

Minutes of the 9 April 2018
Regular Meeting of the Yancey County Board of Commissioners
Held at 6:00 o'clock p.m. in the Yancey County Courtroom
Yancey County Courthouse, Burnsville, North Carolina

Present at the 9 April 2018 meeting of the Yancey County Board of Commissioners were: Chairman Johnny Riddle, Commissioner Jill Austin, Commissioner Mark Ledford, Commissioner John Stallings, Commissioner Jeff Whitson, County Manager Nathan Bennett, Clerk to the Board Jason Robinson, County Attorney Donny Laws, Planning and Economic Development Director Jamie McMahan, members of the media, and members of the general public.

Call to Order and Approval of Agenda

Chairman Riddle called the meeting to order and asked Commissioner Stallings to deliver the invocation. After the invocation, Chairman Riddle led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chairman Riddle then asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Commissioner Whitson made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Austin. The vote to approve was unanimous (Attachment A).

Special Recognition: Mountain Heritage Varsity Basketball Teams

The Board recognized the Mountain Heritage Varsity Basketball boys and girls teams for their fabulous seasons. The Cougars and Lady Cougars were undefeated in conference play and both won the regular season and conference tournament championships. Commissioner Stallings made a motion to adopt the proclamation honoring the Lady Cougars Varsity Basketball team and it was seconded by Commissioner Austin. The vote to adopt the proclamation was unanimous. Commissioner Stallings then made a motion to approve the proclamation honoring the Cougar Varsity Basketball team and it was seconded by Commissioner Austin. The vote to adopt was unanimous (Attachment B).

Public Comment

The first person to speak before the Board was Tom Robinson who spoke about the efforts by the Roman Catholic Church to infiltrate the schools by using Common Core. The next person to speak before the Board was Dr. John Boyd of Mayland Community College. Dr. Boyd stated the he would like to be involved with the budget process this year for Mayland.

Consent Agenda

The Board next moved to the consent agenda portion of the agenda. On the consent agenda for April was approval of the March 12th regular meeting minutes. In addition, there was the appointment of a member to the High Country Workforce Development Board. Mr. Bryan Peterson is currently in this position and is willing to be reappointed (Attachment C). April's consent agenda also included a report to the commissioners from the Yancey County Child Fatality Prevention Team which is required to be given each year (Attachment D). Also this month on the consent agenda was a refund request and an approval of a late application for agricultural, horticultural, forestry present use value assessment from the Yancey County Tax Office (Attachment E). Finally this month is the March tax collection report which is for informational purposes only (Attachment F). Upon hearing the consent agenda items, Commissioner Whitson made a motion to approve the consent agenda. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Austin and the vote to approve was unanimous.

American Legion Baseball

The Board next heard from County Manager Nathan Bennett. Mr. Bennett informed the Board that Les Heavner had been planning to attend the meeting but called and said he would not be able to make it. Mr. Bennett stated that he would be on the May agenda.

Parks and Recreation Trust Fund Grant

The Board next heard from Michelle Ball, Regional Planner with High Country Council of Governments. Ms. Ball stated that there was interest in applying for a North Carolina Parks and Recreation Trust Fund Grant (PARTF). According to Ms. Ball the public hearing prior to the meeting met one requirement of the grant and there is also a match from the County that is required. This match is a dollar for dollar match and since the grant application is for \$250,000 then the match would be \$250,000 over a three year period. This can include grant money that is already secured. According to County Manager Nathan Bennett there has already been about \$90,000 in grants from the US Fish and Wildlife Service and from the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality. Commissioner Stallings asked about maintenance and upkeep of the new park. Mr. Bennett stated that he believed existing staff could maintain the park. Chairman Riddle then asked the clerk to read the resolution to make application for the

PARTF grant. Upon reading of the resolution, Commissioner Austin made a motion to approve the resolution and it was seconded by Commissioner Ledford. The vote to approve was unanimous (Attachment G).

Child Abuse Prevention Month

The Board next heard from John Lewis, the Administrator of the Guardian Ad Litem program in Yancey County and Erica Griffith Edwards, Guardian Ad Litem Program Specialist. Mr. Lewis informed the Board that the Guardian Ad Litem program advocates for abused children in the court system. Mrs. Edwards thanked the Board for considering the proclamation of proclaiming April as Child Abuse Prevention Month in Yancey County. Chairman Riddle then asked the clerk to read the proclamation. Upon reading of the proclamation, Commissioner Whitson made a motion to approve the proclamation and it was seconded by Commissioner Austin. The vote to approve was unanimous (Attachment H).

County Manager Report

The Board next heard from County Manager Nathan Bennett. Mr. Bennett stated that the Board is being asked to support a school board referendum to be placed on the November general election ballot. Mr. Bennett stated that Yancey County would be in line to get \$12,546,064 from this bond and could be used to possibly do an elementary school on the east side of the county. Discussion followed about the bond referendum and Mr. Bennett read the proposed resolution. Upon hearing from Mr. Bennett, Commissioner Whitson made a motion to approve the resolution and the motion was seconded by Commissioner Stallings. The vote to approve was unanimous (Attachment I). Mr. Bennett next informed the Board that April is "National County Government Month." Mr. Bennett reminded everyone of the important services that counties throughout the country provide. Mr. Bennett then read the proclamation and Chairman Riddle made a motion to approve the proclamation. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Whitson and the vote to approve was unanimous (Attachment J). Mr. Bennett then updated the Board on several issues including the email system for the county government, the roll of the County government with the senior center going forward, the East Yancey Sewer System, and the budget procedure.

County Attorney Business

County Attorney Donny Laws stated that he did not have anything that required the Board's attention at this time.

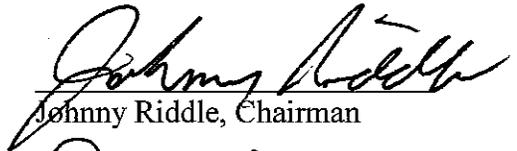
Commissioner Business

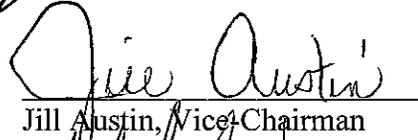
Commissioner Stallings asked Mr. McMahan about the progress of the new elementary school. Jamie McMahan, Planning and Economic Development Director stated that the progress has been good but the hold-up has been the metal building subcontractor. Mr. McMahan stated that they are still shooting for a 2019 opening. Chairman Riddle stated that he had been contacted by a couple of ladies with the Salvation Army who said that the store in Burnsville will be closing. Also, Chairman Riddle informed the Board that the High Country Council of Government Executive Director Shane Fox has resigned.

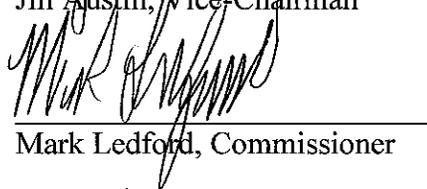
Adjournment

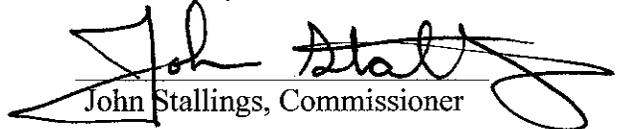
Having no further business Commissioner Ledford made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Commissioner Whitson. The vote to adjourn was unanimous.

Approved and authenticated on this the 14th day of May 2018.


Johnny Riddle, Chairman

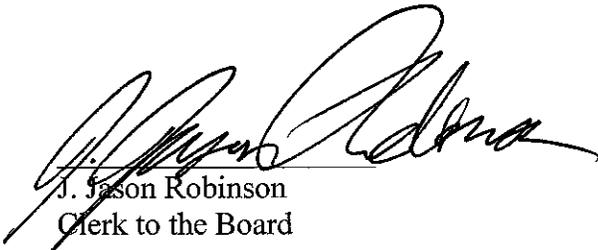

Jill Austin, Vice Chairman


Mark Ledford, Commissioner


John Stallings, Commissioner


Jeff Whitson, Commissioner

Attest:


J. Jason Robinson
Clerk to the Board

(county seal)





AGENDA
YANCEY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING
April 9, 2018
6:00 P.M.

- I. Call to Order – Chairman Johnny Riddle
- II. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- III. Approval of the Agenda
- IV. SPECIAL RECOGNITION – Mountain Heritage High School Varsity Boys and Girls Basketball
- V. Public Comment
- VI. Consent Agenda
 - a. Approval of the Minutes – March 12th regular minutes
 - b. APPOINTMENT – Workforce Development – Bryan Peterson, Private Sector Seat
 - c. Yancey County Child Fatality Prevention Team (CFPT) Report
 - d. Yancey County Tax Office – Refund Request and Late Application for Agriculture, Horticulture, and Forestry Present Use Value Assessment
 - e. March Tax Collection Report – Informational
- VII. American Legion Baseball – Resolution of Support – Les Heavener
- VIII. Parks and Recreation Trust Fund (PARTF) Grant – Michelle Ball, Regional Planner, High Country COG
 - a. Information about PARTF
 - b. Adoption of required documents
- IX. Child Abuse Prevention Month – Proclamation – Erica Griffith Edwards, Guardian Ad Litem Program Specialist
- X. County Manager Report – Nathan Bennett, County Manager
 - a. School Bond Resolution
 - b. County Government Month
 - c. General Update
- XI. County Attorney Report – Donny Laws, County Attorney
- XII. County Commissioners Report
- XIII. Adjourn



PROCLAMATION

MOUNTAIN HERITAGE HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY LADY COUGAR BASKETBALL

WHEREAS, Mountain Heritage High School is located in Yancey County, North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the Mountain Heritage Varsity Lady Cougar Basketball Team had a stellar 2017-18 season; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding basketball team won the Western Highlands Conference regular season championship with an undefeated 10-0 record and won the Western Highlands Conference Tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Cougars defeated opponents in the first, second, third and fourth rounds of the state playoffs, enroute to the Western Regional Championship game, completing post-season play with a combined 27-2 record and ranked as the Number 3 team in the N.C. 2-A Basketball Standings on Maxpreps.com; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Cougars, have won seven conference regular season and tournament championships in a row – four of those seasons posting undefeated records in conference play; and

WHEREAS, the Lady Cougars over the past four seasons posted a 97-8 record, with only one conference loss in that time period; and

WHEREAS, the County of Yancey congratulates all of those involved with this outstanding basketball team – players, coaches, parents and Cougar fans – for a successful winning season; and

WHEREAS, the Mountain Heritage Varsity Lady Cougar Basketball Team has brought great pride to our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners that the Mountain Heritage Varsity Lady Cougar Basketball Team is hereby recognized and honored for their successful season and their representation of Yancey County to the State of North Carolina.

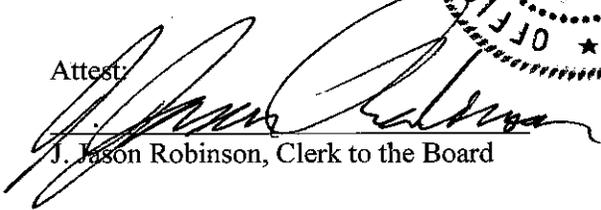
BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners that Friday, April 20, 2018 shall be known as *“Mountain Heritage Lady Cougar Basketball Day”* in Yancey County, North Carolina and all citizens and residents are encouraged to display their Cougar Pride on that day.

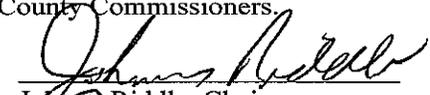
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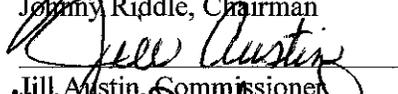
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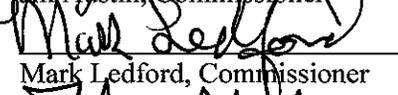


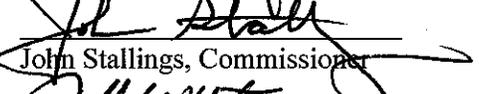
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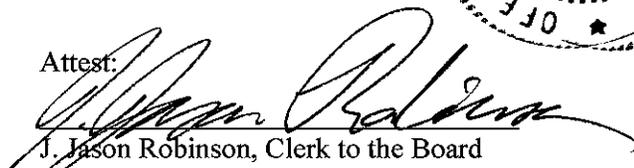
BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners that Friday, April 27, 2018 shall be known as “*Mountain Heritage Cougar Basketball Day*” in Yancey County, North Carolina and all citizens and residents are encouraged to display their Cougar Pride on that day.

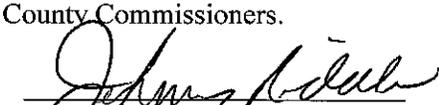
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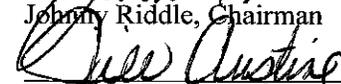
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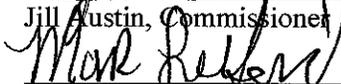


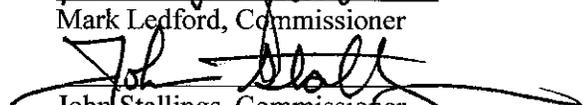
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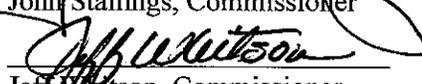

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MEMORANDUM

To: Jason Robinson, Clerk to the Yancey County Board of Commissioners

From: Keith Deveraux, Director

Subject: Reappointment to the High Country Workforce Development Board

Date: March 7, 2018

Jason Robinson, I spoke with Bryan Peterson and he would like to be reappointed to the High Country Workforce Development Board. His business is in Yancey County in the High Country Region. Please start the reappointment process to have Bryan Peterson reappointed/confirmed to the High Country Workforce Development Board. Please let me know if I can be of further assistance during this process.

1. Bryan Peterson, Human Resources Manager
Altec
150 Altec Drive
P.O. Box 130
Burnsville, NC 28714
Phone: (828)678-5502
Email: bryan.peterson@altec.com
Role(Seat): Yancey County
Private Sector Seat
Term Ends: 6/30/2020

Note: Reappointment, I recommend that Bryan Peterson be reappointed to the High-Country Workforce Development Board.



TOE RIVER HEALTH DISTRICT

Avery, Mitchell, & Yancey County

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Yancey County Commissioners and TRHD Board of Health
FROM: LaCosta Tipton, RN, BN, CFPT
Yancey County Child Fatality Prevention Team (CFPT)
SUBJECT: Local CFPT Annual Report
DATE: March 16th, 2018

The North Carolina Statute, Article 14, 7B-1406 and the CFPT Agreement Addenda with local health departments requires Local Child Fatality Prevention Teams to advocate for system improvements and needed resources where gaps and deficiencies may exist and submit a report annually to their local county commissioners and boards of health.

The purpose of the local CFPTs are to:

- identify deficiencies in the delivery of services to children and families by public agencies;
- make and carry out recommendations for changes that will prevent future child deaths; and
- promote understanding of the causes of child deaths.

Attached is the Yancey County CFPT annual report for your review for calendar year 2017. Please feel free to contact me at 828-682-1942 if you have any questions.

March 2018



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I. Introduction

In 1993, the North Carolina General Assembly established a network of local Child Fatality Prevention Teams (CFPT's) across the state to confidentially review medical examiner reports, death certificates and other records of deceased residents under age 18. Each local team consists of representatives of public and nonpublic agencies in the community such as law enforcement, Guardian Ad Litem, health departments, among others, that provide services to children and their families.

The purpose of this report is to give a summary of the causes of death, the number of cases reviewed, recommendations for prevention, if any, that have been made and to share local team activities and accomplishments.

II. Role of the Yancey County Commissioners and Board of Health

- Receive annual reports which contain recommendations and advocate for system improvements and needed resources, if requested.
- Appoint members of the local team as identified by the membership.

III. Child Deaths by Cause, System Problems Identified, Recommendations for Prevention & Proposed Action

In 2017, the Yancey County CFPT reviewed zero child deaths and identified zero system problems and recommendations for future prevention efforts. Below are highlights:

IV. Yancey County CFPT Activities and Accomplishments

Examples:

- The annual CFPT Activity Summary was completed and sent by the date requested.



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- An in-service on Car Seat Safety was provided to local agencies.
 - A car seat check was hosted by Yancey County Sherriff Department and CFPT. Citizens could drive through and have seats checked: We looked for the correct seat for child's age and weight, expiration date of seat, and taught correct installation techniques.

V. Conclusion

Thank you to the members of the Yancey County Commissioners and Toe River Board of Health for the opportunity to share with you the successes and dedicated work of the local team as we continue to review child fatalities, make recommendations, and take actions to prevent future child deaths. Please feel free to contact the Chairperson at 828-682-1942, respectively, should you have any questions about this report.

LaCosta Tipton, BSN, RN March 18, 2018

Chairperson



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Email: danny.mcintosh@yanceycountync.gov

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Refund request:

MCKINNEY, MILDRED L/E, C/O SELINDA BOONE 66 ARBUCKLE RD

PIN: 076900585620000 Request for refund is made by letter from attorney Bob Long dated January 23, 2018 on behalf of property owner/taxpayer. Pursuant to the settlement of North Carolina Department of Transportation condemnation action filed in the Superior Court of Yancey County as file # 14 CVS 140 a request is made to release \$367.62 of tax for 2017, refund \$367.62 of tax for 2016 and refund \$214.76 of tax from 2015.

Assessor's opinion: Refund and release is indicated and recommended for approval.



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Requests to approve late Agriculture, Horticulture, and Forestry Present Use Value Assessment application for:

FINCAS, LLC (KEN & IDA BROWN)

PIN: 979900348719000. Ken and Ida Brown have purchased this 19.49 acre tract in the Price's Creek Township for use by Yancey County farmers and TRACTOR. Management is currently being provided by TRACTOR. The land was purchased in December 2017 and as a result of the ensuing winter weather, holidays, the owners travel and personal obligations and some sickness the application was not received until March.

Requested action: Approve the late application.

Attachment F

YANCEY COUNTY TAX ADMINISTRATION

End of Month Breakout

Outstanding Balances through 03/31/2018

Description	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	Total
Balances											
County Vehicle Tax											
\$14,619.47	\$6,544.47	\$3,199.04	\$1,143.77	\$27,535.96	\$29,255.90						\$82,298.61
TOWN OF BURNSVILLE Vehicle Tax											
\$485.61	\$36.00	\$12.70		\$2,128.03	\$2,759.16						\$5,421.50
BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$374.14	\$128.82	\$39.05	\$7.53	\$550.23	\$693.88						\$1,793.65
CANE RIVER FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$129.95	\$11.76	\$6.36	\$3.69	\$179.07	\$234.47						\$565.30
EGYPT FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$42.39	\$0.40	\$0.97	\$0.46	\$105.02	\$78.47						\$227.71
RAMSEYTOWN FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$0.87	\$3.94	\$4.53	\$0.53	\$124.30	\$98.58						\$232.75
GREEN MOUNTAIN FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$100.79	\$7.81	\$8.77	\$6.67	\$87.13	\$114.13						\$325.30
JACKS CREEK FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$42.70	\$57.23	\$56.56	\$7.31	\$352.73	\$336.19						\$852.72
BRUSH CREEK FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$42.36		\$1.93	\$0.36	\$116.70	\$124.37						\$285.72
CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$195.46	\$50.31	\$67.16	\$70.81	\$770.54	\$880.45						\$2,034.73
SOUTH TOE FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$211.11	\$40.70	\$64.25	\$5.29	\$432.68	\$378.60						\$1,132.63
PENSACOLA FIRE DISTRICT Vehicle Tax											
\$77.31	\$77.70	\$49.05	\$1.11	\$89.07	\$110.48						\$404.72

% Collected

Billed to Date

35.43%

\$22,640.24

County Vehicle Tax 2017

04/05/2018

YANCEY COUNTY TAX ADMINISTRATION

End of Month Breakout

View Posted Payments in Date Range 03/01/2018 to 03/31/2018 for Both

Description	Amount
Vehicle Payments	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2017	\$836.13
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2016	\$24.07
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2015	\$29.73
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2014	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2013	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2012	\$61.07
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2011	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2010	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2009	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2008	
County Vehicle Tax Payments 2007	
County Vehicle Interest	\$45.14
County Vehicle Total Payments	\$996.14
Burnsville VFD Vehicle Tax	\$14.14
South Toe VFD Vehicle Tax	\$18.31
Newdale VFD Vehicle Tax	\$12.78
West Yancey VFD Vehicle Tax	\$14.52
Egypt/Ramseytown VFD Vehicle Tax	\$17.62
Clearmont VFD Vehicle Tax	\$7.21
Double Island VFD Vehicle Tax	\$0.62
Pensacola VFD Vehicle Tax	\$1.91
VFD Vehicle Interest	\$6.23
VFD Vehicle Total Payments	\$93.34
Town of Burnsville Vehicle Tax	\$34.22
Town of Burnsville Vehicle Interest	
Town of Burnsville Vehicle Total Payment	\$34.22
State Vehicle Interest	\$12.84
Vehicle Total Payments	\$1,136.54
Vehicle BankCard Amount	\$20.26
Vehicle BankCard Fee	

04/05/2018

Posting Report

03-01-2018 to 03-31-2018

04-05-2018
8:57 AM

I. Tax Collections + Releases

Year	General Fund	Burnsville	West Yancey	Egypt/Ramseytown	Clearmont	Double Island	Newdale	South Toe	Pensacola	TOTAL
2003	\$234.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62
2004	\$234.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62
2005	\$336.65	\$6.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$33.62	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$436.32
2006	\$394.70	\$6.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$33.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$434.17
2007	\$418.49	\$6.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3.25	\$0.00	\$32.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$460.21
2008	\$507.96	\$2.00	\$3.24	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$50.39	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$563.59
2009	\$534.92	\$1.90	\$2.84	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$0.00	\$49.49	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$593.65
2010	\$534.92	\$2.28	\$2.84	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$0.00	\$59.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$603.92
2011	\$535.82	\$2.40	\$2.84	\$0.00	\$4.50	\$0.00	\$59.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$604.94
2012	\$536.64	\$4.36	\$2.58	\$0.00	\$4.10	\$0.00	\$58.39	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$606.07
2013	\$1,137.50	\$9.37	\$2.35	\$0.00	\$3.73	\$0.00	\$57.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,210.45
2014	\$1,098.89	\$3.62	\$2.14	\$0.00	\$3.39	\$0.00	\$95.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,203.99
2015	\$2,375.91	\$3.28	\$1.95	\$63.13	\$11.88	\$0.00	\$94.45	\$37.44	\$0.00	\$2,588.04
2016	\$10,630.76	\$40.63	\$69.56	\$36.85	\$66.09	\$40.32	\$221.81	\$145.03	\$33.54	\$11,284.59
2017	\$450,927.71	\$5,354.94	\$6,008.09	\$3,962.22	\$4,088.87	\$1,549.30	\$6,614.09	\$7,189.62	\$3,203.60	\$488,898.44
TOTAL	\$470,499.27	\$5,442.93	\$6,098.43	\$4,062.20	\$4,194.81	\$1,589.62	\$7,507.13	\$7,372.09	\$3,237.14	\$510,003.62

II. Releases

General Fund	Current Year	Prior Year	TOTAL
General Fund	\$7,873.19	\$2,051.45	\$9,924.64

Burnsville	\$6.98	\$35.99	\$42.97
West Yancey	\$14.53	\$22.73	\$37.26
Egypt/Ramseytown	\$3.40	\$0.00	\$3.40
Clearmont	\$588.05	\$39.37	\$627.42
Double Island	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$7.26
Newdale	\$97.22	\$112.54	\$209.76
South Toe	\$11.65	\$0.00	\$11.65
Pensacola	\$8.64	\$7.38	\$16.02
TOTAL	\$8,610.92	\$2,269.46	\$10,880.38

III. Net Tax Collections

Year	General Fund	Burnsville	West Yancey	Egypt/Ramseytown	Clearmont	Double Island	Newdale	South Toe	Pensacola	TOTAL
	\$460,574.63	\$5,399.96	\$6,061.17	\$4,058.80	\$3,567.39	\$1,582.36	\$7,297.37	\$7,360.44	\$3,221.12	\$499,123.24

Transaction Type Report

03-01-2018 to 03-31-2018

Year	General	Fire	Penalty	Waste	Additional Fees	Principal	Interest	Advertising Cost	Legal Cost	Total
2003	\$234.20	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62	\$336.61	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$597.73
2004	\$234.20	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62	\$315.38	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$576.50
2005	\$234.20	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62	\$288.36	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$549.48
2006	\$234.20	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62	\$267.13	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$528.25
2007	\$234.20	\$23.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$257.62	\$240.11	\$3.50	\$0.00	\$501.23
2008	\$363.06	\$40.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$403.40	\$344.52	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$751.92
2009	\$363.06	\$40.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$403.40	\$307.83	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$715.23
2010	\$363.06	\$48.41	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$411.47	\$276.43	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$691.90
2011	\$363.06	\$48.41	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$411.47	\$238.96	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$654.43
2012	\$379.44	\$50.59	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$430.03	\$210.60	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$644.63
2013	\$978.60	\$55.79	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,034.39	\$213.97	\$6.00	\$0.00	\$1,254.36
2014	\$956.64	\$89.77	\$2.70	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,049.11	\$307.01	\$8.00	\$0.00	\$1,364.12
2015	\$2,231.27	\$196.64	\$1.53	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,429.44	\$781.30	\$32.00	\$0.00	\$3,242.74
2016	\$10,350.92	\$628.22	\$25.94	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11,005.08	\$1,322.22	\$127.22	\$1,031.38	\$13,485.90
2017	\$443,054.52	\$37,233.00	\$765.26	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$481,052.78	\$17,395.88	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$498,448.66
TOTAL	\$460,574.63	\$38,548.61	\$795.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$499,918.67	\$22,846.31	\$210.72	\$1,031.38	\$524,007.08

Adjustment / Release Report

03-01-2018 to 03-31-2018

Year	General	Penalty	Waste	Additional Fees	Principal	Interest	Advertising Cost	Legal Cost	Fire	Amount Due	County Net
2005	\$162.45	\$13.42	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$175.87	\$212.64	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$16.25	\$404.76	\$388.51
2006	\$160.50	\$17.66	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$178.16	\$199.52	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$16.05	\$393.73	\$377.68
2007	\$184.29	\$20.14	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$204.43	\$204.23	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$18.30	\$426.96	\$408.66
2008	\$144.90	\$12.06	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$156.96	\$146.45	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15.29	\$318.70	\$303.41
2009	\$171.86	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$171.86	\$143.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$18.39	\$334.20	\$315.81
2010	\$171.86	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$171.86	\$128.56	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.59	\$321.01	\$300.42
2011	\$172.76	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$172.76	\$111.18	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$20.71	\$304.65	\$283.94
2012	\$157.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$157.20	\$95.98	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$18.84	\$262.02	\$243.18
2013	\$158.90	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$158.90	\$70.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$17.16	\$246.08	\$228.92
2014	\$142.25	\$15.76	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$158.01	\$55.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15.33	\$229.31	\$213.98
2015	\$144.64	\$15.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$160.61	\$55.31	\$0.00	\$3,702.95	\$15.49	\$3,934.36	\$3,918.87
2016	\$279.84	\$22.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$302.27	\$45.69	\$0.00	\$-129.70	\$25.61	\$243.87	\$218.26
2017	\$7,873.19	\$58.43	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$7,931.62	\$1,654.32	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$737.73	\$10,323.67	\$9,585.94
TOTAL	\$9,924.64	\$175.87	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$10,100.51	\$3,113.82	\$0.00	\$3,573.25	\$955.74	\$17,743.32	\$16,787.58

Collections Receipts Report

03-01-2018 to 03-31-2018

Total general tax	\$460,574.63
Total fire tax	\$38,548.61
Total penalty	\$795.43
Total Waste Fees	\$0.00
Total Additional Fees	\$0.00
Total principal	\$499,918.67
Total interest	\$22,846.31
Total cost of advertising	\$210.72
Total legal	\$1,031.38
Total check overpayments	\$9.81
Total Prepaid Payments	\$4,985.58
Total Prepaid Applied	\$0.00
Total misc	\$29,083.80
Grand total receipts	\$529,002.47

District Payment Report

03-01-2018 to 03-31-2018

Year	District Code	District Name	Amount
2003	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$23.42
2004	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$23.42
2005	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$23.42
2006	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$23.42
2007	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$23.42
2008	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$40.34
2009	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$40.34
2010	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$48.41
2011	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$48.41
2012	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$2.18
2012	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$48.41
2013	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$7.38
2013	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$48.41
2014	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$1.81
2014	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$87.96
2014	011	PRICES CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$0.00
2015	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$1.64
2015	003	EGYPT FIRE DISTRICT	\$63.13
2015	006	JACKS CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$7.55
2015	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$86.88
2015	009	SOUTH TOE FIRE DISTRICT	\$37.44
2015	011	PRICES CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$0.00
2016	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$38.99
2016	002	CANE RIVER FIRE DISTRICT	\$56.76
2016	003	EGYPT FIRE DISTRICT	\$24.40
2016	004	RAMSEY TOWN FIRE DISTRICT	\$12.45
2016	005	GREEN MOUNTAIN FIRE DISTRICT	\$5.94
2016	006	JACKS CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$53.08
2016	007	BRUSH CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$40.32
2016	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$214.24
2016	009	SOUTH TOE FIRE DISTRICT	\$145.03
2016	010	PENSACOLA FIRE DISTRICT	\$26.16
2016	011	PRICES CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$10.85
2017	001	BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	\$5,347.96
2017	002	CANE RIVER FIRE DISTRICT	\$2,094.17

2017	003	EGYPT FIRE DISTRICT	\$2,685.46
2017	004	RAMSEY TOWN FIRE DISTRICT	\$1,273.36
2017	005	GREEN MOUNTAIN FIRE DISTRICT	\$1,210.54
2017	006	JACKS CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$2,290.28
2017	007	BRUSH CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$1,542.04
2017	008	CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	\$6,516.87
2017	009	SOUTH TOE FIRE DISTRICT	\$7,177.97
2017	010	PENSACOLA FIRE DISTRICT	\$3,194.96
2017	011	PRICES CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	\$3,899.39
TOTAL			\$38,548.61

Outstanding Balances Report

As of 03-31-2018

Year	Amount	County	District	Interest	Advertising	Penalties	Waste	Additional Fees
2007	\$12,606.81	\$5,586.48	\$509.91	\$6,080.92	\$73.50	\$356.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2008	\$15,258.09	\$7,376.56	\$679.68	\$6,955.77	\$92.00	\$154.08	\$0.00	\$0.00
2009	\$14,134.56	\$7,561.62	\$605.25	\$5,863.69	\$104.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2010	\$19,807.95	\$10,644.97	\$1,105.90	\$7,905.08	\$152.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2011	\$29,069.63	\$14,782.93	\$1,513.82	\$9,977.55	\$160.00	\$17.85	\$0.00	\$0.00
2012	\$39,415.03	\$18,284.96	\$2,076.67	\$11,844.21	\$204.00	\$285.09	\$0.00	\$0.00
2013	\$29,949.84	\$19,436.08	\$1,822.60	\$8,343.16	\$348.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2014	\$53,116.59	\$31,030.25	\$2,899.08	\$11,134.68	\$284.00	\$505.74	\$0.00	\$0.00
2015	\$85,758.88	\$55,132.82	\$4,653.63	\$13,258.00	\$516.37	\$329.63	\$0.00	\$0.00
2016	\$170,072.28	\$120,188.76	\$8,877.87	\$16,976.77	\$1,233.78	\$503.25	\$4.00	\$0.00
2017	\$736,195.03	\$661,660.32	\$50,411.15	\$22,248.24	\$0.00	\$1,875.32	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$1,205,384.69	\$951,685.75	\$75,155.56	\$120,588.07	\$3,167.65	\$4,026.96	\$4.00	\$0.00

Yancey County Tax Office
 County/District Collection Percentage Report
 As of: 03-31-2018

Run Date: 04-05-2018

2017
 County

Net Levy \$
 12,612,221.25

Collections \$
 11,950,617.22

Collections %
 94.76

Districts

Name	Net Levy \$	Collections \$	Collections %
001 - BURNSVILLE FIRE DISTRICT	190,198.79	182,706.89	96.07
002 - CANE RIVER FIRE DISTRICT	72,008.42	69,512.79	96.54
003 - EGYPT FIRE DISTRICT	74,648.74	71,764.68	96.14
004 - RAMSEYTOWN FIRE DISTRICT	26,605.11	24,828.91	93.33
005 - GREEN MOUNTAIN FIRE DISTRICT	29,164.59	26,606.08	91.23
006 - JACKS CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	64,579.30	61,308.71	94.94
007 - BRUSH CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	39,666.96	37,589.45	94.77
008 - CRABTREE FIRE DISTRICT	146,815.16	138,516.19	94.35
009 - SOUTH TOE FIRE DISTRICT	193,354.38	184,542.99	95.45
010 - PENSACOLA FIRE DISTRICT	105,555.69	102,134.30	96.76
011 - PRICES CREEK FIRE DISTRICT	153,255.67	145,936.46	95.23

District Totals

Net Levy \$
 1,095,852.81

Collections \$
 1,045,447.45

Collections %
 95.40



RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE N.C. PARKS AND RECREATION TRUST FUND

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Parks and Recreation Trust Fund provides dollar-for-dollar grants to local governments for parks and recreational projects to serve the public; and

WHEREAS, Yancey County recognizes the desire of residents and visitors alike to enjoy parks and recreation services and green spaces; and

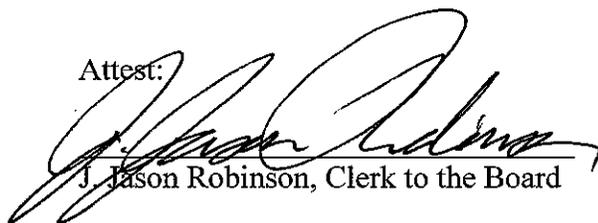
WHEREAS, Yancey County seeks to make improvements to the existing Ray-Cort Park to create additional recreational resources for citizens and visitors alike.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners does hereby firmly resolve to authorize an application, accept and support the administration of a North Carolina Parks and Recreation Trust Fund grant project up to \$500,000 for improvements to Ray-Cort Park, including a match in funding of up to \$250,000 and project completion within three (3) years of any such award.

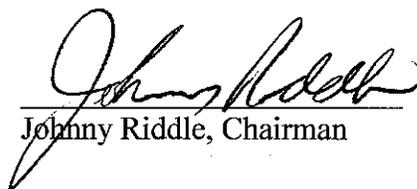
ADOPTED this the 9th day of April, 2018 by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners.

(County Seal)

Attest:


J. Jason Robinson, Clerk to the Board




Johnny Riddle, Chairman



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Jill Austin, Vice-chair
Mark Ledford
John Stallings
Jeff Whitson

Nathan R. Bennett
County Manager

Donny J. Laws
County Attorney

J. Jason Robinson
Clerk to the Board

PROCLAMATION

In Recognition of April as Child Abuse Prevention Month

WHEREAS, children are vital to our state and county's future success, prosperity, and quality of life as well as being our most vulnerable assets; and,

WHEREAS, all children deserve to have the safe, stable, nurturing homes and communities they need to foster their healthy growth and development; and,

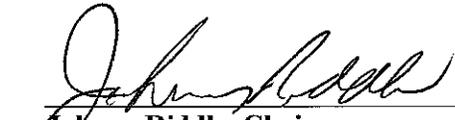
WHEREAS, child abuse and neglect is a community responsibility affecting both the current and the future quality of life of a community; and,

WHEREAS, communities that provide parents with the social support, knowledge of parenting and child development, and concrete resources they need to cope with stress and nurture their children ensure all children grow to their full potential; and

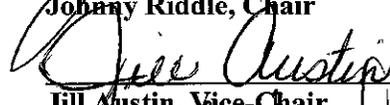
WHEREAS, effective child abuse prevention strategies succeed because of partnerships created among citizens, human services agencies, schools, faith communities, health care providers, civic organizations, law enforcement agencies, and the business community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Yancey County Board of Commissioners that April 2018 is Child Abuse Prevention Month in Yancey County and urge all citizens, community agencies, faith groups, medical facilities, elected leaders, and businesses to increase their participation in efforts to support families, thereby preventing child abuse and strengthening the communities in which we live.

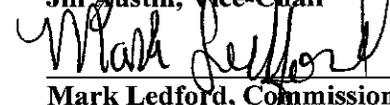
ADOPTED THIS 9th DAY OF April, 2018.



Johnny Riddle, Chair



Jill Austin, Vice-Chair



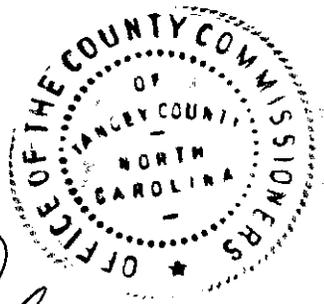
Mark Ledford, Commissioner



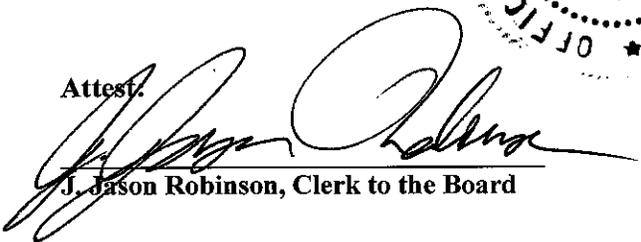
John Stallings, Commissioner



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RESOLUTION

SUPPORTING A STATEWIDE REFERENDUM ON A BOND ISSUE FOR SCHOOL FACILITY NEEDS

WHEREAS, based on information from the school districts and counties, the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction reported in 2016 that North Carolina’s public schools need about \$8.1 billion to pay for new school facilities, maintenance and renovations; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 report, also known as the Statewide Facility Needs Survey, found that 118 new schools are needed across North Carolina. Fifty are needed immediately, and sixty-eight are needed in three to five years; and

WHEREAS, besides new construction, 1,560 schools need renovations to comply with safety and building code requirements and to address deferred maintenance, 459 schools need additions for new classrooms; and

WHEREAS, a priority goal of the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners is to support legislation to provide state assistance to meet school construction needs caused by increased enrollment and mandated reduction in class size, through a statewide referendum on a bond issue; and

WHEREAS, the Statewide Facility Needs Survey also showed that construction costs are increasing, from a base of \$136 per square foot in 2005 to \$194 per square foot in 2015 and interest rates and construction costs are still rising; and

WHEREAS, counties in both urban and rural areas are faced with high costs for renovations and repairs to update and make the older buildings safe; and

WHEREAS, counties have limited options to raise revenue to pay for school construction; and

WHEREAS, because counties lack sufficient sources of funding for school facilities, the state has responded in the past by approving statewide school construction bonds to address needs nearly once per decade; and

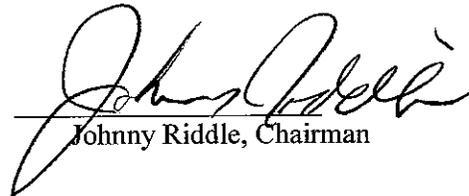
WHEREAS, a statewide bond is urgently needed to help address the staggering shortfall in funding for construction, repairs, and renovations at public school facilities throughout North Carolina because outstanding needs are estimated to exceed \$8.1 billion; and

WHEREAS, the NC School Bond – HB 866/SB542-would invest \$1.9 billion to begin addressing these critical needs all across the state; and

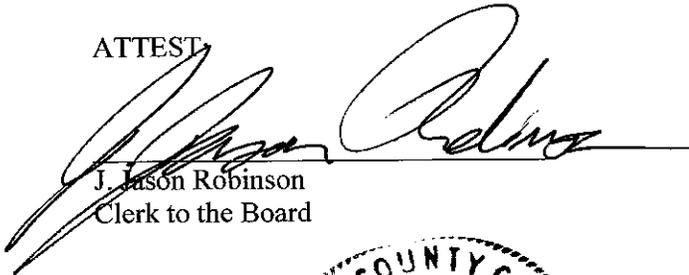
WHEREAS, it is estimated that Yancey County could receive \$12,546,064 toward the shortfall of school capital needs from the proposed NC School Bond.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Yancey County Board of Commissioners urges the North Carolina General Assembly to call for a statewide referendum on the November 2018 ballot which is referred to as the Public School Building Bond Act (HB866/SB542) so that school districts across North Carolina are better able to meet urgent facility needs.

ADOPTED this the 9th day of April 2018.


Johnny Riddle, Chairman

ATTEST


J. Jason Robinson
Clerk to the Board



Attachment J



PROCLAMATION

IN RECOGNITION OF

NATIONAL COUNTY GOVERNMENT MONTH APRIL 2018

"Serving the Underserved"

WHEREAS, the nation's 3,069 counties serving more than 300 million Americans provide essential services to create healthy, safe and vibrant communities; and

WHEREAS, counties move America forward by providing health care, administering justice, keeping communities safe, creating economic opportunities and much more; and

WHEREAS, Yancey County and all counties take pride in their responsibility to protect and enhance the health, welfare and safety of its residents in efficient and cost-effective ways; and

WHEREAS, through the National Association of Counties (NACo) "Serving the Underserved" initiative, NACo is focusing on the critical role counties play in breaking multi-generational cycles of poverty; and

WHEREAS, in order to remain healthy, vibrant and safe, America's counties provide public health, justice, safety, infrastructure, transportation, technology, environmental stewardship and economic services that play a key role in everything from residents' daily commutes to emergency response; and

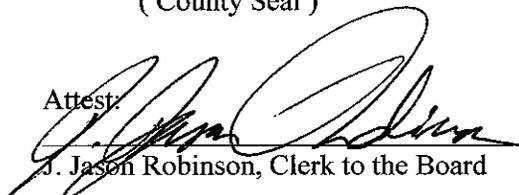
WHEREAS, each year since 1991 the National Association of Counties has encouraged counties across the country to actively promote their own programs and services to the public they serve; and

WHEREAS, Yancey County strives to provide excellent service to the community through improved county facilities including the new Senior Citizens Center, Department of Social Services, County Service Center, Library and Parks. Additionally, Yancey County supports economic development opportunities that will strengthen our county by working to expand infrastructure improvements and job creating initiatives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners that April 2018 be recognized as "National County Government Month" and encourage all Yancey County officials, employees, schools and residents to participate in county government activities.

ADOPTED this the 9th day of April, 2018 by the Yancey County Board of County Commissioners.

(County Seal)

Attest:

J. Jason Robinson, Clerk to the Board




Johnny Riddle, Chairman