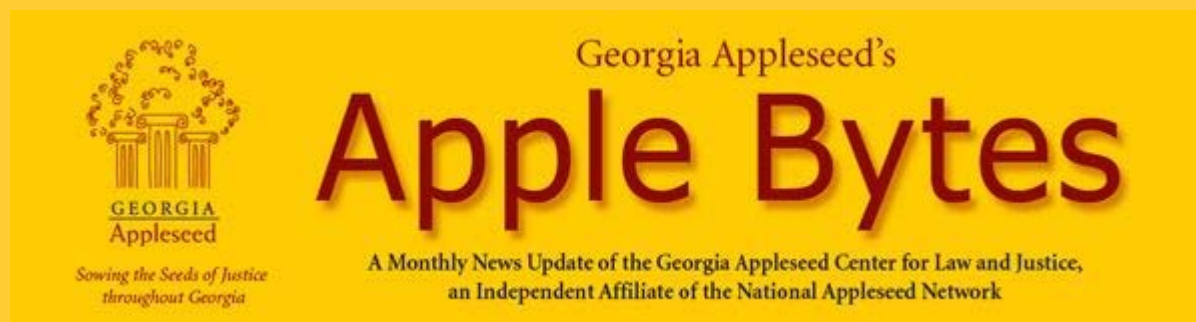


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Join us in welcoming the new Members of our Board of Directors:

[Brad Bryant](#), Esq., General Counsel, Georgia Department of Education (Atlanta, GA)
A long time volunteer with Georgia Appleseed, beginning with our JUSTGeorgia project, Brad brings his perspective as a former Board of Education member at both the local and state levels, and as Georgia State Superintendent of Schools.

[Laverne Lewis Gaskins](#), Esq., University Attorney, Valdosta State University (Valdosta, GA)
Hailing from the south central portion of Georgia, Laverne's election to our Board builds on her long standing involvement with Georgia Appleseed dating back to her participation as a JUSTGeorgia pro bono volunteer.

[John McRae](#), Educator, Bainbridge College (Bainbridge, GA)
John is a respected education leader and award-winning former principal in Southeast Georgia whose passion for public education has benefited all children, including migrant students in the region.

[Dr. Portia H. Shields](#), Interim President, Tennessee State University
We are pleased to welcome Portia back to our Board after a successful stint at Concordia College in Alabama and are grateful for her unique leadership perspective on education at all levels.

Our Board of Advisors Challenge Grant...We Did It!

Thanks to the generosity of our donors, our Board of Advisors Challenge Grant exceeded its \$10,000 goal. Our thanks to all those who contributed and helped us meet this important milestone. Special thanks to the members of our Board of Advisors who made this opportunity possible.



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