



Gaston County

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Board of Commissioners
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Fire Marshal

Board Action

File #: 19-136

Commissioner Chad Brown - Fire Marshal - To Approve the Transfer of Accumulated Funds Realized from Past Tax Collections, Revaluation, Interest Earned, Etc. to Community Volunteer Fire Department (\$46,000)

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 Community Volunteer Fire Department

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 Community Volunteer Fire Department. Mark Sigmon was in attendance at the Gaston County Fire Advisory Board Meeting on 3/20/19 to answer questions regarding Community's request for approval to ask the Commissioners to release \$46,000 of their reserve funds to them. Chief Robert Jackson had previously submitted a spending plan (attached) that identified needs as apparatus bay floor repair and resurface: \$28,306 and replacement of turnout gear that is either damaged or exceeds NFPA 1851 inspection criteria: \$19,000. Discussion followed. Ted Hendrix made a motion to recommend to the Commissioners that they release \$46,000 reserve funds to Community. Brian Weyeneth 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 Request for Reserve Funds - Community VFD

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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	CBrown	JBrown	AFraley	BHovis	TKelgher	TPinkney	Vote
2019-111	04/23/2019	BH	JB	A	A	A	A	A	AB	U

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A=AYE, N=NAY, AB=ABSENT, ABS=ABSTAIN, U=UNANIMOUS

GASTON COUNTY BUDGET CHANGE REQUEST

TO: Earl Mathers COUNTY MANAGER

FROM: 4340 Fire Marshal
Dept. # Department Name

Eric H. Hendrix 3/21/2019
Department Director's Name 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

ACCOUNT DESCRIPTION (As it appears in the budget)	ACCOUNT NUMBER	AMOUNT
	Fund - Function - Dept - Division - Object - Project	Whole Dollars Only
	xxx - xx - xxxx - xxxx - xxxxx - xxxxxx	(See Note Below)
Fund Balance Appropriated	028-99-9900-0000-490000	(46,000)
*Additional Subsidies (A/S)		
Community Volunteer Fire Dept.	028-02-4405-0000-570007	46,000

JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:

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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.



**Community Volunteer Fire Department
Station 32**

**To: Gaston County Fire Advisory Board
From: Community Volunteer Fire Department
Subject: Request for Holdback Monies**

Community Volunteer Fire Department Board of Directors has approved this request for \$46,000 in Holdback Monies for the following purchases and Fire Station Apparatus Floor repair and resurfacing.

Apparatus Bay Floor repair and resurface: \$28,306.00

Replacement of Turnout Gear. Gear is either damaged or exceeds NFPA 1851 inspection criteria. Total \$19,000.

Respectfully,

**Robert G Jackson
Fire Chief, Community Volunteer Fire Department**

**1873 Perfection Rd
Belmont NC 28012
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Jackson, Robert G

From: Jackson, Robert G
Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 2:47 PM
To: 'cfdst32@gmail.com'
Subject: FW: Community's Reserve Funds

Sandy,
Numbers for next meeting

From: Haney, Patsy [mailto:phaney@gcps.org]
Sent: Wednesday, February 13, 2019 3:18 PM
To: Jackson, Robert G <Robert.Jackson@duke-energy.com>
Cc: 'Byron Hooker' <bhooker32@carolina.rr.com>
Subject: Community's Reserve Funds

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Good Afternoon All:

As of 6/30/18, the reserve fund balance for Community Fire Dept. is \$46,736.33 .

Thanks,
Patsy