

**BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM**

MEETING DATE: 03/04/2014

Action Requested:

Requesting to add additional staff to City-County Bureau of Identification (CCBI/CDE) in response to increased data needs due to implementation of NCAware.

Buncombe County was the last of 100 Counties to participate in NCAware as we knew it would heavily impact our local Criminal Justice Community.

The State required all Counties to participate in NCAware without regard as to how its implementation may affect local resources in regard to information gathering and data sharing.

Meeting the State's requirement of participation in NCAware significantly changed local process and procedure. This has resulted in the need to add staff to meet daily public safety needs.

List NC General Statute Requiring This Service (if any):

§ 15A-301.1. Electronic Repository. *Incorporating NCAware per this Statute has greatly increased data entry needs on the local level and impacted the entire Criminal Justice Information community (CJIS).*

Funds and/or Staff requested:

1043130: Add 1 additional Office Assistant staff person

1043250: Add 2 additional ID Tech positions providing 24x7 data entry services to the CJIS community.

Request submitted by: Pat Freeman, Director (CCBI/CDE)

Date Submitted: 02/26/2014