## **Buncombe County Board of Commissioners**



**Request for Board Action** 

Meeting Date: 4/6/2021

## **Consent Agenda**

Department: Budget **Presenter(s):** Jennifer Barnette, Budget

Contact(s): Jennifer Harrison, Ag & Land Jennifer Barnette, Budget

Subject: Moose Wilshire Stream Restoration/Hart Currie Preservation

## Brief Summary:

The Moose Wilshire Stream Restoration project required several land owners to agree to the conservation easement restrictions. Unfortunately, one party sold their land while another chose not to join the easement. Therefore, the easement could not be executed.

The unused funds (\$13,200) will be repurposed for the Hart/Currie Preservation. Hart/Currie is a diverse property including cropland and forest and was therefore divided further to maximize USDA and NCDA funding. This necessitated additional survey work that has increased transaction costs.

Recommended Motion & Requested Action: Approve budget amendment

**County Manager's Comments & Recommendation:** County Manager recommends as presented