



Board Action Report

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Commissioner Hovis - Public Works - To Accept an Offer to Purchase a County Owned Surplus Parcel (PID 155658 located at 1005 Mountain Crest Drive, Kings Mountain) and Authorize Staff to Initiate the Upset Bid Process

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BUDGET IMPACT

No additional County funds.

BUDGET ORDINANCE IMPACT

N/A

BACKGROUND

Gaston County currently owns a parcel, PID 155658, located at 1005 Mountain Crest Drive, Kings Mountain. On March 27, 2018 the Gaston County Board of Commissioners approved a Board Action (2018-072) to declare this non-essential, County-owned property surplus and authorized staff to initiate sale procedures pursuant to applicable North Carolina General Statute. This parcel is not in an area the County is planning to redevelop, nor is it planned for current or future development for County use.

The Public Works Office has received an offer of \$14,250.00 from Mr. Brent Moore to purchase the property. Approval of this Board Action formally accepts the offer and authorizes staff to proceed with the upset bid process.

Under G.S. 160A-269, a County has the authority to "receive, solicit, or negotiate an offer to purchase property and advertise it for upset bids." Under this statute, if the Board of Commissioners accepts the offer for this property, the County must then advertise the bid in the newspaper and allow ten (10) days for other bids to be received. Staff will bring the highest and best offer back to the Commission for final approval.

POLICY IMPACT

N/A

ATTACHMENTS

N/A