REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: June 5, 2023

SUBJECT: Home & Community Care Block Grant Funds

FY24 County Funding Plan

PRESENTER: Sonya Flynn, Budget Manager

ATTACHMENTS: 1. Home & Community Care Block Grant Committee

FY24 Allocation Recommendations

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Each year, the Board of Commissioners is required to adopt a Funding Plan for the Home & Community Care Block Grant for Older Adults and identify the lead office or agency responsible for coordinating the County Funding Plan. The Home & Community Care Block Grant is a State/Federal program administered at the local level. The proposed Funding Plan supports the service priorities identified for the current planning cycle.

Home & Community Care Block Grant funding for FY2024 is \$844,293.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Staff recommends designation of the County Manager's office as the Lead Agency or office and approval of the proposed FY24 Funding Plan as presented.

Suggested Motion:

I move the Board appoint the County Manager's office as the Lead Agency and approve the proposed FY24 Funding Plan.

HOME & COMMUNITY CARE BLOCK GRANT COMMITTEE FY24 ALLOCATION RECOMMENDATIONS

PROVIDER NAME	PROGRAM	FY2023 FUNDING (ORIGINAL)		FY2023 FUNDING (AMENDED)		FY2024 FUNDING REQUEST		F	FY2024 RECOMMENDED ALLOCATION	FUNDING PERCENTAGE
IN-HOME SERVICES										
Henderson County DSS	In Home Aide, Level I	\$	34,260	\$	34,260	\$	35,000	\$	33,575	4.0%
MountainCare	Adult Day Care	\$	18,688	\$	18,688	\$	34,411	\$	25,888	3.1%
MountainCare	Adult Day Health	\$	32,926	\$	32,926	\$	45,233	\$	39,841	4.7%
Premier Home Health Care Services, Inc.	In Home Aide, Level II	\$	59,228	\$	59,228	\$	94,500	\$	58,043	6.9%
Premier Home Health Care Services, Inc.	In Home Aide, Level III	\$	26,390	\$	26,390	\$	39,060	\$	25,862	3.1%
	SUBTOTAL: IN-HOME SERVICES	\$	171,492	\$	171,492	\$	248,204	\$	183,209	21.7%
LEGAL SERVICES										
Pisgah Legal Services	Free Legal Services / Low-Income Elderly	\$	43,505	\$	43,505	\$	50,000	\$	42,200	5.0%
	SUBTOTAL: LEGAL SERVICES	\$	43,505	\$	43,505	\$	50,000	\$	42,200	5.0%
ACCESS SERVICES										
MountainCare	Adult Day Services Transportation	\$	7,910	\$	7,910	\$	32,400	\$	15,325	1.8%
WNCSource (formerly WCCA)	General Transportation	\$	123,362	\$	123,362	\$	136,500	\$	120,895	14.3%
WNCSource (formerly WCCA)	Medical Transportation	\$	29,173	\$		\$	31,250	\$	28,590	3.4%
	SUBTOTAL: ACCESS SERVICES	\$	160,445	\$	160,445	\$	200,150	\$	164,809	19.5%
OTHER SERVICES										
Council on Aging	Congregate Dining	\$	26,696	\$	26,696	\$	35,000	\$	26,162	3.1%
Council on Aging	Home Delivered Meals	\$	301,305	\$	301,305	\$	365,000	\$	305,865	36.2%
Council on Aging	Liquid Nutrition	\$	39,155	\$	39,155	\$	45,000	\$	38,763	4.6%
Council on Aging	Information / Options Counseling	\$	-	\$	-	\$	25,000	\$	13,455	1.6%
Henderson County DSS	Consumer Directed Services / Personal Assistant	\$	44,331	\$	44,331	\$	77,429	\$	43,444	5.1%
Henderson County DSS	Consumer Directed Services / Financial Mgmt.	\$	4,612	\$	4,612	\$	7,571	\$	4,520	0.5%
Housing Assistance Corporation	Housing & Home Improvement Services	\$	11,865	\$,	\$	70,000	\$	11,865	1.4%
Jewish Family Services of WNC	Elder Club Group Respite	\$	7,910	\$	7,910	\$	10,000	\$	10,000	1.2%
	SUBTOTAL: OTHER SERVICES	\$	435,875	\$	435,875	\$	635,000	\$	454,075	53.8%
	TOTAL	\$	811,317	\$	811,317	\$	1,133,354	\$	844,293	100.0%

Comments:

The last column indicates the percentage of total FY2024 HCCBG funding recommended by the Committee to be allocated for each provider. This includes the allocation for Legal Services, which is a statutory amount that must be allocated to Legal Services. (FY24 = \$5,090)

HCCBG Services have been categorized in accordance with priority services established by Title III-B of the Older Americans Act. Specific services falling within each priority service category are set forth above and color coded for your convenience.