

Tony Baldwin, Ed.D., Superintendent

175 Bingham Road, Asheville, NC 28806
P 828.255.5921 F 828.255.5923
www.buncombe.k12.nc.us

May 10, 2021

Ms. Avril Pinder
County Manager
Buncombe County Government
200 College Street, Suite 300
Asheville, NC 28801

SUBJECT: Buncombe County Schools Lottery Application

Ms. Pinder:

The Buncombe County Schools Board of Education approved a Lottery Application in the amount of \$1,000,000 for security hardware upfit at all perimeter doors at schools.

Please include this item on the May 18, 2021 Commissioners meeting agenda for their consideration. If approved and executed by the County Commission Chair, please mail the original to my attention and I will submit to NCDPI. Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,



Timothy Fierle, AIA
Director of Facilities

Attachment: Executed Lottery Application

CC: Dr. Tony Baldwin, BCS Superintendent
Ms. Deborah Frisby, BCS Chief Financial Officer
Mr. Joseph Hough, BCS Assistant Superintendent
Mr. Lamar Joyner, Clerk to Buncombe County Commissioners
Ms. Tina Thorpe, BCS Assistant Finance Officer/Capital Outlay Budget Facilitator

**APPLICATION
PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING CAPITAL FUND
NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY**

Approved: _____

Date: _____

County: Buncombe

Contact Person: Tina Thorpe

LEA: Buncombe County Schools #110

Title: Assistant Finance Officer

Address: 175 Bingham Rd. Asheville, NC 28804

Phone: 828-255-5943

Project Title: Security Initiative

Location: Multiple Schools

Type of Facility: School Building

North Carolina General Statutes, Chapter 18C, provides that a portion of the proceeds of the North Carolina State Lottery Fund be transferred to the Public School Building Capital Fund in accordance with G.S. 115C-546.2. Further, G.S. 115C-546.2 (d) has been amended to include the following:

- (3) No county shall have to provide matching funds...
- (4) A county may use monies in this Fund to pay for school construction projects in local school administrative units and to retire indebtedness incurred for school construction projects.
- (5) A county may not use monies in this Fund to pay for school technology needs.

As used in this section, "Public School Buildings" shall include only facilities for individual schools that are used for instructional and related purposes, and does not include central administration, maintenance, or other facilities. **Applications must be submitted within one year following the date of final payment to the Contractor or Vendor.**

Short description of Construction Project: Security hardware upfit at perimeter check with doors at schools

Estimated Costs:

Purchase of Land	_____	\$	_____
Planning and Design Services	_____		_____
New Construction	_____		_____
Additions / Renovations	_____		1,000,000.00
Repair	_____		_____
Debt Payment / Bond Payment	_____		_____
TOTAL	_____	\$	1,000,000.00

Estimated Project Beginning Date: 07/01/2021

Est. Project Completion Date: 08/2022

We, the undersigned, agree to submit a statement of state monies expended for this project within 60 days following completion of the project.

The County Commissioners and the Board of Education do hereby jointly request approval of the above project, and request release of \$ 1,000,000.00 from the Public School Building Capital Fund (Lottery Distribution). We certify that the project herein described is within the parameters of G.S. 115C-546.

(Signature — Chair, County Commissioners)

(Date)

Ann B. Franklin

5/6/21

(Signature — Chair, Board of Education)

(Date)