

## **Gaston County**

Gaston County
Board of Commissioners
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### **Finance**

## **Board Action**

File #: 21-190

Commissioner Philbeck - Finance - To Appropriate 2019 Vehicle Financing Interest Earnings and Unspent Proceeds Totaling \$48,766 for Payment to Bank of America (\$48,766)

#### **STAFF CONTACT**

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#### **BUDGET IMPACT**

Appropriate interest earnings and unspent proceeds from General Fund fund balance totaling \$48,766 and transfers it to the Capital Improvements Fund through the Community Investment Fund. Proceeds and interest earnings were originally appropriated in the General Fund.

#### **BUDGET ORDINANCE IMPACT**

There is minimal impact to the Budget Ordinance.

#### **BACKGROUND**

Gaston County entered into a financing contract on February 1, 2019 with Bank of America for the installment financing of county vehicles and other rolling stock. Proceeds from the financing were deposited into an interest bearing account with the NC Capital Management Trust (NCCMT). Interest earnings totaling \$46,046 have accrued on the funds. Also, there are \$2,720 in unspent proceeds due to vehicles/accessories costing less than the original quote. Per the County's Master Equipment Financing Agreement with Bank of America, at the Lender's discretion based on the amount remaining, any unspent funds remaining after the project is completed must be paid to Bank of America and applied as a prepayment of the remaining balance. Bank of America has requested the interest earnings and unspent proceeds totaling \$48,766 be submitted as a prepayment toward the remaining balance of the 2019 financing. This Board Action and Budget Change Request, if approved, appropriates the interest earnings and unspent proceeds for the payment to Bank of America.

#### **POLICY IMPACT**

N/A

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

**Budget Change Request (BCR)** 

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# 2019 Vehicle Financing / Refund to Bank of America Budget Change Request

Account Description	Account Number	Amount
Fund Balance Appropriated	010-99-9900-0000-490000-	(48,766)
Transfers to Community Investment Fund	010-98-9800-0000-580041-	48,766
Transfers from General Fund	041-98-9800-0000-480010-	(48,766)
Transfers to Capital Improvement Fund	041-98-9800-0000-580040-	48,766
Transfers from Community Investment Fund	040-98-9800-0000-480041-	(48,766)
Misc: 2019 Vehicle Financing	040-01-4199-0000-520017-19070	48,766

#### Justification for Request:

This Budget Change Request appropriates interest earnings and unspent proceeds in the amount of \$48,765.86 remaining from the 2019 agreement with Bank of America for rolling stock and equipment. Per the Master Equipment Financing Agreement, Bank of America is requesting the County to return the \$48,765.86 as a prepayment toward the outstanding balance.