Board Meeting
Agenda Abstract

Tuesday, November 17, 2026
Location:

Agenda Item

Budget Amendment - United Arts - Art for Towns - Arts Center - $5,000 - BA-27-10- (Daly) - Item 8.G

Item Explanation

The purpose of this agenda item is to consider approval of a budget amendment recognizing donations of $5,000 from the United Arts Council.

Staff Comments

The Arts Center has received a $5,000 award from the United Arts Councilâ€™s Arts for Towns program. These funds will support North Carolina artist Maggie Cook and the Fuquay Varina Chorale, meeting the grant's requirement for programming featuring local artists.

The Fuquay Varina Chorale has been a cornerstone of the Arts Center since its founding. Over the past eight years, the group has evolved from a small, non-auditioned community ensemble into a performing group with a reach extending from local community events to Carnegie Hall.

The success and consistency of the Chorale are due to the dedicated leadership of Director Margaret "Maggie" Cook. Her work in arranging and rehearsal has allowed the group to expand its repertoire and community impact. These funds will support Maggieâ€™s leadership and the Choraleâ€™s programming through fiscal year 2027.

Fiscal Note

Yes
This budget amendment recognizes a $5,000 grant from the United Arts Council's Arts for Towns program for the Arts Center, in support of Maggie Cook and the Fuquay Varina Chorale.

Recommendation

CONSENT AGENDA

MOTION TO: Approve budget amendment (BA-27-10) as recommended and presented.

ATTACHMENTS

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