

**BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
AGENDA ITEM**

**MEETING DATE: June 19, 2012**

**Action Requested:**

To allocate funding for Children's Trust Fund Grant. This state-funded grant with a required county contribution will enhance efforts with families with children less than six years of age by offering opportunities to engage in efforts that link families to services that will enhance parenting and home management skills. Additionally, due to increased risk with more vulnerable populations, families with children less than three years of age who meet specific criteria will be offered intensive case-management services provided by a contracted Social Worker for up to six months.

These funds are Federal and State funds with a required county match that is already budgeted.

**NCGS Requiring Service:**

NCGS requires we PROVIDE:

or ENSURE AVAILABLE IN COMMUNITY: \_\_\_\_\_

**Alternative Service Delivery Methods considered and evaluated:**

This grant will utilize existing smart partnerships and no additional county staff are required for implementation.

**Funds/Staff requested: Funds only. Revenue Neutral**

**\$99,956 in new grant dollars. Transfer \$33,319 from Children's Services Professional Services. These dollars will be in a Grant account.**

**Request submitted by: \_\_Jim Holland for Amanda L. Stone\_\_\_\_\_**

**Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_June 7, 2012\_\_\_\_\_**