

## STATEMENT FROM THE PRESIDENT GENERAL

*Reaffirmation of the Objectives  
Of the  
United Daughters of the Confederacy®*

WHEREAS, The United Daughters of the Confederacy® is a tax-exempt, non-profit organization whose objectives are Historical, Benevolent, Educational, Memorial, and Patriotic; AND

WHEREAS, The United Daughters of the Confederacy® is an organization dedicated to the purpose of honoring the memory of its Confederate ancestors; protecting, preserving and marking the places made historic by Confederate valor; collecting and preserving the material for a truthful history of the War Between the States; recording the participation of Southern women in their patient endurance of hardship and patriotic devotion during and after the War Between the States; fulfilling the sacred duty of benevolence toward the survivors and those dependent upon them; assisting descendants of worthy Confederates in securing a proper education; honoring the service of veterans from all wars as well as active duty military personnel; and cherishing the ties of friendship among the members of the organization, AND

WHEREAS, The United Daughters of the Confederacy® is a patriotic organization which honors and upholds the United States of America and respects its Flag, AND

WHEREAS, The United Daughters of the Confederacy® does not subscribe to policies of individuals, groups or organizations that do not honor and respect the United States of America and its Flag,

THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN, that The United Daughters of the Confederacy® does not associate with or include in its official UDC functions and events, any individual, group or organization known as unpatriotic, militant, racist, or subversive to the United States of America and its Flag, AND

BE IT FURTHER KNOWN, that The United Daughters of the Confederacy® will not associate with any individual, group or organization identified as being militant, unpatriotic, racist or subversive to the United States of America and its Flag.

*Janice K. Langford  
President General 2006–2008*

*Reaffirmed:  
Jane Grier Durden  
President General 2008–2010*

*Martha Rogers Van Schaick  
President General 2010–2012*