

FORSYTH COUNTY

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: May 23, 2019

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: 9

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF NECESSARY DOCUMENTS TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE, FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018 STATE CRIMINAL ALIEN ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SCAAP) FUNDS (FORSYTH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE)

COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION OR COMMENTS: Recommend Approval

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION:

On April 11, 2019, the Forsyth County Sheriff's Office was notified that the agency is eligible to apply for 2017-2018 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) grant funds from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice. The award amount, to be determined at a later date, will be based on total Federal funding and application data to be provided (costs, identification of eligible inmates and their length of stay in the Forsyth County Law Enforcement Detention Center). This resolution authorizes execution of necessary documents to apply for the funds the Sheriff's Office is eligible for and to receive those funds.

As per the Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (Pub. L. 109-162, Title XI) SCAAP funds must be used for correctional purposes only and as per a list of allowable uses. Jurisdictions receiving SCAAP awards must report the use of funds. In Forsyth County, these funds have typically been used to fund equipment and capital project expenditures at the Detention Center. The Sheriff's Office maintains, in coordination with Budget & Management, documents showing past use of funds and projected use of future funds.

Since the original award in 2010, a total of \$676,915 has been received and \$447,851 has been expended.

No local matching funds are required.

ATTACHMENTS: YES NO

SIGNATURE: _____

J. Dudley Watts, Jr. /AMS

COUNTY MANAGER

DATE: May 20, 2019

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF
NECESSARY DOCUMENTS TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, BUREAU OF JUSTICE
ASSISTANCE, FY 2017-2018 STATE CRIMINAL ALIEN
ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SCAAP) FUNDS
(FORSYTH COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE)**

WHEREAS on April 11, 2019, the Forsyth County Sheriff's Office was notified that the agency is eligible to apply for 2017-2018 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) grant funds from the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice;

WHEREAS SCAAP grant funds must be used for correctional purposes; and

WHEREAS the award amount, to be determined at a later date, will be based on total Federal funding and application data to be provided;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes the Chairman or County Manager and the Clerk to the Board to execute the necessary documents, on behalf of Forsyth County, to apply for, and if awarded to accept, U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance, FY 2017-2018 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) funds in an amount to be determined based on actual costs and eligible inmate data.

Adopted this 23rd day of May 2019.