



# Gaston County

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Board of Commissioners  
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## Board Action Report

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Commissioner Worley - Sheriff's Office - Appropriation of Additional Funds to House Inmates Out of County for March & April 2019 (**\$35,768**)

### **STAFF CONTACT**

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### **BUDGET IMPACT**

Appropriation from Fund Balance

### **BUDGET ORDINANCE IMPACT**

Appropriate from Fund Balance \$35,768

### **BACKGROUND**

The jail population for March and April 2019 exceeded operational capacity (526) daily. As a result, inmates were shipped to the following counties: Mecklenburg, Polk, and Transylvania. Inmates were housed between 1-30 days. The total cost for March and April is \$35,768. The Sheriff's Office does not have funds allocated for this expense. It is our expectation that additional inmates will have to be shipped until the population subsides or the jail expansion is fulfilled.

### **POLICY IMPACT**

N/A

### **ATTACHMENTS**

Budget Change Request and Housing Invoices