



Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: September 5, 2023

Consent Agenda

Department: Sheriff's Office

Presenter(s): Lynn Smith, BC Sheriff's Office Budget Director
Elizabeth Russell, Grants Specialist

Contact(s): Lynn Smith, BC Sheriff's Office Budget Director
Major Don Eberhardt, Support Operations/Training

Subject: Approval of Governor's Highway Safety Program - DWI Task Force Year IV

Brief Summary: The North Carolina Governor's Highway Safety Program (GHSP) has approved the Buncombe County application for fiscal year 2023 beginning Oct. 1, 2023 to proceed to next stage of funding process, pending submission of the Agreement of Conditions and Resolution. Final approval of funds will be made in late September. In Year 4, the DWI Task Force will continue to receive funds for three sworn officers, and associated project operational expenses in the amount of \$154,481; the County match for the program in FY 2024 is \$154,480, which is already within the Sheriff's Office FY24 budget, for a total program cost of \$308,961. No new funds are required.

Recommended Motion & Requested Action:

- 1) Adopt Local Governmental Resolution, and
- 2) Authorize the County Sheriff and the County Manager to sign and file the Agreement of Conditions prescribed by the Governor's Highway Safety Program for federal funding

County Manager's Comments & Recommendation: County Manager recommends as presented