



Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: 3/7/2023

Good News

Department: Communications & Public Engagement

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Subject: Special Recognition for County Employees

Brief Summary: Recently, the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Association of Asheville and Buncombe County announced the first recipients of its John Lewis Award, two of whom were Commissioner Al Whitesides and Sheriff Quentin Miller. In addition, Asheville Black Wallstreet honored County Manager Avril Pinder with the Community History Maker Award and Community Development Specialist Leonard Jones with the Community Leader Award.