



ORDINANCE # _____

BUNCOMBE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA
General Fund

BOARD MEETING DATE: March 17, 2020

WHEREAS, the Budget Director recommends and the Board now desires to amend the FY2019-2020 General Fund as outlined below in Exhibit "A" to the budget, **NOW THEREFORE**,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe as follows:

1. That the FY 2019-2020 amendments listed in Exhibit A below be hereby adopted.
2. That this ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 17th day of March, 2020.

Project Name:	Appropriation of funding related to the Declaration of Local State of Emergency / COVID-19
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Project Description:	<p>COVID-19 is a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death by the SARS-CoV-2 virus, which is a new strain of coronavirus previously unidentified in humans and which can spread from person to person. In response to the global spread of the virus and the disease it causes, the World Health Organization has declared COVID-19 a Public Health Emergency of International Concern; the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") has warned of the high public health threat posed by COVID-19 globally and in the United States and has deemed it necessary to prohibit or restrict travel to areas designated by the CDC; the United States Department of Health and Human Services Secretary declared a public health emergency in the United States for COVID-19; and the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services ("NCDHHS") confirmed multiple cases of COVID-19 in North Carolina as of March 10, 2020. Accordingly, on March 10, 2020 the State of North Carolina, through the Office of the Governor, Roy Cooper issued Executive Order No. 116 titled "Declaration of a State of Emergency to Coordinate Response and Protective Actions to Prevent the Spread of Covid-19."</p> <p>In consultation and with the approval of the Board of Commissioners, County Management proposes a the declaration of local state of emergency to ensure that COVID-19 remains controlled and that residents and visitors in Buncombe County remain safe and secure. This amendment provides available emergency funding in the event of necessary expenditures due to declared state of emergency.</p>
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Funding Source:	General fund - fund balance
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Exhibit A:	Increase (Decrease)	
	Revenues	Expenditures
Account Description		
Fund 100 Public Safety		\$ 350,000
Fund 100 Human Services		\$ 75,000
Fund 100 General Government		\$ 75,000
4310: Appropriated Fund Balance	\$ 500,000	
TOTAL	\$ 500,000	\$ 500,000

ATTEST:

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR
THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE:**

Clerk to the Board

By: _____
Chairman of the Board