

# Alamance County Board of Commissioners ACTION ITEM AGENDA ITEM

**MEETING DATE:** 11/6/2023

**DATE SUBMITTED:** 10/16/2023

FROM: William Kleiner

**DEPT:** Cooperative Extension

**AGENDA TITLE:** Golden Leaf Foundation Grant

**TO:** Alamance County Board of Commissioners

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

This item seeks approval for Cooperative Extension to apply for a grant from the Golden Leaf Foundation

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

This item seeks approval for Cooperative Extension to apply for, and if approved to budget, a grant from the Golden Leaf Foundation for the Field Crop Sustainability Initiative in the amount of \$325,000. The grant will be used to create demonstration and research plots throughout Alamance County. The demonstration plots and associated research will allow local farmers and university researchers to determine our area's most successful crop varieties. The grant does not require a County match.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

County Manager recommends approval.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**