BUNCOMBE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

Exhibit 3

Balance Sheet Governmental Funds

JUNE 30, 2007

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets (Exhibit 1) are different because:

Total fund balances - total governmental funds

\$ 121,477,061

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.

98,869,374

Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current-period expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.

741,647

Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of certain activities, such as insurance, to individual funds. The assets and liabilities of certain internal service funds are included in governmental activities in the statement of net assets.

10,972,320

Liabilities for earned but deferred revenues in fund statements.

706,367

Some liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds (Note 1).

(187,152,128)

Net assets of governmental activities

\$ 45,614,641