



## Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

### Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: 07/21/2020

#### New Business

**Department:**

Budget

**Presenter(s):**

Jennifer Barnette

**Contact(s):**

Jennifer Barnette

**Subject:**

Methodist Home for Children Contract

**Brief Summary:**

The NC Department of Public Safety has renewed the contract of \$900,000 per year for the Western Area Multi-Purpose Juvenile Crisis and Assessment Center for FY21. Services are provided by the Methodist Home for Children. This program delivers evidence-based services in a non-secure residential setting. These services include, but are not limited to, temporary crisis care, assessment and therapeutic residential services as a Dispositional Alternative, defined in NCGS 7B-2506, for Level II Adjudicated male and female youth.

Buncombe County serves as a pass-through for these funds. Administration and monitoring is the responsibility of NCDPS.

**Recommended Motion & Requested Action:**

Approve budget amendment

**County Manager's Comments & Recommendation:**

County Manager recommends as presented.