



## **Buncombe County Board of Commissioners**

### **Request for Board Action**

**Meeting Date: 9/15/2020**

#### **New Business**

**Department:** Sustainability

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**Subject:** High Performance Building Resolution

#### **Brief Summary:**

In order to advance the County's Strategic goal of reducing greenhouse gas emissions, staff recommends having formal policies in place to guide its growth. As facilities represent a significant portion of its greenhouse gas emissions, staff is proposing the adoption of a high performance building resolution. This resolution will require new construction and major renovation projects to follow the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) guidelines to increase building efficiency and environmental quality.

#### **Recommended Motion & Requested Action:**

Staff recommends adoption of the High Performance Building Resolution

#### **County Manager's comments and Recommendation:**

Recommends approval as presented