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RESOLUTION



SUPPORT OF FULL FUNDING FOR THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM

- WHEREAS, the Community Development Block Grant program (CDBG) is a federally funded program within the Department of Housing and Urban Development that provides money for the development of affordable housing and community development; and,
- WHEREAS, last year North Carolina received \$45 million from CDBG that was distributed to cities and counties across the state for housing in low income communities; and,
- **WHEREAS**, there is a proposal to reduce or eliminate CDBG and 17 other HUD programs and move them to the Department of Commerce.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Henderson County Board of Commissioners supports the preservation of this vital program at the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and supports a FY 2006 funding level of \$4.7 billion overall, and *no less* than \$4.350 billion in *formula funding*. This would fund the program at its FY04 level and restore the unwarranted cuts made to the program in FY05.

Adopted this 4th day of April 2005.

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ATTEST:	

Elizabeth W. Corn, Clerk to the Board

WILLIAM L. MOYER, CHAIRMAN