



Agenda Action Form Overview

The Board is requested to approve Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 26BCC013 Public Health to Recognize \$13,826 from the NC DHHS Division of Public Health Epidemiology Section Communicable Disease Section Branch for Health Screenings

Background/Justification

As the number of refugee arrivals to Durham County has exceeded expectations, the Local Health Department will increase the number of screenings, for a new total of 800 screenings provided for State Fiscal Year 2025-2026. Funds will be used to increase staffing and provide the essential information and communications technology items for that additional staff, such as a computer and a phone, and provide needed refugee health training. This staff will increase the LHD's capacity to provide timely medical screening services to newly arriving refugees.

Policy Impact

Recognition of these funds are in line with current Board policy and do not require an exception.

Procurement Background

Not Applicable

Fiscal Impact

Recognizing these revenues for the current fiscal year will allow for additional funding needed to support Refugee Health screenings.

Recommendation

The County Manager recommends the Board approve Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 26BCC013 Public Health to Recognize \$13,826 from the NC DHHS Division of Public Health Epidemiology Section Communicable Disease Section Branch for Health Screenings