

## **Buncombe County Board of Commissioners**

## **Request for Board Action**

Meeting Date: June 1, 2021

## Consent

Department: Presenter(s):

Health and Human Services Jennifer Barnette, Budget

**Contact(s):** Phillip Hardin, Health and Human Services

Jennifer Barnette, Budget

**Subject:** Budget Amendment for funding

## **Brief Summary:**

The Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) is a seasonal program that provides for a one-time vendor payment to help eligible households pay their heating bills. The state has provided additional funds in the amount of \$78,227 for this program to provide a one-time supplement to all households who have received assistance this year. NC DHHS has asked local departments to process these supplement payments immediately upon receipt of the dollars.

**Recommended Motion & Requested Action:** 

Approve budget amendment

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

County Manager recommends as presented