



Gaston County

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DHHS - Social Services Division Board Action

File #: 25-566

Commissioner Keigher - DHHS - Social Services Division - To Accept and Appropriate Donations Received for Hope for the Holidays Project in the Amount of \$50,000

STAFF CONTACT

Shannon Myers - Director of Social Services - 704-862-6721

BUDGET IMPACT

General Fund: Increase Hope for the Holidays donations revenue and decrease the fund balance appropriation by \$50,000 (no net budget impact to revenues). These donations offset budgeted \$50,000 in operating expenditures and return County funds to fund balance. No County Funds Required.

BACKGROUND

The Gaston County Department of Social Services received a donation from an anonymous donor for the 2025 season of Hope for the Holidays Project in the amount of \$50,000 to purchase Christmas gifts for children in need in Gaston County. The donation offsets budgeted revenues and returns County funds to General Fund fund balance.

POLICY IMPACT

N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Budget Change Request (BCR)

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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:

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GASTON COUNTY BUDGET CHANGE REQUEST (BCR)

TO: Matthew Rhoten, County Manager

FROM:	DSS	Social Services
	Dept. Code	Department Name

Shannon Myers	10/31/25
Department Director	Date

REQUEST TYPE: Line-Item Transfer Within Department & Fund
 Project Transfer Within Department & Fund
 Line-Item Transfer Between Departments
 Line-Item Transfer Between Funds*
 Additional Appropriation of Funds*

*Requires resolution by the Board of Commissioners

** Decreases in expenditures and increases in revenue accounts require brackets. Increases in expenditures and decreases in revenue do not require brackets. Please note that transfers between funds require inter-fund transfer accounts.

JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:

Appropriate funds donated from an anonymous donor for the 2025 season of Hope for the Holidays Project that purchases Christmas gifts for children in need in Gaston County.