



# Gaston County

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Board of Commissioners  
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## Fire Marshal

## Board Action

File #: 17-131

Commissioner Grant - Fire Marshal - To Approve the Transfer of Accumulated Funds Realized from Past Tax Collections, Revaluation, Interest Earned, Etc. to Tryonota Fire Department (\$63,240)

### STAFF CONTACT

Eric Hendrix - Fire Marshal - 704-866-3231

### BUDGET IMPACT

These transfers are keeping within current policy to transfer accumulated funds

### BUDGET ORDINANCE IMPACT

Transferring accumulated funds from Fund Balance Appropriated Account to Tryonota Fire Department Subsidies Account

### BACKGROUND

On occasion funds accumulate in fire district taxing accounts through the realization of past taxes being collected, property revaluation between budgets and account interest earned. This action will transfer such accumulated funds to Tryonota Fire Department. Chief Justin Barnes submitted a spending plan (see attached) and Tryonota's request for approval to ask the Commissioners to release \$63,240 of their reserve funds to them. Tryonota will use the reserve funds toward the purchase of creating a water point at the station, furnishing the interior of their remodeled fire department and installing a diesel generator. Barry Wilson made a motion to recommend to the Commissioners that they release \$63,240 reserve funds to Tryonota. Jeff Hovis seconded the motion. There was no further discussion or opposition. The vote was unanimous. The motion carried.

### POLICY IMPACT

N/A

### ATTACHMENTS

Budget Change Request and Tryonota Fire Department's Spending Plan for Reserve Fund

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I, Donna S. Buff, Clerk to the County Commission, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of action taken by the Board of Commissioners as follows:

NO.	DATE	M1	M2	Brown	Fraley	Grant	Hovis	Kelgher	Philbeck	Worley	Vote
2017-116	04/25/2017	RW	DG	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	U

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## GASTON COUNTY BUDGET CHANGE REQUEST

TO: Earl Mathers COUNTY MANAGER

FROM: 4340 Fire Marshal  
Dept. # Department Name  
Department Director's Signature 4/6/2017  
Date

### TYPE OF REQUEST:

☐ Line Item Transfer Within Department & Fund

☐ Line Item Transfer Between Funds \*

☐ Project Transfer Within Department & Fund

☒ Additional Appropriation of Funds \*

☐ Line Item Transfer Between Departments\*

\* Requires resolution by the Board of Commissioners

Resolution #

Date

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION (As it appears in the budget)	ACCOUNT NUMBER	PROJECT	AMOUNT
	Fund - Dept - Subdept - Div - Acct - Subacct	SUBPROJECT	Whole Dollars Only
	XX - XXXX - XXXX - XXXX - XXX - XXX	XXXXX - XXXX	(See Note Below)
Fund Balance Appropriated	28-9900-991-500		(63,240)
*Additional Subsidies (A/S)			
Chestnut Ridge: A/S	28-4403-699-036		21,568
Tryonota: A/S	28-4417-699-036		41,672

### JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:

Chief Justin Barnes submitted a spending plan (see attached) and Tryonota's request for approval to ask the Commissioners to release \$63,240 of their reserve funds to them. This will include Chestnut Ridge (\$21,568) and Tryonota (\$41,672). Tryonota will use the reserve funds toward the purchase of creating a water point at the station, furnishing the interior of their remodeled fire department and installing a diesel generator. Barry Wilson made a motion to recommend to the Commissioners that they release \$63,240 reserve funds to Tryonota. Jeff Hovis seconded the motion. There was no further discussion or opposition. The vote was unanimous. The motion carried.

### APPROVAL SIGNATURES:

County Manager/Interim Assistant County Manager Date

Financial Operations Manager/Asst. Financial Operations Mgr. Date

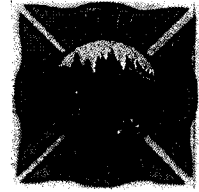
Interim Budget Administrator

Date

Note: Decreases in expenditures & increases in revenue accounts require brackets. Increases in expenditures & decreases in revenue do not require brackets. Please note that transfers between funds require interfund transfer accounts.

**TRYONOTA FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**2577 Tryon Courthouse Road  
Bessemer City, NC 28016-7645**



**March 2, 2017**

**To: Fire Advisory Board**

**This is to request the dispersal of funds held in the “overage account” for Tryonota Fire Department.**

**These funds will be used for:**

1. Creating a water point at the station by purchasing a storage tank and installing it at the department for a source of water. This will help in possibly lowering our insurance rating to have a water supply at the station. Estimated Cost is \$15,000.
2. Furnishing the interior of our soon to be remodeled department with furnishings. Estimated Cost \$15,000.
3. Install a diesel generator sized for the remodeled building for emergency power to better serve the needs of the community. Estimated Cost of \$40,000.

**Thank you for your assistance in getting these funds released to Tryonota.**

**Sincerely.**

**Billy Farris**

**Treasurer - Tryonota**

**Volunteer Fire Department**