

HMGP Interlocal Agreements

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HMGP Overview

The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) is a federal program administered by North Carolina Emergency Management (NCEM) to reduce hazards and risks, including the acquisition of repeatedly damaged residential and commercial properties after disasters. HMGP is a partnership between NCEM and Buncombe County.



Interlocal Agreement Overview

- Allow the Town of Black Mountain, Town of Weaverville, and City of Asheville to acquire HMGP properties within their municipal limits
- If a municipality declines to accept an acquisition, County retains right to acquire said property
- Agreement creates no long-term or financial obligation between County and municipalities

Interlocal Agreement Status

- Black Mountain Approved March 10
- Weaverville Approved March 24
- City of Asheville Approved March 25



Request for Board Action

Approve the resolution authorizing Buncombe County to enter into interlocal agreements with the City of Asheville, Town of Black Mountain, and the Town of Weaverville to administer the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

