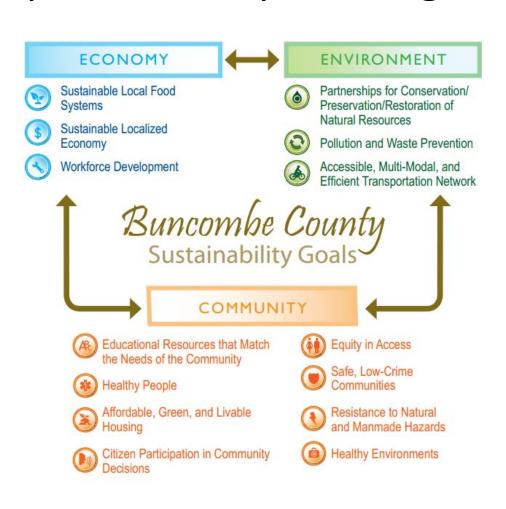
Buncombe County Community Funding

Grants to nonprofit organizations that are working on community outcomes in alignment with Buncombe County sustainability goals



Governing body receives regular performance reports

Board of Commissioners sets funding priorities

Agencies apply online using WNC common grant approach

Staff provide technical assistance & outcomes support

Performancebased contracts are established & monitored

> Agencies submit financial information for review

Annual Grants
Process

Agencies make oral presentations in support of their applications

Staff review applications, provide analysis and compile information

Nonprofit partner, Buncombe County Service Foundation administers funds Commissioners discuss and approve grants with adoption of county budget

Resolution on Funding of Non-Profit Agencies

- 2008: Resolution 08-04-02 establishes application process, performance contracting & capital funding limitations
- **2013**: Resolution 13-05-01 sets a guideline for administrative costs & a requirement for nonprofit financial assurances
- 2016: Proposed changes -
 - Clarifies department-level contracts vs. Community Development Grants
 - Tiered structure for financial reporting requirements
 - Requirement that funds shall serve only Buncombe County residents
 - Open meetings/public records requirement for nonprofit boards
 - Funding restricted to start-up with a 3-year limit