



CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

SUBMITTER: Blake Fulgham, Management Analyst II **MEETING DATE:** 08/06/2026

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA **DEPARTMENT:** Public Services

TITLE OF ITEM: Approval to Apply for the Department of Commerce ReNew NC Grant Program - *Blake Fulgham, Management Analyst III*

SUGGESTED MOTION(S):

I move City Council to approve city staff's plan to apply for the North Carolina Department of Commerce ReNew NC Grant- Community Infrastructure Program.

SUMMARY:

The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development announced that North Carolina will receive \$1.4 billion dollars in funding to support long-term recovery efforts following Hurricane Helene. The Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recover (CDBG-DR) funding program is designed to address needs that remain after all other assistance has been exhausted. We plan to submit a grant application for the Whitmire Activity Center Project to complete necessary repairs and reconstruction activities to restore the damaged Whitmire Activity Center infrastructure back to the necessary codes and standards to be reopened to the public.

BUDGET IMPACT: Grant Maximum award amount is \$15 million.
Our project request will be between \$8-\$10 million.
No match required.

Is this expenditure approved in the current fiscal year budget? N/A

If no, describe how it will be funded. N/A

ATTACHMENTS:

N/A