



## NC A&T SU RALEIGH/WAKE ALUMNI CHAPTER

### NC A&T SU Alumni Paving the Path to Success



#### Name/Title:

Douglas M. Boyd, Mayor, Town of Knightdale & Owner, Doug Boyd Enterprises, LLC

#### Birth/Family:

Mr. Douglas M. Boyd was born on January 17, 1950 in Ellerbe, NC. Mr. Boyd lives in Knightdale with his wife; Mrs. Darlene Boyd. Mr. Boyd has three children and seven grandchildren. Mr. Boyd is a member and trustee of Malaby's Crossroads Missionary Baptist Church in Knightdale, NC.

#### Education/Training:

Mr. Boyd received his Bachelor degree in Business Management from N.C. A&T State University in 1979. He has more than 25 years of experience in leadership and management positions from Platoon to Brigade Level Staff and Command positions in the United States military.

#### Employment History/Professional Experience:

Mr. Boyd Mayor Boyd has a broad range of experience and expertise in military emergency operations and disaster preparedness, response and recovery operations. He has six years of experience with the North Carolina Division of Emergency Management, and his most notable achievement was his management of the Temporary Housing Program in response to Hurricane Floyd. As a result of this outstanding accomplishment, Mr. Boyd was awarded the North Carolina Department of Crime Control and Public Safety Meritorious Award, and he was asked to organize a branch of Homeland Security. As Branch Manager for Homeland Security, he was responsible for managing \$100 million in various grants and all aspects of personnel management. Mr. Boyd administered the FEMA/State Public Assistance grant program for all North Carolina schools to recover funds from Hurricane Fran and other disasters.

Mr. Boyd worked as a Program Manager for PBS&J on disaster recovery projects in Florida and as Public Assistance Coordinator for Mississippi and other projects in North Carolina and Virginia. Mr. Boyd serves as the Maintenance and Deactivation Prime Contractor (MDC) for Area 7 in the recovery for Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. His operation responds to routine and emergency maintenance and deactivation calls 24/7 and his organization serves as a resource to provide disaster assistance to applicants. Serve as liaison to FEMA.

Mr. Boyd was elected the first African-American mayor of Knightdale, North Carolina in November of 2003. Under his leadership as mayor, the Town of Knightdale has been greatly enriched with educational and economic development.

Mr. Boyd is the owner of Doug Boyd Enterprises, LLC, which has four functional areas: 1) Disaster Management with Emphasis of Temporary Emergency Housing; 2) Leadership and Management Training; 3) Motivational Speaking; & 4) Event Catering – Known by many as “The Best Barbecue in the World”.

Mr. Boyd has established the Doug Boyd Foundation, which assist needed students in their educational and academic quest through financial assistance.

**Awards, Honors & Recognitions:**

Mr. Boyd received North Carolina Department of Crime Control and Public Safety Meritorious Service Award: Hurricane Floyd, Temporary Housing Coordination.

**Memberships/Associations:**

Mr. Boyd is a member of National Conference of Black Mayors, Inc. and North Carolina Conference of Black Mayors. Mr. Boyd is a former Vice-President and former Treasurer of the Wake County Mayor's Association. Mr. Boyd is a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

**Mayor Douglas M. Boyd has made a major contribution in paving the path to success. We honor and salute your many accomplishments.**