



Gaston County

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Board of Commissioners
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Emergency Management and Fire Services

Board Action

File #: 25-404

Commissioner Hovis - Emergency Management/Fire Services - To Approve the Appropriation of Unified Fire Protection Service District Fund Balance for the Purchase of 8 Starlinks (\$5,000)

STAFF CONTACT

Vincent Wong - County Manager's Office - 704-866-3277

BUDGET IMPACT

Increase Unified Fire Protection Service District revenues (fund balance appropriation) by \$5,000.00. Increase expenditures by \$5,000 00

BACKGROUND

At the July 15, 2025 Gaston County Fire Commission Meeting, Mr. Brian Weyeneth made a motion to approve the purchase of two large and six mini Starlink units, Commissioner Bob Hovis seconded. None opposed. The motion was passed unanimously (Hovis, Zander, Weyeneth, Withers, Westbrook, Smith, Albaugh)

POLICY IMPACT

N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Budget Change Request (BCR); Starlink Quote

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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	JBailey	CBrown	CCloninger	AFraley	BHovis	TKeigher	SShehan	Vote
2025-279	08/26/2025	TK	JB	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	U

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

GASTON COUNTY BUDGET CHANGE REQUEST (BCR)

TO: Matthew Rhoten, County Manager

FROM EMG Emergency Management & Fire Service

Dept. Code Department Name

Vincent Wong

07/22/2025

Department Director

Date

REQUEST TYPE.

☐ 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	ACCOUNT NUMBER	AMOUNT**
As it appears in Munis	4 3 3 5 6 7 4 2 6 5 Fund Dept Div SubDiv Prog SubProg Future Func Obj Proj xxxx xxx xxx xxxx xxxxxx xxxxxx xxxx xx xxxxxx xxxxx	
Ex. Employee Training	Ex. 1000-BGT-000-00000-000000-0000000-0000-01-520011-	Ex. \$5,000.00 Ex. (\$5,000.00)
Furn/Equip<\$5K	2036-000-000-00000-000000-0000000-0000-02-520020-	\$5,000.00
Fund Balance Appropriated	2036-NDP-000-00000-FBApro-0000000-0000-99-490000-	(\$5,000.00)

JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:

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** 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.

CHECKOUT

Shipping Address

Please note we do not support shipping to PO Boxes

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Shipping Address

Summary of items in your cart

Total items in your cart

1

Total items in your cart

Apply Shipping Address

Order Summary

Recurring Monthly Payment

Form - 750GB (Mini)

\$50/mo

*Price includes all taxes and optional services. Price is

in US dollars only. All prices are in US dollars.

One-Time Payment

Starlink Mini Kit

\$499

Mini Car Adapter

\$45

Mini Roof Rack Mount

\$22

Router Mini

\$40

Mini Mounting Mount

\$22

Shipping & Handling - Standard

\$0

Tax

To be calculated

We will calculate your taxes based on your address.

Total Due Today

\$633 + Taxes

As low as \$40 a month or interest-free with Klarna

\$4,063.86 for 6

Order Summary

Recurring Monthly Payment

Kontor - 50GB 850,mg

One-Time Payment

Starlink Standard Kit	\$349
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Standard Mobility Mount	\$16
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Router Mini	\$,449
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Standard Rock Rack Mount 510

Shipping & Handling - Standard	\$0
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For	To be calculated
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Verf. u. Herausgeber: Leopold Kitzler, Wien

Total Due Today \$409 + Taxes

As low as 5.37% month or interest-free with **Klarna**

\$875.26 for 2

Apply Shipping Address