July 13-16, 1936, at Albany and New York, New York*

President	Robert A. Gray, Florida
Vice President	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin
Treasurer	Dwight H. Brown, Missouri
Secretary	Grace A. Reavy, New York
Recording Secretary	Frances Ryan, Kansas
Executive Committee	Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota John B. Wilson, Georgia

### 20th CONFERENCE

*September 22-23, 1937, at San Antonio, Texas*

President	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin
Vice President	Dwight H. Brown, Missouri
Treasurer	Grace A. Reavy, New York
Secretary	John B. Wilson, Georgia
Recording Secretary	Frances Ryan, Kansas
Executive Committee	Robert A. Gray, Florida Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota

## 21st CONFERENCE

*June 21-25, 1938, at Louisville, Kentucky*

President	Dwight H. Brown, Missouri
Vice President	C. John Satti, Connecticut
Treasurer	John B. Wilson, Georgia
Corresponding Secretary	Charles D. Arnett, Kentucky
Recording Secretary	Goldie Wells, South Dakota
Executive Committee	Theodore Dammann, Wisconsin Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm Minnesota Lester C. Hunt, Wyoming E. Ray Jones, Maryland

## 22nd CONFERENCE

*August 16-19, 1939, at Dixville Notch, New Hampshire*

Acting President	John B Wilson, Georgia
Treasurer	Charles D. Arnett, Kentucky
Corresponding Secretary	E. E. Monson, Utah
Recording Secretary	Thad Eure, North Carolina
Executive Committee	Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Dwight H. Brown, Missouri Edward H. Hughes, Illinois

## 23rd CONFERENCE

*June 12-15, 1940, at Savannah and Sea Island, Georgia*

President	John B. Wilson, Georgia
Vice President	E. E. Monson, Utah
Recording Secretary	Thad Eure, North Carolina
Corresponding Secretary	Edward J. Hughes, Illinois
Treasurer	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
Executive Committee	Mike Holm, Minnesota Sara B. Crawford, Connecticut Jessie M. Gonzales, New Mexico Earl W. Snell, Oregon James M. Tucker, Indiana



## 24th CONFERENCE

*August 27-30, 1941, at Los Angeles, California*

President	E. E. Monson, Utah
Vice President	Thad Eure, North Carolina
Recording Secretary	Edward J. Hughes, Illinois
Corresponding Secretary	Sophia M. R. O'Hara, Pennsylvania
Treasurer	Earl W. Snell, Oregon
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Dwight H. Brown, Missouri John B. Wilson, Georgia Mike Holm, Minnesota Jessie M. Gonzales, New Mexico

## 25th CONFERENCE

*July 15-17, 1942, at Baltimore, Maryland*

President	Thad Eure, North Carolina
Vice President	Edward J. Hughes, Illinois
Recording Secretary	Sophia M. R. O'Hara, Pennsylvania
Corresponding Secretary	Earl W. Snell, Oregon
Treasurer	James M. Tucker, Indiana
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Dwight H. Brown, Missouri John B. Wilson, Georgia E. E. Monson, Utah Mike Holm, Minnesota Jessie M. Gonzales, New Mexico

## 26th CONFERENCE

*October 18-20, 1943, at St. Louis, Missouri*

President	Edward J. Hughes, Illinois
Vice President	Sophia M. R. O'Hara, Pennsylvania
Recording Secretary	John E. Sweeney, Ohio
Corresponding Secretary	Jessie M. Gonzales, New Mexico
Treasurer	Walker Wood, Mississippi
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Dwight H. Brown, Missouri John B. Wilson, Georgia E. E. Monson, Utah Thad Eure, North Carolina Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota

## 27th CONFERENCE

*August 21-23, 1944, at Cincinnati, Ohio*

President	Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts
Vice President	Mike Holm, Minnesota
Recording Secretary	Walker Wood, Mississippi
Corresponding Secretary	Thomas Elmo Jones, Maryland
Treasurer	Robert S. Farrell Jr., Oregon
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	Robert A. Gray, Florida
	E. E. Monson, Utah
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Edward J. Hughes, Illinois

## 28th CONFERENCE

*October 11-13, 1945, at New Orleans, Louisiana*

President	Mike Holm, Minnesota
Vice President	Walker Wood, Mississippi
Recording Secretary	Robert S. Farrell Jr., Oregon
Honorary Recording Secretary	LTC Thomas Elmo Jones, Maryland
Corresponding Secretary	Rawson C. Myrick, Vermont
Treasurer	Sidney Latham, Texas
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	Robert A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	E. E. Monson, Utah
	Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts





### 29th CONFERENCE

*September 19-21, 1946, at Los Angeles, California*

President	Walker Wood, Mississippi
Vice President	Robert S. Farrell Jr., Oregon
Corresponding Secretary	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
Recording Secretary	Rawson C. Myrick, Vermont
Treasurer	Frank M. Jordan, California
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Mike Holm, Minnesota Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts

### 30th CONFERENCE

*September 24-26, 1947, at Biloxi, Mississippi*

President	Robert S. Farrell Jr., Oregon
Vice President	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
Secretary	Rawson C. Myrick, Vermont
Recording Secretary	Frank M. Jordan, California
Treasurer	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota Walker Wood, Mississippi W. P. Blackwell, South Carolina

### 31st CONFERENCE

*October 4-6, 1948, at Charleston, South Carolina*

President	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
Vice President	Frank M. Jordan, California
Treasurer	Armond H. Cote, Rhode Island
Secretary	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Recording Secretary	Wm. J. Storey, Delaware
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Frederic W. Cook, Massachusetts Mike Holm, Minnesota William P. Blackwell, South Carolina

### 32nd CONFERENCE

*September 12-16, 1949, at New Castle, New Hampshire*

President	Frank M. Jordan, California
Vice President	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Secretary	W. J. Storey, Delaware
Recording Secretary	Annamae Riiff, South Dakota
Treasurer	Bertram L. Boone II, Maryland
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	Robert A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Mike Holm, Minnesota
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	W. P. Blackwell, South Carolina



### 33rd CONFERENCE

*October 5-8, 1950, at San Francisco, California*

President	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Vice President	Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island
Treasurer	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
Recording Secretary	Annamae Riiff, South Dakota
Corresponding Secretary	Alicia Romero, New Mexico
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Robert A. Gray, Florida
	Fred M. Alger Jr., Michigan
	Annamae Riiff, South Dakota
	Alicia Romero, New Mexico
	Frank M. Jordan, California

### 34th CONFERENCE

*October 17-20, 1951, at Phoenix, Tucson and Nogales, Arizona*

President	Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island
Vice President	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
Treasurer	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
Secretary	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon
Corresponding Secretary	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Mike Holm, Minnesota Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California George J. Baker, Colorado

### 35th CONFERENCE

*June 24-29, 1952, at Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York*

President	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
Vice President	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
Treasurer	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon
Secretary	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
Corresponding Secretary	Harris B. McDowell Jr., Delaware
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire Robert A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Mike Holm, Minnesota Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island

### 36th CONFERENCE

*August 26-29, 1953, at Seattle, Washington*

President	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
Vice President	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon
Treasurer	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
Secretary	Gene D. Smith, Pennsylvania
Corresponding Secretary	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire R.A. Gray, Florida Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island C. G. Hall, Arkansas



### 37th CONFERENCE

*July 7-9, 1954, at Detroit, Michigan*

President	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon
Vice President	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
Treasurer	Gene D. Smith, Pennsylvania
Secretary	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
Corresponding Secretary	Beatrice B. Roach, New Mexico
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	R.A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona

### 38th CONFERENCE

*October 6-8, 1955, at Miami Beach, Florida*

President	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
Vice President	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
Treasurer	Geraldine Ostroot, South Dakota
Secretary	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
Corresponding Secretary	Earl Coe, Washington
Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
	R.A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon

### 39th CONFERENCE

*September 20-22, 1956, at Carmel, California*

President	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
Vice President	Geraldine Ostroot Tweet, South Dakota
Treasurer	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
Secretary	Earl Coe, Washington
Corresponding Secretary	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas

Executive Committee	Enoch D. Fuller, New Hampshire
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	Frank M. Jordan, California
	Armand H. Cote, Rhode Island
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Earl T. Newbry, Oregon
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia



#### 40th CONFERENCE

*September 4-7, 1957, at Boston, Massachusetts*

President	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
Vice President	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas
Treasurer	John Koontz, Nevada
Secretary	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
Recording Secretary	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
Executive Committee	R.A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi

#### 41st CONFERENCE

*August 27-30, 1958, Salt Lake City, Utah*

President	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas
Vice President	John Koontz, Nevada
Treasurer	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
Secretary	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
Recording Secretary	Edward J. Cronin, Massachusetts
Executive Committee	R.A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont

#### 42nd CONFERENCE

*September 2-5, 1959 at Portland, Oregon*

President	John Koontz, Nevada
Vice President	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
Treasurer	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
Secretary	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
Recording Secretary	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Executive Committee	R.A. Gray, Florida
	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas



Executive Committee	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
<i>continued</i>	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas

### 43rd CONFERENCE

*August 24-27, 1960, at New York, New York*

President	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
Vice President	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
Treasurer	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
Secretary	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Recording Secretary	Lamont F. Toronto, Utah
Executive Committee	R.A. Gray, Florida
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	Frank M. Jordan, California
	C. G. Hall, Arkansas
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas
	John Koontz, Nevada

### 44th CONFERENCE

*October 11-14, 1961, at Tucson, Arizona*



#### 44th CONFERENCE

*Continued*

President	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
Vice President	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
Treasurer	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Secretary	Lamont F. Toronto, Utah
Recording Secretary	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Frank M. Jordan, California
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	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas
	John Koontz, Nevada
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina

#### 45th CONFERENCE

*December 5-8, 1962, at Miami Beach, Florida*

President	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
Vice President	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Treasurer	Lamont F. Toronto, Utah
Secretary	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
Recording Secretary	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Frank M. Jordan, California
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont
	Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas
	John Koontz, Nevada
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa

#### 46th CONFERENCE

*October 23-26, 1963, at Chicago, Illinois*

President	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
Vice President	Lamont F. Toronto, Utah
Treasurer	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
Secretary	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
Recording Secretary	Charles F. Carpentier, Illinois



Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Ted W. Brown, Ohio
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#### 47th CONFERENCE

*July 1-7, 1964, at New York, New York*

President	Lamont F. Toronto, Utah
Vice President	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
Treasurer	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
Secretary	Charles F. Carpentier, Illinois*
Recording Secretary	Ben Meier, North Dakota
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi Howard E. Armstrong, Vermont Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Frank Marsh, Nebraska Ted W. Brown, Ohio

#### 48th CONFERENCE

*November 8-12, 1965, at Honolulu, Hawaii*

President	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
Vice President	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
Treasurer	Ben Meier, North Dakota
Secretary	Joseph Donovan, Minnesota
Recording Secretary	Victor A. Meyers, Washington** Frank Murray, Montana**

\*Deceased April 3, 1964

\*\*Victor A. Meyers was not re-elected in the 1965 General election; Frank Murray was elected by the Executive Committee to fill the vacancy.

Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi Paul R. Shanahan, Kansas John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Frank Marsh, Nebraska
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#### 49th CONFERENCE

*November 14-19, 1966, at New Orleans, Louisiana*

President	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
Vice President	Ben Meier, North Dakota
Treasurer	Joseph Donovan, Minnesota
Secretary	Frank Murray, Montana
Recording Secretary	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Ted W. Brown, Ohio Frank Marsh, Nebraska Joe C. Carr, Tennessee

#### 50th CONFERENCE

*October 3-6, 1967, at Las Vegas, Nevada*

President	Ben Meier, North Dakota
Vice President	Joseph Donovan, Minnesota
Treasurer	Frank Murray, Montana
Secretary	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
Recording Secretary	Thelma L. Stovall, Kentucky
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi

John Koontz, Nevada  
O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina  
Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa  
Ted W. Brown, Ohio  
Frank Marsh, Nebraska  
Joe C. Carr, Tennessee  
Martha Bell Conway, Virginia

### 51st CONFERENCE

*December 2-5, 1968, at Disneyland, Anaheim, California*

President	Joseph Donovan, Minnesota
Vice President	Frank Murray, Montana
Treasurer	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
Secretary	Tom Adams, Florida
Recording Secretary	Thelma Stovall, Kentucky
	John Lomenzo, New York*
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Frank M. Jordan, California
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	John Koontz, Nevada
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Frank Marsh, Nebraska
	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
	Martha Bell Conway, Virginia
	Ben Meier, North Dakota

### 52nd CONFERENCE

*August 4-8, 1969, at Denver, Colorado*

President	Frank Murray, Montana
Vice President	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
Treasurer	Tom Adams, Florida
Secretary	John Lomenzo, New York
Recording Secretary	Robert L Stark, New Hampshire

\*John Lomenzo was named Recording Secretary by the Executive Committee to fill the unexpired term of Thelma Stovall, now Kentucky State Treasurer.

Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Frank M. Jordan, California Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Ted. W. Brown, Ohio Frank Marsh, Nebraska Joe C. Carr, Tennessee Martha Bell Conway, Virginia Ben Meier, North Dakota Joseph Donovan, Minnesota
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**53rd CONFERENCE**

*August 3-7, 1970, at Newport, Rhode Island*

President	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
Vice President	John P. Lomenzo, New York
Treasurer	Kelly Bryant, Arkansas
Secretary	Byron A. Anderson, Colorado
Recording Secretary	Thyra Thomson, Wyoming
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber Ladner, Mississippi John Koontz, Nevada O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Ted W. Brown, Ohio Frank Marsh, Nebraska Joe C. Carr, Tennessee Ben Meier, North Dakota Joseph Donovan, Minnesota Frank Murray, Montana

## 54th CONFERENCE

*August 29–September 2, 1971, at Saratoga Springs, New York*

President	John P. Lomenzo, New York
Vice President	Kelly Bryant, Arkansas
Treasurer	Byron A. Anderson, Colorado
Secretary	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
Recording Secretary	Clyde L Miller, Utah
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	John Koontz, Nevada
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island

*The 1971 edition of the NASS Conference was hosted by President John P. Lomenzo of New York. The setting was in the heart of New York's "horse country" at Saratoga Springs. Two highlights came from that conference. The banquet entertainment was the number one music group in America—The 5th Dimension. The other highlight was the unveiling and approval of the NASS Medallion. The medallion was the idea and suggestion and creation of Secretary of State and President, John P. Lomenzo.*

*Because of the Vietnam War, discussion was started about making improvements to the process of application, delivery and return of military-overseas ballots. (by Allen Beermann)*



## 55th CONFERENCE

*May 29-June 2, 1972, at Hershey, Pennsylvania*

President	Kelly Bryant, Arkansas
Vice President	Byron A. Anderson, Colorado
Treasurer	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
Secretary	Clyde L. Miller, Utah
Recording Secretary	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben. W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber Ladner, Mississippi
	John Koontz, Nevada
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	August P. LaFrance, Rhode Island
	John P. Lomenzo, New York

## 56th CONFERENCE

*August 26-30, 1973, at Williamsburg, Virginia*

President	Byron A. Anderson, Colorado
Vice President	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
Treasurer	Clyde L. Miller, Utah
Secretary	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
Recording Secretary	John F. X. Davoren, Massachusetts
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	John P. Lomenzo, New York
	Kelly Bryant, Arkansas



### 57th CONFERENCE

*September 15-19, 1974, at Anchorage, Alaska*

President	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
Vice President	Clyde L Miller, Utah
Treasurer	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
Secretary	John F. X. Davoren, Massachusetts
Recording Secretary	C. Delores Tucker, Pennsylvania
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Ted W. Brown, Ohio Joe C. Carr, Tennessee Ben Meier, North Dakota Frank Murray, Montana Kelly Bryant, Arkansas

### 58th CONFERENCE

*August 17-20, 1975, at Las Vegas, Nevada*

President	Clyde L Miller, Utah
Vice President	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
Treasurer	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
Secretary	C. Delores Tucker, Pennsylvania
Recording Secretary	Richard C. Thomas, Vermont
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Wade O. Martin Jr., Louisiana Wesley Bolin, Arizona Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa Ted W. Brown, Ohio Joe C. Carr, Tennessee Ben Meier, North Dakota Frank Murray, Montana Kelly Bryant, Arkansas James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri

59th CONFERENCE

*July 18-21, 1976, at Dover, Delaware*

President	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
Vice President	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
Treasurer	C. Delores Tucker, Pennsylvania
Secretary	Richard C. Thomas, Vermont
Recording Secretary	Mark White, Texas
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
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	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Joe C. Carr, Tennessee
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Clyde L. Miller, Utah





## 60th CONFERENCE

*September 19–23, 1977, at San Juan, Puerto Rico*

President	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
Vice President	C. Delores Tucker, Pennsylvania
Treasurer	Mark White, Texas*
Secretary	Fred L. Wineland, Maryland
Recording Secretary	Agnes Baggett, Alabama
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Wesley Bolin, Arizona
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas



The Hon. Reinaldo Paniagua-Diez was the host Secretary of State for this conference. The event was held in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

This conference had many unusual features. It was the first conference held in a U.S. Territory outside of the continental United States. (There was a conference held in the State of Hawaii) The conference was held in San Juan pursuant to a special resolution passed by the Legislature in Puerto Rico. The Secretaries gathered in Miami, Florida, and traveled together as a charter group to San Juan. *(continued next page)*

\*At the 60th CONFERENCE, Mark White was elected president but resigned his office October 17, 1977 to become a candidate for Attorney General of Texas. Under the provisions of Article Six of the Constitution and by-laws of the National Association of Secretaries of State, Fred L. Wineland, the duly elected vice president, automatically became vested with all the duties and powers as president. The office of vice president remained vacant for the entire year.

## 60th CONFERENCE

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One day of the conference was also spent in the Virgin Islands with Host Secretary of State/Lt. Governor Juan Luis.

In those days, NASS did not have a central office and staff. The host Secretary and the President put the convention together. President Beermann remembers this very well. The Secretary of State staff in San Juan did not speak English and Beermann could not speak Spanish. Every detail and every plan was accomplished through an interpreter.

A major sponsor and host for this conference was the Bacardi Family. Adolfo and Olga Bacardi attended most of the functions and banquets.

It was at this conference where the Vice President of NASS was unable to be sworn in as President of NASS and the next in line suddenly became President. On the afternoon of the final banquet event, President Beermann got a call from the Governor of a state and the Governor informed Beermann that the Secretary of State (NASS Vice President) had been fired, and was being called home from the conference. Beermann had to inform the Secretary of State of the sad news. (This Secretary was later found not guilty of wrong-doing and was cleared of the charges). Beermann called the Executive Committee together quickly and it was decided that Mark White, Secretary of State of Texas, would be sworn in as the new President. (White eventually became Governor of Texas). *(by Allen Beermann)*

## 61st CONFERENCE

*December 4-8, 1978, at Walt Disney World, Lake Buena Vista, Florida*

President	Fred L Wineland, Maryland
Vice President	Vacant*
Treasurer	Agnes Baggett, Alabama
Secretary	Gloria Schaffer, Connecticut
Recording Secretary	Lorna B. Herseth, South Dakota
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Ben W. Fortson Jr., Georgia
	Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi
	O. Frank Thornton, South Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ted W. Brown, Ohio
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Elwill M. Shanahan, Kansas
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska

## 62nd CONFERENCE

*September 9-13, 1979, at Lake Ozark, Missouri*

President	Alan J. Dixon, Illinois
Vice President	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota
Treasurer	Gentry Crowell, Tennessee
Secretary	Robert F. Burns, Rhode Island
Recording Secretary	Rose Mofford, Arizona
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Heber A. Ladner, Mississippi
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa

Executive Committee	Ben Meier, North Dakota
<i>continued</i>	Frank Murray, Montana
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Fred L. Wineland, Maryland

### 63rd CONFERENCE

*August 24-27, 1980, at Atlantic City, New Jersey*

President	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota
Vice President	Gentry Crowell, Tennessee
Treasurer	Robert F. Burns, Rhode Island
Secretary	Rose Mofford, Arizona
Recording Secretary	Jack H. Brier, Kansas
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Melvin D. Synhorst, Iowa
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Frank Murray, Montana
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Fred L. Wineland, Maryland
	Alan J. Dixon, Illinois

### 64th CONFERENCE

*August 9-13, 1981, Afton, Oklahoma*

President	Gentry Crowell, Tennessee
Vice President	Robert F. Burns, Rhode Island
Treasurer	Rose Mofford, Arizona
Secretary	Jack H. Brier, Kansas
Recording Secretary	Edwin J. Simcox, Indiana
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Fred L. Wineland, Maryland
	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota

### 65th CONFERENCE

*November 14-18, 1982, Biloxi, Mississippi*

President	Robert Burns, Rhode Island
Vice President	Rose Mofford, Arizona
Treasurer	Jack Brier, Kansas
Secretary	Edwin Simcox, Indiana
Recording Secretary	Jeannette Edmondson, Oklahoma

Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Gentry Crowell, Tennessee
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**66th CONFERENCE**

*June 25-30, 1983, Bismarck, North Dakota*

President	Rose Mofford, Arizona
Vice President	Jack Brier, Kansas
Treasurer	Edwin Simcox, Indiana
Secretary	Jeannette Edmondson, Oklahoma
Recording Secretary	Paul Riviere, Arkansas
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Gentry Crowell, Tennessee Robert Burns, Rhode Island



**67th CONFERENCE**

*July 8-11, 1984, Annapolis, Maryland*

President	Jack H. Brier, Kansas
Vice President	Edwin Simcox, Indiana
Treasurer	Jeannette Edmondson, Oklahoma
Recording Secretary	James Douglas, Vermont
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota James C. Kirkpatrick, Missouri Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Gentry Crowell, Tennessee Rose Mofford, Arizona Don Siegelman, Alabama Jim Waltermire, Montana

68th CONFERENCE

*July 8-10, 1985, Indianapolis, Indiana*

President	Edwin J. Simcox, Indiana
President Elect	Jeannette Edmondson, Oklahoma
Vice President	James H. Douglas, Vermont
Treasurer	Jim Waltermire, Montana
Secretary	James H. Brown, Louisiana
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota Gentry Crowell, Tennessee Rose Mofford, Arizona Jack H. Brier, Kansas Alice Kundert, South Dakota Clara P. Jones, New Mexico



69th CONFERENCE

July 20-23, 1986, at Seattle, Washington

President	Jeannette B. Edmondson, Oklahoma
President Elect	James H. Douglas, Vermont
Vice President	Jim Waltermire, Montana
Treasurer	James H. Brown, Louisiana
Secretary	Jim Edgar, Illinois
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota Gentry Crowell, Tennessee Rose P. Mofford, Arizona Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Edwin Simcox, Indiana Ralph D. Munro, Washington Julia Z. Tashjian, Connecticut





## 70th CONFERENCE

*July 11-16 1987, Boston, Massachusetts*

President	James H. Douglas, Vermont
President Elect	Jim Waltermire, Montana
Vice President	James H. Brown, Louisiana
Treasurer	Jim Edgar, Illinois
Secretary	Julia H. Tashjian, Connecticut
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina Ben Meier, North Dakota Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota Gentry Crowell, Tennessee Rose P. Mofford, Arizona Jeannette B. Edmondson, Oklahoma Ralph D. Munro, Washington Dick Molpus, Mississippi



## 71st CONFERENCE

*July 9-13, 1988, Portland, Oregon*

President	Jim Waltermire, Montana*
President Elect	Jim Edgar, Illinois
Vice President	Julia H. Tashjian, Connecticut
Treasurer	Ralph Munro, Washington
Secretary	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota
	Gentry Crowell, Tennessee
	James H. Douglas, Vermont
	Bill McCuen, Arkansas
	Natalie Meyer, Colorado
	Gail Shaffer, New York
	Barbara Roberts, Oregon



## 72nd CONFERENCE

*July 15-19, 1989 at A Mountaintop Experience in Vail, Colorado*

President	Jim Edgar, Illinois
President Elect	Julia H. Tashjian, Connecticut
Vice President	Ralph Munro, Washington
Treasurer	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
Secretary	Roy D. Blunt, Missouri
Executive Committee	Thad Eure, North Carolina
	Ben Meier, North Dakota
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota

\*Deceased April 8, 1988



Executive Committee  
*continued*

Gentry Crowell, Tennessee  
James H. Douglas, Vermont  
Natalie Meyer, Colorado  
Jane Burgio, New Jersey  
Rebecca Vigil-Giron, New Mexico  
Barbara Roberts, Oregon



73rd CONFERENCE

*July 15-18, 1990 in Hartford, Connecticut*

Executive Committee:

President	Julia Tashjian, Connecticut
President Elect	Ralph Munro, Washington
Vice President	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
Treasurer	Roy Blunt, Missouri
Secretary	Frankie Sue Del Papa, Nevada
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Joan A. Growe, Minnesota
	James H. Douglas, Vermont
	Jim Edgar, Illinois
	Kathleen Connell, Rhode Island
	Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota
	John Campbell, South Carolina
	Michael Harkins, Delaware

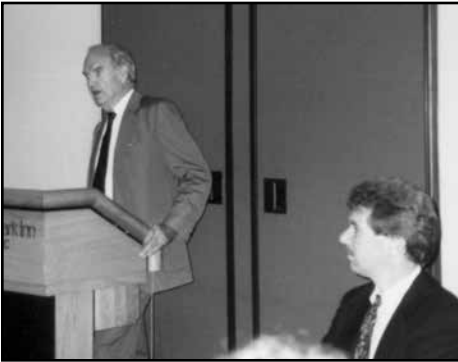


## 74th CONFERENCE

*August 17-22, 1991 at The Grove Park Inn & Country Club, Asheville, North Carolina*

### Executive Committee:

President	Ralph Munro, Washington
President Elect	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
Vice President	Roy Blunt, Missouri
Treasurer	Gail Shaffer, New York
Secretary	Natalie Meyer, Colorado
	Joan Anderson Growe, Minnesota
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	James H. Douglas, Vermont
	Elaine Baxter, Iowa
	Bill Graves, Kansas
	Jim Smith, Florida
	Rufus Edmisten, North Carolina



## 75th CONFERENCE

*August 8-13, 1992 at the Holiday Inn by the Bay in Portland Maine*

### Executive Committee:

President	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
President Elect	Roy Blunt, Missouri
Vice President	Gail Shaffer, New York
Treasurer	Natalie Meyer, Colorado
Secretary	Rufus Edmisten, North Carolina
	Allen J. Beermann, Nebraska
	Mike Cooney, Montana
	James H. Douglas, Vermont
	Stephanie Gonzales, New Mexico
	Joan Growe, Minnesota
	Pauline Kezer, Connecticut
	Ralph Munro Washington
	Bob Taft, Ohio



## 76th CONFERENCE

*July 24-29, 1993 at The Cleveland Marriott, Society Center, Cleveland, Ohio*

### Executive Committee:

President	Gail Shafer, New York
President Elect	Natalie Meyer, Colorado
Secretary/Treasurer	Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota
Eastern Vice President	Pauline Kezer, Connecticut
Southern Vice President	Rufus Edmisten, North Carolina
Western Vice President	Mike Cooney, Montana
Mid-Western Vice President	Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota
Past President	Dick Molpus, Mississippi
At-Large Member	Bill Diamond, Maine
At-Large Member	Bob Taft, Ohio



## 77th CONFERENCE

*July 16-21, 1994 at The Outlaw Inn in Kalispell, Montana*

### Executive Committee:

President	Natalie Meyer, Colorado
President Elect	Rufus Edmiston, North Carolina
Secretary/Treasurer	Bob Taft, Ohio
Southern Vice President	Bob Babbage, Kentucky
Western Vice President	Cheryl A. Lau, Nevada
Mid-Western Vice President	Bob Taft, Ohio
Past President	Gail Shaffer, New York
At-Large Member	Joyce Hazeline, South Dakota
At-Large Member	Derek Hodge, Virgin Islands



The Outlaw Inn in Kalispell, Montana played host to the National Association of Secretaries of State. Just a few miles from Glacier National Park and Flathead Lake there could not have been a more beautiful setting.

However, it was the conference program and speakers that held the attention of attendees. "Economic and Business Growth" was discussed by Austin Kiplinger, Editor of the Kiplinger Washington Letter. Michael Josephson, President of Josephson Institute of Ethics, presented "Ethics in Government." Former Secretary of State Jim Douglas presented a discussion on "Encouraging Democracy Abroad" while FEC Chairman Trevor Potter discussed "Promoting Democracy at Home."

The National Voter Registration Act (NVRA) was the subject of a plenary session featuring election experts from across the country. Nationally Syndicated Columnist Jack Germond of the *Baltimore Evening Sun* entertained the conference at lunch. Congressman Sherrod Brown, the former Ohio Secretary of State, provided a "View From Here."

Conference Attendees got to enjoy the Montana outdoors with trips to Glacier National Park, Flathead Lake, and lunch on the top of The Big Mountain Ski Resort. Conference activities included fishing, hiking, rafting, golfing, horseback trail rides, softball and of course, shopping.

Providing a real flavor of Montana was Vince Yannon of the Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks with his live animal presentation. Montana recording artists Jack Gladstone and Grammy-nominated pianist Philip Aaberg entertained Secretaries and guests on the last day of the conference.

The unofficial theme of the conference was "No Ties Allowed" as Montana Secretary of State staff were equipped with scissors to immediately remove any offending ties during this casual but busy conference. (Submitted by Mike Cooney)

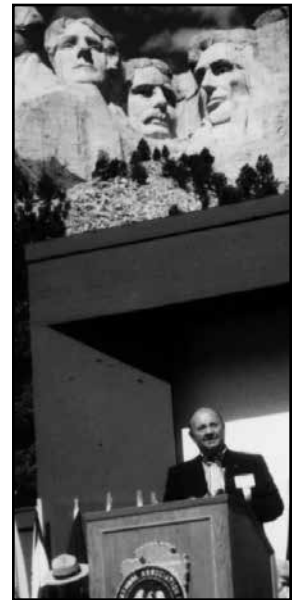


78th CONFERENCE

*August 26-31, 1995, at The Rushmore Holiday Inn, Rapid City, South Dakota*

Executive Committee:

President	Rufus Edmisten, North Carolina
President Elect	Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota
Secretary/Treasurer	Jim Miles, South Carolina
Southern Region Vice President	Jim Miles, South Carolina
Mid-Western Region Vice President	Al Jaeger, North Dakota
Western Region Vice President	Mike Cooney, Montana
Eastern Region Vice President	Bill Diamond, Maine
At-Large Member	Bob Taft, Ohio
At-Large Member	Jim Bennett, Alabama
Past President	Natalie Meyer, Colorado



79th CONFERENCE

*July 27 – August 1, 1996 at the Charleston Place Hotel in Charleston, South Carolina*

Executive Committee:

President

President Elect

Secretary/Treasurer

Eastern Region Vice President

Mid-Western Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Past President

At-Large Member

At-Large Member

Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota

Mike Cooney, Montana

Bill Diamond, Maine

Bill Diamond, Maine

Al Jaeger, North Dakota

Jim Bennett, Alabama

Olene Walker, Utah

Rufus Edmisten, North Carolina

Jim Miles, South Carolina

Bob Taft, Ohio



80th CONFERENCE

*July 26-31, 1997 at The Adams Mark Hotel in Mobile, Alabama*

Executive Committee:

President	Mike Cooney, Montana
President Elect	Olene Walker, Utah
Secretary/Treasurer	Miles Rapoport, Connecticut
Past President	Joyce Hazeltine, South Dakota
Eastern Region Vice President	Miles Rapoport, Connecticut
Mid-Western Region Vice President	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
Southern Region Vice President	Sharon Priest, Arkansas
Western Region Vice President	Bill Jones, California
At-Large Members	Tom Cole, Oklahoma
	Riley Darnell, Tennessee





81st CONFERENCE

*July 11-16, 1998 at The Little America Hotel in Salt Lake City, Utah*

Executive Committee:

President	Olene Walker, Utah
President Elect	Bill Gardner, New Hampshire
Treasurer	Riley Darnell, Tennessee
Eastern Region Vice President	Miles Rapoport, Connecticut
Mid-Western Region Vice President	Bekki Cook, Missouri
Southern Region Vice President	Jim Bennett, Alabama
Western Region Vice President	Bill Jones, California
At-Large Members	Sharon Priest, Arizona
	Tom Cole, Oklahoma



82nd CONFERENCE

*June 26-July 1, 1999 at Regal Riverfront Hotel, St. Louis, Missouri*

Executive Committee:

President	Bill Gardner, New Hampshire
President Elect	Jim Bennett, Alabama
Treasurer	Riley Darnell, Tennessee
Past President	Olene Walker, Utah
Eastern Region Vice President	Dan Gwadosky, Maine
Southern Region Vice President	Elaine Marshall, North Carolina
Mid Western Region Vice President	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
Western Region Vice President	Bill Jones, California
At-Large Member	Bekki Cook, Missouri
At-Large Member	Al Jaeger, North Dakota

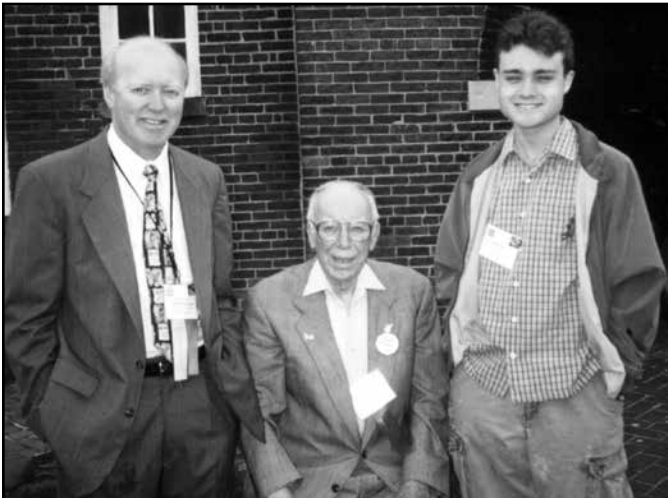


83rd CONFERENCE

*June 27–July 2, 2000 at the Renaissance Harborplace Hotel in Baltimore, Maryland*

President  
President Elect  
Secretary

Jim Bennett, Alabama  
Sharon Priest, Arkansas  
Riley Darnell, Tennessee



Treasurer  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid-Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
At-Large Member  
At-Large Member

Ron Thornburgh, Kansas  
William Gardner, New Hampshire  
Dan Gwadosky, Maine  
Elaine Marshall, North Carolina  
Al Jaeger, North Dakota  
Bill Jones, California  
Bekki Cook, Missouri  
Sandy Treadwell, New York

84th CONFERENCE

*July 13-17, 2001 at The Excelsior Hotel in Little Rock, Arkansas*

Executive Committee:

President	Sharon Priest, Arkansas
President Elect	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
Treasurer	Dan Gwadosky, Maine
Secretary	Riley Darnell, Tennessee
Past President	Jim Bennett, Alabama
Eastern Region Vice President	Kim Pizzingrilli, Pennsylvania
Southern Region Vice President	John Y. Brown, Kentucky
Western Region Vice President	Bill Jones, California
Mid-Western Vice President	Chet Culver, Iowa
At-Large Member	Elaine Marshall, North Carolina
At-Large Member	Al Jaeger, North Dakota



85th CONFERENCE

*July 26-30, 2002 at the Westin Hotel, Providence, Rhode Island*

President	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
President Elect	Dan Gwadosky, Maine
Past President	Sharon Priest, Arizona
Secretary/Treasurer	Mary Kiffmeyer, Minnesota
Eastern Region Vice President	John Willis, Maryland
Southern Region Vice President	Cathy Cox, Georgia
Mid-Western Region Vice President	J. Kenneth Blackwell, Ohio
Western Region Vice President	Dean Heller, Nevada
At-Large Member	Rebecca Vigil-Giron, New Mexico
At-Large Member	Donetta Davidson, Colorado





## 86th CONFERENCE

*July 25-28, 2003 at Holiday Inn by the Bay in Portland, Maine*

President	Dan Gwadosky, Maine
President Elect	Mary Kiffmeyer, Minnesota
Past President	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
Secretary	John Y. Brown III, Kentucky
Treasurer	Rebecca Vigil-Giron, New Mexico
Eastern Region Vice President	Deb Markowitz, Vermont
Southern Region Vice President	Cathy Cox, Georgia
Mid-Western Region Vice President	Al Jaeger, North Dakota
Western Region Vice President	Dean Heller, Nevada
At-Large Member	Chet Culver, Iowa
At-Large Member	Donetta Davidson, Colorado



## 87th CONFERENCE

*July 15-19, 2004 at The Sheraton in New Orleans, Louisiana*

President	Mary Kiffmeyer, Minnesota
President Elect	Rebecca Vigil-Giron, New Mexico
Past President	Dan Gwadosky, Maine
Secretary	Sam Reed, Washington
Treasurer	Donetta Davidson, Colorado
Eastern Region Vice President	William Gardner, New Hampshire
Southern Region Vice President	Eric Clark, Mississippi
Mid-Western Region Vice President	Ron Thornburgh, Kansas
Western Region Vice President	Dean Heller, Nevada
At-Large Member	John Gale, Nebraska
At-Large Member	Elaine Marshall, North Carolina



### 88th CONFERENCE

*July 22–25, 2005 at the Radisson Riverfront in St. Paul, MN*

President	Rebecca Vigil–Giron, NM
Past President	Mary Kiffmeyer, MN
President Elect	Donetta Davidson, CO
Treasurer	Deb Markowitz, VT
Secretary	Chet Culver, IA
Eastern	Pedro Cortes, PA
Southern	Cathy Cox, GA
Mid–Western	Ron Thornburgh, KS
Western	Joe Meyer, WY
At Large	Bill Bradbury, OR
At Large	John Gale, NE



## 89th CONFERENCE

*July 9–13, 2006 at the Eldorado Hotel in Santa Fe, New Mexico*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Sam Reed, Washington

Hon. Deb Markowitz, Vermont

Hon. Todd Rokita, Indiana

Hon. Joe Meyer, Wyoming

Hon. Rebecca Vigil-Giron, New Mexico

Hon. Pedro Cortes, Pennsylvania

Hon. Riley Darnell, Tennessee

Hon. John Gale, Nebraska

Hon. Ben Yursa, Idaho

Hon. Al Jaeger, North Dakota

Hon. Bill Bradbury, Oregon



90th CONFERENCE

*July 13–20, 2007 at the Hilton Portland & Executive Tower in Portland, Oregon*

President  
President Elect  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)  
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Hon. Deb Markowitz, Vermont  
Hon. Todd Rokita, Indiana  
Hon. Pedro Cortes, Pennsylvania  
Hon. Bill Bradbury, Oregon  
Hon. Sam Reed, Washington  
Hon. Matt Dunlap, Maine  
Hon. Eric Clark, Mississippi  
Hon. Robin Carnahan, Missouri  
Hon. Ben Yursa, Idaho  
Hon. Betty Ireland, West Virginia  
Hon. Brad Johnson, Montana



91st CONFERENCE

*July 25–28, 2008 at the Amway Grand Plaza in Grand Rapids, Michigan*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Todd Rokita, Indiana

Hon. Pedro A. Cortés, Pennsylvania

Hon. Trey Grayson, Kentucky

Hon. Betty Ireland, West Virginia

Hon. Deb Markowitz, Vermont

Hon. A. Ralph Mollis, Rhode Island

Hon. Charlie Daniels, Arkansas

Hon. Terri Lynn Land, Michigan

Hon. Ben Yursa, Idaho

Hon. Brad Johnson, Montana

Hon. William Gardner, New Hampshire





92nd CONFERENCE

*July 16–19, 2009 at the Hilton Minneapolis in Minneapolis, Minnesota*

NASS President	Hon. Pedro A. Cortés, Pennsylvania
President Elect	Hon. Trey Grayson, Kentucky
Treasurer	Hon. Matthew Dunlap, Maine
Secretary	Hon. Robin Carnahan, Missouri
Past President	Hon. Todd Rokita, Indiana
Eastern Region Vice President	Hon. A. Ralph Mollis, Rhode Island
Southern Region Vice President	Hon. Karen Handel, Georgia
Mid Western Region Vice President	Hon. Jennifer Brunner, Ohio
Western Region Vice President	Hon. Ben Yursa, Idaho
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)	Hon. John Gale, Nebraska
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)	Hon. Lorraine Cortés-Vázquez, New York



93rd Conference

*July 17–20, 2010 at the Rhode Island Convention Center Providence, Rhode Island*

NASS President  
President Elect  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)  
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Trey Grayson, Kentucky  
Hon. Matthew Dunlap, Maine  
Hon. Beth Chapman, Alabama  
Hon. Mark Ritchie, Minnesota  
Vacant  
Hon. A. Ralph Mollis, Rhode Island  
Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee  
Hon. Todd Rokita, Indiana  
Hon. Sam Reed, Washington  
Hon. Kate Brown, Oregon  
Hon. Alvin “Al” Jaeger, North Dakota



94th Conference

*July 10–13, 2011 at the Resort at Glade Springs in Daniels, West Virginia*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Mark Ritchie, Minnesota

Hon. Beth Chapman, Alabama

Hon. Ross Miller, Nevada

Hon. Kate Brown, Oregon

Vacant

Hon. A. Ralph Mollis, Rhode Island

Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee

Hon. Robin Carnahan, Missouri

Hon. Ben Ysursa, Idaho

Hon. John McDonough, Maryland

Hon. John Gale, Nebraska



**95th Conference**  
*July 14-17, 2012 at the Caribe Hilton in San Juan, Puerto Rico*

NASS President  
President Elect  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)  
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Beth Chapman, Alabama  
Hon. Ross Miller, Nevada  
Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee  
Hon. Linda McCulloch, Montana  
Hon. Mark Ritchie, Minnesota  
Hon. Denise Merrill, Connecticut  
Hon. Brian Kemp, Georgia  
Hon. John Gale, Nebraska  
Hon. Ken Bennett, Arizona  
Hon. Mark Hammond, South Carolina  
Hon. Kate Brown, Oregon





96th Conference

*July 18-21, 2013 at the Dena'ina Convention Center in Anchorage, Alaska*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Ross Miller, Nevada

Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee

Hon. Kate Brown, Oregon

Hon. Elaine Marshall, North Carolina

Hon. Beth Chapman, Alabama

Hon. Jeffrey Bullock, Delaware

Hon. Brian Kemp, Georgia

Hon. Jon Husted, Ohio

Hon. Linda McCulloch, Montana

Hon. John McDonough, Maryland

Hon. Ken Bennett, Arizona



97th Conference

*July 13-16, 2014 at the Baltimore Hilton in Baltimore, Maryland*

NASS President  
President Elect  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)  
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee  
Hon. Kate Brown, Oregon  
Hon. Jason Gant, South Dakota  
Hon. Tom Schedler, Louisiana  
Hon. Ross Miller, Nevada  
Hon. Jim Condos, Vermont  
Hon. Natalie Tennant, West Virginia  
Hon. Connie Lawson, Indiana  
Hon. Kim Wyman, Washington  
Hon. Mark Martin, Arkansas  
Hon. Matt Dunlap, Maine



98th Conference

*July 9-12, 2015 at the Holiday Inn by the Bay in Portland, Maine*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

Member at Large (NPA Liaison)

Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Elaine Marshall, North Carolina

Hon. Tom Schedler, Louisiana

Hon. Denise Merrill, Connecticut

Hon. Jim Condos, Vermont

Hon. Tre Hargett, Tennessee

Hon. Matt Dunlap, Maine

Hon. Alison Lundergan Grimes, Kentucky

Hon. Connie Lawson, Indiana

Hon. Kim Wyman, Washington

Hon. Mark Martin, Arkansas

Hon. Jeffrey Bullock, Delaware

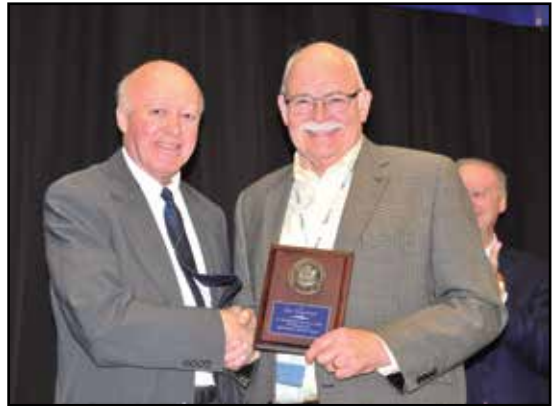


99th Conference

*July 14-17, 2016 at the Renaissance Nashville Hotel in Nashville, Tennessee*

NASS President  
President Elect  
Treasurer  
Secretary  
Past President  
Eastern Region Vice President  
Southern Region Vice President  
Mid Western Region Vice President  
Western Region Vice President  
Member at Large (NPA Liaison)  
Member at Large (ACR Liaison)

Hon. Tom Schedler, Louisiana  
Hon. Denise Merrill, Connecticut  
Hon. Kim Wyman, Washington  
Hon. Mark Martin, Arkansas  
Hon. Elaine Marshall, North Carolina  
Hon. Jim Condos, Vermont  
Hon. Brian Kemp, Georgia  
Hon. Connie Lawson, Indiana  
Hon. Linda McCulloch, Montana  
Hon. Al Jaeger, North Dakota  
Hon. Matt Dunlap, Maine





## 100th Conference

*July 7-10, 2017 at the Westin Indianapolis in Indianapolis, Indiana*

NASS President

President Elect

Treasurer

Secretary

Past President

Eastern Region Vice President

Southern Region Vice President

Mid Western Region Vice President

Western Region Vice President

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