



Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: April 1, 2025

Consent Agenda

Department:

Strategy & Innovation

Presenter(s): Rafael Baptista

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Rafael Baptista

Subject:

Hazard Mitigation Grant Agreement Interlocal Agreements

Brief Summary:

The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) is a federal program administered by North Carolina Emergency Management (NCEM) to reduce hazards and risks, including the acquisition of repeatedly damaged residential and commercial properties after disasters. HMGP is a partnership between NCEM and Buncombe County.

These interlocal agreements (ILAs) define the relationship between Buncombe County and the City of Asheville, the Town of Black Mountain, and the Town of Weaverville. The ILAs allow property within a municipality to be transferred directly from the state to that municipality. The County assumes no long-term obligations or financial impact under these agreements.

Recommended Motion & Requested Action:

Approve the resolution authorizing Buncombe County to enter into interlocal agreements with the City of Asheville, Town of Black Mountain, and the Town of Weaverville to administer the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

County Manager's Comments & Recommendations:

County Manager recommends as presented.