**ORDINANCE #** 



## BUNCOMBE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA Grant Projects Ordinance

## BOARD MEETING DATE: February 2, 2021

WHEREAS, the Budget Director recommends and the Board now desires to amend the FY2020-2021 Grants Projects 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 2020-2021 amendments listed in Exhibit A below be hereby adopted.
- 2. That this ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 2nd day of February, 2021

Grant Name: Emergency Rental Assistance Grant

**Project Description:** Buncombe County has received a grant from the U.S. Department of the Treasury for Emergency Rental Assistance. This program is to assist households that are unable to pay rent and utilities due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The funds may be used for direct financial assistance, including rent, rental arrears, utilities and home energy costs, utilities and home energy cost arrears , and other expenses related to housing. The funds generally expire on December 31, 2021 but may be eligible for a 90 day extension. Up to 10% of the grant may be used for Administrative costs. The Health and Human Services department will be administering this grant and is requesting four grant-funded positions (one full-time Grant Manager position, and 3 other full-time positions to assist in determining eligibility and processing transactions) and will also use five existing HHS staff. A small portion of the grant will be used for office supplies and other needs to administer the grant.

## Funding Source:

U.S. Department of the Treasury

Exhibit A: Account Description		Increase (Decrease)			
		Revenues		Expenditures	
Restricted Intergovernmental Expenditures		\$	7,877,876	\$	7,887,876
	TOTAL	\$	7,877,876	\$	7,887,876

ATTEST:

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE:

By:

Clerk to the Board