REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: July 19, 2006

SUBJECT: Governor's Highway Safety Program Grant

ATTACHMENTS: No

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Captain Rick Davis with the Henderson County Sheriff's Department has submitted the following request:

To: Justin Hembree, Assistant County Manager

From: Captain Rick Davis, Sheriff's Office Support Services Div.

Date: 7 July 2006

Re: Mills River Traffic Deputy Grant

At the request of the Town of Mills River, our office submitted a grant request to the Governor's Highway Safety Program. The purpose of this grant was to obtain a fully equipped Deputy dedicated to working traffic enforcement within the town limits of Mills River.

On 22 June 2006 the Governor's Highway Safety Program gave initial approval for this grant. The next step in this process requires approval from the Henderson County Board of Commissioners in order to proceed past the initial/conceptual stage.

After agreements & costs are completed, the Sheriff's Office will seek final grant approval from the Town of Mills River and the Henderson County Board of Commissioners. No County funds are being requested as part of this grant application process.

Our office requests action endorsing the Governor's Highway Safety Program grant our office seeks on behalf of the Town of Mills River.

I respectfully request this item be placed on Board of Commissioner's consent agenda for 19 July 2006.

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommend endorsement of the above referenced Governor's Highway Safety Program grant.