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Madam President:

Due to the NC District Director, Linda Harkleroad's absence. I am giving a abbreviated report. First, Linda Harkleroad had a fall and injured her shoulder to the point of a replacement which leads to rehab and long-term therapy.

Before Linda's fall she had visited six of the seven NC District Clubs and was due to visit the seventh the day before her accident. She did note in a text to me that most of the clubs have or are having Christmas parties and beginning to plan next year's programs. Also, the Four Winds Scholarship Auction grossed over \$,1300 dollars.

*NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT DIRECTOR, Linda Harkleroad, opened the meeting with her welcome and reported on her activities and visits to the Clubs in our District, TGCI Board Meetings, The National Garden Club Convention in Denver and the Central Region Convention in Illinois. She also mentioned her attendance in the future at more Clubs in our district, which she enjoys, and to be sure members address any concerns or ideas with her for making our Clubs more productive and enjoyable. She stated that her newsletter would continue after each State Board Meeting, to keep everyone informed of the latest news.*

*DISTRICT DIRECTOR REPORT: Linda Harkleroad reminded all of the 2027 State Convention the North Central District will be hosting and the importance of preparing early for this event. We are in need of a venue that would hopefully offer food service, as well as meeting rooms. She advised everyone to scout their areas for accommodations and report ideas to club presidents. Finally, The National Gardener and Indiana Gardens publications can be found online, and she encouraged all club members to read them.*

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