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MONDAY MORNING, 25 OCTOBER, 2004

The 29th Annual Meeting of the International Plant Propagators' Society-Southern Region of North America convened at 7:45 AM at the Hyatt Regency, Greenville, South Carolina, with President Diane Dunn presiding.

PRESIDENT DIANE DUNN

President Dunn welcomed everyone to Greenville, South Carolina for the 29th Annual Meeting of the International Plant Propagators' Society-Southern Region of North America (IPPS-SRNA). She thanked Local Site Committee Chair Bob Smart and his committee for the long hours in arranging the tours, hotel, and other planning activities. She also thanked Program Chair and 1st Vice-President Bill Turk for the excellent program and slate of speakers. She then asked all guests to stand and be recognized and encouraged the membership to make them feel welcome during the meeting. President Dunn then introduced Local Site Committee Chairman Bob Smart.

LOCAL SITE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN BOB SMART

Chairman Smart welcomed everyone to Greenville. He mentioned that he and his committee had been planning for this meeting for the past 5 years and that it was an honor to have the IPPS-SRNA come to Greenville, South Carolina, and to meet and tour local nurseries. He acknowledged the local sponsors of this meeting: BWI, Southern Ag Insecticides, Harrels Fertilizer, Scotts Company, M.L. Irrigation, Western Carolinas Horticulture Alliance, South Carolina Nursery and Landscape Association, Helena Chemical Co., and Buds and Blooms Nursery. He then introduced Program Chairman Bill Turk.

PROGRAM CHAIR BILL TURK

Chairman Turk welcomed all members and guests. He then reviewed the program and sessions. The Question Box was scheduled for Tuesday evening to be co-chaired by Nick Hand and Francois Brun-Wibaux. Turk then introduced Flint Johnson to moderate the 1st session.