



## **Alamance County Board of Commissioners**

### **INFORMATION ITEM AGENDA ITEM**

**MEETING DATE:** 10/2/2023

**DATE SUBMITTED:** 09/05/2023

**FROM:** Skye Sullivan

**DEPT:** Family Justice Center

**AGENDA TITLE:** Alamance Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team Annual Report

**TO:** Alamance County Board of Commissioners

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#### **ISSUE/ACTION REQUESTED:**

Skye Sullivan, Family Justice Center, DVFRT Lead Agency, Corey Ellison, VAYA Health, DVFRT Co-Chair, and Linda Witherspoon, Family Abuse Services, DVFRT Co-Chair, will be here to deliver the first annual report from the Alamance County Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team.

#### **BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF REQUEST:**

In 2021, the Alamance County Family Justice Center (FJC) received approval from the Justice Advisory Council and the Alamance County Board of Commissioners to create a Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team to identify and analyze homicides, suicides, and other deaths caused by, related to, or somehow traceable to domestic violence. The team is required to release a report every 3 years to go to the County Commissioners, the Domestic Violence Commission, and the Governors Crime Commission.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends the Board receive the findings and recommendations from the Alamance County Domestic Violence Fatality Review Team.

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#### **ATTACHMENTS:**