

Buncombe County Health and Human Services

Public Assistance & Work Support Strategies - Public Health - Social Work Services - Veterans Services

Stoney Blevins Health and Human Services Director

Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

June 26, 2018

Dear Board of Commissioners:

Enclosed are the recommendations of the ACC allocations committee for Home and Community Care Block Grant and County funding for Aging Services in FY19. The allocations committee received and evaluated applications for funding from 30 programs and will be able to provide funding for 20 continuing programs/agencies and two new ones with these proposed funding recommendations.

This year, in accordance with the newly adopted Buncombe County Aging Plan for 2018-2023, we set aside up to 5% of the County Supplemental funding for innovative start-up programs and were able to offer funding to four groups planning to offer these services. These services aim to provide assistance to older adults from a more preventative approach.

All proposed funded programs tie directly to goals on the current BC Aging plan, and all funded programs this FY will be held to accountability standards outlined by Results Based Acountability.

We thank you for your continued support of aging services in Buncombe County, and consideration of these funding recommendations.

Sincerely,

Christina Stenhouse Adult Services Program Manager ACC allocations committee member

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