

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: November 4, 2024

SUBJECT: Blue Ridge ABC Board Donation – Adult Recovery Court

PRESENTER: Jodi Grabowski, Director, Department of Strategic Behavioral Health

ATTACHMENTS: None

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

On July 23, 2024, The Adult Recovery Court (ARC) submitted a grant proposal to the Blue Ridge ABC Board. Daniel Conway, ARC Coordinator, and Dr. Michelle Geiser, from Hope Coalition, then presented at the quarterly ABC Board Meeting on August 27, 2024. They presented information about the new recovery court program, the involved treatment team and community partners, and shared participant success stories.

The ARC requested \$10,000 to support the program with transportation expenses, DWI/SUD classes and assessments for participants needing Driver License restoration, and for training and development for the ARC team. The proposal was accepted with Blue Ridge awarding \$10,000 to Henderson County.

No county funds or county positions will be required for the initiative.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to accept the Blue Ridge ABC Board award and authorize the appropriate budgetary actions necessary to implement the initiative as outlined subject to the funding limitations of the grant.

Suggested Motion:

I move the Board accept the Blue Ridge ABC Board award for Henderson County and approve the necessary budgetary actions to implement the initiative subject to funding limitations of the grant.