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## IRV TRUST

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My name is Irv Trust and I am asking for your support to give me the opportunity to serve on the North Carolina State Board of Pharmacy representing the Northeastern District.

I will be bringing a new perspective to the Board based on my 46 years of professional experience which included PBM's, Mail Order, Formulary Compliance, and Community Pharmacy experience which has a heavy emphasis on management positions encompassing such venues as Shop Rite Pharmacies in PA and a twenty-year career with Costco Wholesale. In addition to my community experience, I have also managed Alliance Pharmacy in Abington, PA which was an outpatient pharmacy at Abington Memorial Hospital in Abington, PA providing Hospice, Infertility, and Sterile IV services.

As you can see, I will bring a wealth of experience to the Board providing a diverse background and understanding when challenged with the task to promote public safety while working within the guidelines that are set forth by the North Carolina State legislature and Federal Government.

Early on, I recognized the value of becoming an immunizer and attended one of the first classes in PA to be licensed. I ran many vaccination clinics for both CVS and Costco realizing the importance of keeping our patients safe from many diseases. This drive for health was even more impactful when I became FEMA certified during the COVID pandemic.

I also have a strong drive to volunteer and give back to my pharmacy and public communities. I am a lifetime member on the Temple U School of Pharmacy Alumni Association Executive Board holding positions of the President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer, member of NCAP in which I have advocated for pharmacy friendly legislation, Wake County HHS Public Health Committee as a community representative, NLX/SE/MOUD subcommittee of Wake Overdose Prevention Coalition, and docent at both the Capitol Building in Raleigh and NC Museum of History which gives me so much joy in giving back to the families throughout the State.

After reviewing my qualifications and background, you get the sense that I can bring a well-rounded and fresh perspective to the Board.

I would like to thank all of my fellow pharmacy professionals in advance for trusting me with their vote.