



Legislation Text

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Item:

Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 20BCC000027 to Recognize Funds in the Amount of \$57,110 From the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill to Establish a Second Formerly Incarcerated Transition (FIT) Community Health Worker Position (1 FTE) into the Public Health Budget

Date of BOCC Meeting: November 12, 2019

Request for Board Action:

The Board is requested to approve Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 20BCC000027 to recognize funds in the amount of \$57,110 from the University of North Carolina-Chapel to support a second Formerly Incarcerated Transition Community Health Worker position (1 FTE)

UNC-Chapel Hill received a National Institute of Drug Abuse grant to establish a Community Health Worker position to work in collaboration with the Durham County Detention Center's Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) Program. The Durham County Department of Public Health is a sub-recipient of the grant and grant funds will be administered by UNC-Chapel.

The Board of Health has approved this amendment.

Alignment with Strategic Plan: This program aligns with Strategic Goal 2: Health and Well-being for All

Resource Persons: Joanne Pierce, MA, MPH, Interim Public Health Director

County Manager's Recommendation: The County Manager recommends that the Board approve Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 20BCC000027 to recognize funds in the amount of \$57,110 from the University of North Carolina-Chapel to establish a second Formerly Incarcerated Transition Community Health Worker position (1 FTE)

County Manager: _____