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President	Jason D. Young
Vice President	Leodis Jennings
Secretary	Paul Young
Treasurer	Anthony Harris
Corr. Secretary	Charles Lewis
Dean of Pledges	Jesse Dillard
Asst. Dean of Pledges	Timothy Strachan
Editor to "The Sphinx"	Al Smith
Chaplain	Anthony Miller
Parliamentary	Ronald Frink

Fall '80' Pledge Line

- 1) Walter M^CCoy
- 2) James Campbell
- 3) Kenneth Vereen

Spring '81' Pledge Line

- 1) Dennis Crowder
- 2) Charles Durant
- 3) Charlton Galloway
- 4) Keith Hudson
- 5) Charles Lewis
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- 7) Timothy Strachan

Active Brothers of Alpha Phi Alpha

- 1) Jerry Arnette
- 2) Theodore Carter
- 3) James E. Campbell
- 4) James Clanton
- 5) Dennis Crowder
- 6) Jesse Dillard
- 7) Everett Dudley
- 8) Charles Dunn
- 9) Charles Durant
- 10) Ronald Frink
- 11) James Gaither
- 12) Charlton Galloway
- 13) Orlando Hankins
- 14) Anthony Harris
- 15) Keith Hudson
- 16) Leodis Jennings
- 17) Micheal Johnson
- 18) Charles Lewis
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- 23) Connell Price
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THE CONSTITUTION OF THE ETA OMICRON CHAPTER OF ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC.

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Article I Name

- Section 1. The name of this organization shall be the Eta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated.

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Article III
Election of Membership

- Section 1. Candidates shall be elected to membership in accordance with the above specifications by three-fourths (3/4) majority vote of the active brotherhood of the Eta Omicron Chapter including Absentee ballots from active brothers.

Article IV
Officers and Duties

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- Section 15. The Assistant House Manager shall be responsible for working closely with the House Manager in assuring the smooth operation of the fraternity house and shall assume the position of House Beatification Committee Chairperson.
- Section 16. The President, Vice President, and Dean of Intake must have and maintain at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA, and all other elected officers of the Executive Board must have and maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale to assume office and to remain in office.

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- Section 2. Chapter officers shall serve for a term of one year or until their successors are elected.
- Section 3. Officers shall be elected by a majority vote of the active brotherhood of the Chapter including Absentee ballots from active brothers.
- Section 4. In case officers fail to return to school or their GPA falls below the requirement, new officers shall be elected to fill the vacancies at the first meeting of the following regular semester.
- Section 5. The names and addresses of the officers shall be submitted to the office of the Executive Secretary of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. within ten (10) days after elections.

Article VI
Impeachment of Officers

- Section 1. Grounds for Impeachment
- (a) malfeasance
 - (b) misappropriation of funds

- Section 2. Impeachment Process
- (a) Letter of Impeachment must be presented to the accused, parliamentarian, chapter president, and chapter advisor.
 - (b) Letter must be signed by 1/5 of the active membership.
 - (c) Accused and accuser must present their case before the elected officers of the chapter and chapter advisor, to be headed by the parliamentarian.
 - (d) If charges warrant, present the case to the brotherhood at the following chapter meeting.
 - (e) Impeachment has to be approved by 3/4 of the chapter.
- Section 3. Impeachment does not mean inactivity.
- Section 4. Impeached officers may not receive an office for a period of one year.
- Section 5. Impeached office is to be appointed by the Executive Board with the exception of the Chapter President's position.

Article VII **Meetings**

- Section 1. The meeting time and date for all meetings shall be decided at the end of the current academic year.
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Article IX **House**

- Section 1. Non-House Brother fee is to be based on previous years financial status as determined by the House Manager, Assistant House Manager, and Chapter President.
- Section 2. Non-House Brother fee is to be approved by majority vote of the chapter.

- Section 3. Study hours are to be set by House Brothers (min. 2 hr./day, Sunday thru Thursday.) These are hours in which there is to be complete respect of all brothers' scholastic endeavors, including but not limited to no loud music, no loud talking, and no social activities in common areas.
- Section 4. Other House rules are to be determined by the House Manager, Assistant House Manager, and Chapter President.
- Section 5. House rules are to be approved by House Brothers.
- Section 6. Housing acceptance process is as follows:
(a) Current House Brothers have priority.
(b) Remaining spots are to be filled on a first come first serve basis.
(c) Deadline for acceptance for regular sessions is to be determined by the House Manager, Assistant House Manager, and Chapter President, and shall be approved by the chapter. Exceptions for emergencies will be considered on a case by case basis by the chapter.
- Section 7. Room Placement
(a) Current House Brothers have priority.
(b) House Manager, if not currently living in the House, has second priority.
(c) Selection for remaining space is to be filled by House Manager and Chapter President.
- Section 8. A \$50.00 non-refundable deposit is required at the end of the current semester to hold space for following semester. (to be subtracted from total room rent)

Article X **Amendments**

- Section 1. The articles of this constitution may be amended, revised, or altered in whole or in part at any regular meeting by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the active brothers of the Chapter, provided such an amendment and the notice of this proposed vote were given in writing to each member at least one week prior to such vote.

Article XI **By-Laws**

- Section 1. Additional By-Laws may be adopted by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the active brotherhood of the Chapter.
- Section 2. The initiation of new members must take place before final exam period of the same semester that these same people become aspirants.
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- Section 4. There shall be no more than one initiation ceremony of new members into Eta Omicron Chapter per regular academic semester.

- Section 5. All members of the Academic Committee must have and maintain at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale.
- Section 6. (a) A letter of concern will be issued to any Brother whose semester's GPA falls between a 2.0 and a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale to make them aware that their academics are being monitored. If this occurs in two consecutive semesters then this Brother will have to study during the mandated study hours.
- (b) Any Brother whose semester's GPA falls below a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale shall be placed on probationary status.
- (1) A warning letter will be written by the Academic Committee outlining other provisions of probationary status.
- (2) This Brother will be required to have a conference with the Chapter Advisor and Academic Committee Chairperson once a month for the entire semester.
- (3) Less than a 2.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale in two consecutive semesters will result in inactivity.
- (c) Inactive Brothers desirous of being reinstated due to poor academic performance and Brothers on academic probation must study during the mandatory study hours as outlined by the Academic Committee.
- Section 7. Violating the Ritual: Any brother speaking of non-public fraternal business outside of the fraternity meetings shall be brought before the Board of Review and may face suspension unless the Board deems it necessary to issue a lesser punishment.
- Section 8. Suspension: Any brother failing to uphold the standards of Alpha Phi Alpha may be suspended from this Chapter through the Board of Review. After reviewing a serious case against a brother, the Board of Review may propose at a regularly scheduled fraternity meeting that the brother be suspended. It shall be passed by a majority vote of the active brotherhood. Suspension shall be defined as: no participation in Brotherhood only functions; no wearing of the Fraternity Badge; no participation in the intake process; and no voting rights or voice in fraternity meetings.
- Section 9. No one under the influence of alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any mind altering substance shall be permitted to participate in any membership intake activities.
- Section 10. A Brother who is declared inactive must adhere to the following:
- (a) No participation in the membership intake process.
- (b) No voting rights in fraternity meetings.
- (c) May not participate in step shows or step contests as a representative of the Eta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
- Section 11. Any and all fines are to be approved by the chapter.

- Section 12. A Brother in good standing is defined as:
- (a) Financial with Nationals and the chapter.
 - (b) Completing of all required tasks as assigned by the president.
 - (c) Not meeting standard of Article XI, Section 6.

- Section 13. Brothers not in good standing
- (a) will not be allowed to invite guests free of charge into paid social activities.
 - (b) will not be allowed to step
 - (c) must adhere to other limitations defined in the constitution.

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Election to Membership

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Meetings

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Article VIII

Amendments

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Article IX

By-Laws

- Section 1. Additional By-Laws may be adopted by a two-thirds vote of the **active membership** of the Chapter.
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- Section 4. There shall be no more than one initiation ceremony of new members into Eta Omicron Chapter per regular academic semester.
- Section 5. The colors shall be black and old gold in accordance with the Constitution of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Section 6. (a) Any brother with less than a 2.0 GPA in two (2) successive semesters shall be declared inactive. The brother may resume activity after attaining at least a 2.0 in any following semester.

(b) Any brother with less than a 1.5 GPA in one semester shall be declared inactive for the following semester. To resume activity, the brother must:

(1) Attain at least a 2.0 the following semester.

(2) Visit the Chapter Advisor at least twice a month to discuss his progress. The advisor is to report to the chapter concerning the inactive brother's progress.

(c) If the brother is a new initiate and attains less than a 1.5 GPA in the semester he pledged, then that brother shall be on conditional status until mid-semester academic difficulty reports (pink slips) are issued. If the brother receives a pink slip, then the Academic Committee will review the extent of the case and part (b) may go into effect for the remainder of that semester.

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(d) Each candidate must complete a pledge period of no less than eight (8) weeks but not exceeding a sixteen (16) week period.

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Article VI

Meetings

Section 1. There shall be a meeting of the Chapter at least once a week.

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Active Brothers of Eta Omicron Chapter
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Elwood Becton - *dean of pledges*
Crosby Brown - *historian*
Dennis Dae - *treas.*
Micheal Dae - *sec*
Evans Taylor - *assoc ed of sphinx*
Marion Whigham - *pres* *reg. c., 2719 Confer D-1.*

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- Section 6. (a) Any brother with less than a 2.0 GPA , in (2) successive semesters shall be declared inactive. The brother may resume activity after attaining at least a 2.0 in any following semester.
- (b) Any brother with less than a 1.5 GPA in one semester shall be declared inactive for the following semester. To resume activity, the brother must:
- (1) Attain at least a 2.0 the following semester.
- (2) Visit the Chapter Advisor at least twice a month to discuss his progress. The Advisor is to report to the Chapter concerning the inactive brother's progress.
- Section 7. Violating the Ritual: Any brother speaking of non-public fraternal business outside of the fraternity meetings shall be brought before the Board of Review and may face suspension unless the Board deems it necessary to issue a lesser punishment.
- Section 8. Suspension: Any brother failing to uphold the standards of Alpha Phi Alpha may be suspended from this Chapter through the Board of Review. After reviewing a serious case against a brother, the Board of Review may propose at a regularly scheduled fraternity meeting that the brother be suspended. It shall be passed by a majority vote of the active brotherhood. Suspension shall be defined as: no participation in Brother only

functions; no wearing of the Fraternity Badge; no participation in the intake process; and no voting rights or voice in fraternity meetings.

Section 9. No one under the influence of alcoholic beverages, drugs, or any mind altering substance shall be permitted to participate in any membership intake activities.

Section 10. A brother who is declared inactive must adhere to the following:
(a) No participation in the membership intake process.
(b) No voting rights in fraternity meetings.
(c) May not participate in step shows or step contests as a representative of the Eta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Revised April 17, 1993

NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY AT RALEIGH

DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

DEPARTMENT OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES
Box 5505 Zip 27607

August 30, 1971

Mr. Marion Whigham, President
Alpha Phi Alpha
Apartment C
2719 Conifer Drive
Raleigh, North Carolina 27607

Dear Mr. Whigham:

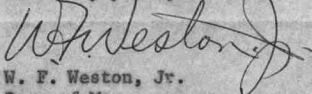
We have reviewed the Constitution submitted for your organization and wish to inform you that this document has been accepted and North Carolina State University is pleased to recognize the Eta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc.

All student organizations are expected to work within the policies of the University and with the Student Government.

In extending recognition, neither the University nor Student Government accepts any financial responsibility for any liability, fiscal or otherwise, which may be incurred by your organization, nor does either guarantee that permanent university facilities will be available. The University will, however, endeavor to make meeting rooms available to your group.

I shall be pleased to be of assistance to you and your organization in any way possible.

Sincerely yours,



W. F. Weston, Jr.
Dean of Men

WFW:be

cc: Lee McDonald, Program Director, Erdahl-Cloyd Union ✓
Cus Gusler, President, Student Body
A. M. Witherspoon, Faculty Adviser
Richard Harris, President, Student Senate
Henry Bowers, Associate Dean of Student Affairs



April 17, 1978

Mr. Weldon Dixon
802 A Sullivan
NCSU Campus

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*Mr. Cavaretta Martin
222 Smithfield St.
Raleigh, NC 27607*

Dear Weldon:

I would like to invite you to our IFC meeting on Thursday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the Green Room of the University Student Center. IFC is the main voice and advocate of Greeks at N.C. State University and would like to include all National Greek Organizations. IFC is becoming more involved and more service oriented and has a desire to help all fraternities, for example: RUSH seminars to improve recruitment programs, leadership workshops and retreats, and making available computerized list of incoming freshmen interested in fraternities. These are just a few of the services IFC provide .

We would like you to attend the meeting so you can see first hand what IFC is doing and is planning to do. We are interested in having you join, but an immediate decision to join is not required.

I am looking forward to meeting you and hopefully working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

Bruce Cantrell

Bruce Cantrell
IFC President

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PHI LAMBDA CHAPTER OF ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY

A TRIBUTE TO

AUGUSTUS M. WITHERSPOON

An Alpha Legacy:



Friday, September 11, 1992

7:00 pm

North Carolina State University
Jane S. McKimmon Center
Corner of Western Boulevard
and Gorman Street

AUGUSTUS M. WITHERSPOON
"Sturdy Timber in the House of Alpha"
(A Biographical Sketch)



Augustus M. Witherspoon, noted scholar, dynamic leader, and tireless public servant, was born in 1931 in South Carolina. Although his family migrated north to Maryland, Witherspoon returned south to his "Palmetto State" roots and completed high school. He received the B. S. degree from Claflin College and, soon after graduation, joined the United States Army. During his two years of military service from 1951 to 1953, Witherspoon attained the rank of Lieutenant. Upon discharge from the Army, he earned his M. S. degree from Southern Illinois and North Carolina State University. Augustus Witherspoon also has the distinction of being the second African American to receive the Ph. D. degree from North Carolina State University.

Dr. Witherspoon's long teaching career began as a high school teacher of physics, chemistry, and biology. While completing his doctorate at North Carolina State University, Witherspoon was a Botany Instructor and subsequently was hired full-time as an Assistant Professor of Botany in 1970. He currently is one of twelve African Americans who are full professors at NCSU.

During his nearly twenty-three years tenure at North Carolina State University, Dr. Witherspoon has served the University in a number of capacities. He has held memberships on many University committees including the Athletics Council, the Chancellor's Advisory Council on African American Affairs, and the Committee on International Programs. He also worked with the Graduate School as Associate Dean. In his current position, Dr. Witherspoon serves as the Associate Provost and Coordinator of African American Affairs at NCSU.

It was under Dr. Witherspoon's innovative leadership that North Carolina State University institutionalized a number of initiatives aimed at increasing the enrollment and retention of African American students on the campus. His impact can be seen in the increased numbers of African Americans matriculating in graduate programs. He also served for many years as the faculty advisor for the Association for the Concerns of African American Graduate Students. Dr. Witherspoon was instrumental in helping to establish NCSU's African American Cultural Center - a vital link in the retention of African American students at the University. His pioneering work with the African American Coordinators of the University's schools and colleges and with the Freshman Advancement Seminar is currently being studied as a model to be emulated by other institutions in the University of North Carolina System.

Dr. Witherspoon has been a mentor for both faculty and students on North Carolina State University's campus. His collegiality, competence, and compassion have endeared him to countless faculty and staff who regularly seek and freely receive the counsel of "Gus". Many students who have worked under his tutelage affectionately call him "Papa".

An exacting researcher and a prolific writer, Dr. Witherspoon singularly and collaboratively authored over 12 publications. He was aided in his scholarly inquiry with funding from some 10 grants and contracts. As principal investigator, he researched such topics as the "Fluoride Effects of Algal Cells" to the "Multi-Species Criterion for Nutrient Analysis". His academic excellence is the primary reason for his receipt of numerous honors and awards such as a National Science Fellowship, an Academic Year Institute Fellowship, a Canadian National Research Fellowship, and NCSU's Outstanding Graduate Teaching Award. He currently holds membership in various professional associations including the American Institute of Biological Science, the Association of Southern Biologists, the Phycological Society, the North Carolina Academy of Science, and the American Society of Limnology and Oceanography.

Dr. Witherspoon is equally committed to community service. In addition to membership and office holding in Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, the evidence of his deep Christian faith and commitment to public service has manifested itself in his many community and church activities. He has served as a member of the Executive Board of the City Vista Volunteers, as Chairman of the Raleigh Pan Hellenic Council, and as a member of the Neighborhood Arts Council. Most recently, he helped to organize the African American Parents Educational Advocacy Association - a grassroots effort by parents of students enrolled in the Raleigh-Wake County Schools. Tirelessly donning yet another hat, Reverend Augustus Witherspoon served as a steward of St. Paul A. M. E. Church of Raleigh and now pastors St. Luke A. M. E. Church in Wilson, North Carolina.

Dr. Witherspoon currently resides in the city of Raleigh with Cookie, his devoted wife of many years. Scholar, humanitarian, and clergyman, Augustus Witherspoon is truly an African American renaissance man who recognizes the critical interrelationship school, church, and community play in African American advancement. His life's work is an inspiring testament to the dedication of Alpha men.

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By Rudyard Kipling

If you can keep your head when all about you are
losing theirs and blaming it on you.
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
But make allowances for their doubting too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,
Or being lied about don't deal in lies,
Or being hated don't give way to hating,
And yet don't look too good, not talk too wise,

If you can dream - and not make dreams your master,
If you can think - and not make thought your aim;
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster
And treat those two imposters just the same,
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,
Or watch the things you gave your life to broken
And stoop and build them up with worn-out tools,

If you can make one heap of all your winnings,
And risk it on one turn of pitch-and-toss,
And lose, and start again at your beginnings
And never breathe a word about your loss,
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
Except the will which says to them: "Hold On!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue
Or walk with Kings nor lose the common touch,
If neither foes nor loving friends can hurt you,
If all men count with you but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
With sixty seconds worth of distance run
Yours is the Earth and everything that's in it,
And which is more - you'll be a Man, my son!

PROGRAM

Master of Ceremonies	Raymond Perry Chairman, Recognition Committee
Welcome	Joseph N. Springer, President of Phi Lambda
Invocation	Hernando Palmer, Past President of Phi Lambda

DINNER

Music	Alpha Ensemble: Phi Lambda Chapter - accompanied by Mrs. E. M. Hayes
Music	Friends from African American Parents Educational Advocacy Association
Special Presentation	
Recognition of Special Guests	Michael Naylor
Recognition of Alpha Leadership	Orlando Hankins, Vice President of Phi Lambda
A Salute to Gus	Lawrence M. Clark Past President of Phi Lambda
Fraternal Presentation	Henry Ponder, General President of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
Fraternity Hymn	The Brotherhood (Please Stand)

ESSENCE OF ALPHA

Alpha Phi Alpha was founded on December 4, 1906, at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York. For seven young men, it was a dream and a vision.

It was during the Christmas holidays in 1905 that a small group of African American students at Cornell University left the campus in search of a college fraternity.

"Their isolation had created a need for fellowship with young men similarly placed in other colleges and universities. Moreover, their own future and the progress of their people was threatened by the philosophy inherent in the application of industrial education to the negro. There was a violent schism in leadership. Booker T. Washington was preserving a humble place in the nation for the Negro trained in simple manual skills. W. E. B. DuBois was challenging the right of our nation to limit education and social opportunity to any group of its citizens."

From its conception, Alpha Phi Alpha has been, and continues to be, the vanguard for African Americans. Its record - which is our collective record - is the record of the struggle against ignorance, poverty and discrimination. This record of service over these 86 years has come through scholarship, leadership and a firm moral commitment to be servants for all mankind.

With the precepts of leadership, scholarship and service embedded into the fabric of the fraternity, Alpha Phi Alpha has initiated over 150,000 men over these 86 years and has 800 chapters throughout the world - in the United States, the Caribbean, Africa, Europe, Korea and Japan. The fraternity was instrumental in working with the State Department to establish the first Officers' Candidate School for African Americans in 1920. Its national themes - go to high school, go to college, a voteless people is a hopeless people - and its efforts through the courts to overturn Plessy vs. Ferguson, are etched in the annals of the fraternity through the Donald G. Murray and Loyd L. Gaines court cases. The fraternity, with emphasis on leadership, has produced some of America's top African American leaders: W. E. B. DuBois, Thurgood Marshall, Martin Luther King, Jr., former Senator Edward Brooks, former Congressman Bill Gray, Executive Secretary to the Urban League Whitney Young, Paul Robeson, Adam Clayton Powell, Andrew Young, Speaker of the California House of Representatives Willie Brown, and several hundred college presidents over the years. Also, former Vice President Hubert Humphrey received honorary membership.

The Phi Lambda Chapter was established in Raleigh, North Carolina, on December 9, 1926. This Chapter, with its membership of over 150 from a wide array of professions, has made an outstanding contribution to the vitality of the African American citizens in Raleigh and Wake County and the State over the years. They too have dedicated themselves to the precepts of leadership, scholarship and service. Among the many programs that the Chapter conducts include its Outreach Programs which are aimed at working with young African American males to instill in them pride in self, sound moral character and the development of the mind.

AUGUSTUS WITHERSPOON¹

"In the House of Alpha: A Legacy"

- Inducted into Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Claflin College, 1948.
- Assistant State Director of North Carolina, 1969-1971.
- State Director of North Carolina, 1971-1982,
- National Vice-President, Southern Region, 1983-1987.
- President, Phi Lambda Chapter, Raleigh, N. C., 1990-1991.
- Chief of Staff, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., 1988-present.
- Initiated numerous state programs which were adopted by the National Body of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. including:
 - Step Show Competition
 - Black and Gold Contest
 - Oratorical Contest
- As Chief of Staff, he set up the corporate structure for the fraternity and was instrumental in helping to purchase a new building and moving the National Headquarters from Chicago, Illinois to Baltimore, Maryland.
- Responsible for the development and implementation of the national organizational structure in regions; and authored many of the national programs the fraternity has had over the last several decades.
- Past National Chairman of the Committee on Standards and Extensions.
- Chairman of the Personnel Committee of the National Body.
- Responsible for the concepts inherent in our present Standing Order Guidelines.
- Author of the **Risk Management Program**.
- At the 1992 National Convention in Los Angeles, Brother Witherspoon was given the highest honor that the fraternity can bestow upon a brother - "Alpha Award of Merit".

¹Special thanks to Mrs. Irene Clark for producing the videotape.

PHI LAMBDA CHAPTER OFFICERS

1992-1993

Elected Officers

Joseph Springer	President
Orlando E. Hankins	Vice President
Jeff Brooks	Recording Secretary
Derrick Sauls	Corresponding Secretary
Arthur Petteway	Financial Secretary
Lawrence Flint	Treasurer

Appointed Officers

P. Paul Thompson	Associate Editor to the Sphinx and Publisher of the Lambdagram.
P. Paul Thompson	Historian
Hernado Palmer	Membership Coordinator
Augustus M. Witherspoon	Director of Education
Johnny Burke	Parliamentarian
Augustus M. Witherspoon	Keeper of Records
Joseph Springer, Orlando Hankins and Raymond Perry	National Pan Hellenic Council Representatives

Recognition Committee

Raymond Perry, Chairman	Orlando Hankins
Wanser Alexander	Michael Naylor
Arnold Bell	Hernando Palmer
Leon Boyd	Joseph Springer
Lawrence Clark	P. Paul Thompson
Victor Coffey	Everett Ward
James Colson	