



Alamance County Board of Commissioners

ACTION ITEM AGENDA ITEM

MEETING DATE: 1/16/2024

DATE SUBMITTED: 1/5/2024

FROM: Rik Stevens

DEPT: County Attorney's Office

AGENDA TITLE: Cane Creek Mountain Recreational Trail Grant Approval

TO: Alamance County Board of Commissioners

ISSUE/ACTION REQUESTED:

Alamance Parks seeks permission to apply for – and if awarded, to budget for – a grant from the North Carolina Division of Parks & Recreation Recreational Trails Program for Phase 3 construction at Cane Creek Mountains Natural Area.

BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

This grant has already been reviewed by the Board at the February 6, 2023 meeting. At that time, the description of the grant was that we were to receive \$100,000 from the NC Trails Program to construct a new trailhead on Mt. Hermon Rock Creek Road. However, the overall total of the grant is \$226,000. Aside from the \$100,000 to be awarded from the NC Trails Program, the complete description of the funding as listed on the grant application also includes \$105,000 in matching in-kind funds (to be sourced from a local non-profit) and the County will need to supply \$21,000 in cash. Request that the Board approve expenditure of the \$21,000 necessary to fulfill the County's commitments as proposed in the grant application.

RECOMMENDATION:

Review and approve the grant application for Phase 3 construction at Cane Creek Mountains Natural Area.

ATTACHMENTS: