

FY24 Community Investments



Early Childhood Education and Development

- Total funding amount = \$3,892,756
- Purpose: Advancing the strategic priority to ensure that every child in Buncombe County has an equal opportunity to thrive during their first 2,000 days, including access to early childhood education
- 16 organizations funded supporting 21 programs



Isaac Coleman Grants

- Total funding amount = \$500,000
- Purpose: Targeted investments in our communities that are currently working toward eliminating racial disparities and to champion equitable opportunity
- Five organizations funded



Tipping Point Grants

- Total funding amount = \$100,000
- Purpose: Amplify community efforts toward building resiliency
- 20 organizations funded



Strategic Partnership Grants

- Total funding amount = \$900,000
- Purpose: Support nonprofit organizations working toward outcomes in alignment with County Commissioner goals in the County's adopted Strategic Plan
- 22 organizations funded supporting 23 programs



Juvenile Crime Prevention Council

- Total funding amount = \$644,477
- Purpose: To reduce and prevent juvenile crime
- Five organizations funded supporting six programs



Home and Community Care Block Grant/Buncombe County Supplemental Aging Funds

- Total funding amount = \$2,200,000
 - HCCBG = \$1,700,000
 - BC SAF = \$500,000
- Purpose: To encourage and maintain independence for persons over 60 as well as provide protection for older adults
- 15 organizations funded supporting 20 programs



Affordable Housing Services Program (AHSP)

- Total funding amount = \$4,064,714
 - FY24 AHSP allocation = \$2,311,845
 - FY22 unallocated AHSP = \$4,367
 - FY23 unallocated AHSP = \$1,748,502
- Purpose: To support public and private sector organizations to promote, preserve, and prioritize affordable housing within the County
- Nine organizations funded supporting 514 units/households



Affordable Housing General Obligation Bond Projects

- Total funding amount = \$13,394,195
- Four organizations funded supporting 398 affordable housing units

