

# **Alamance County Board of Commissioners BUDGET AMENDMENT AGENDA ITEM**

**MEETING DATE:** 1/21/2025

**DATE SUBMITTED:** 1/10/2025

**FROM:** Karen Schwabrow

**DEPT:** IT Dept.

**AGENDA TITLE:** Approval of SLCGP Grant-IT Dept

**TO:** Alamance County Board of Commissioners

## **ISSUE/ACTION REQUESTED:**

The Board will consider a request to apply for SLCGP Grant – IT Department

# **BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF REQUEST:**

Alamance County IT Department is seeking approval to apply for \$250,000 in grant funding from the State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program (SLCGP) grant. The total project cost is \$423,566.60 and the county is requesting grant funding in the amount of \$250,000 with a local county match of \$173,566.60 - well over the 30% match requirement. The county's portion of the funding is secured and in hand and the county is ready to purchase the equipment and begin the project upon grant award. This is a planned project that addresses the need for additional storage as well as the ability to duplicate data and create a backup system that would allow recovery from a cyber disaster event, ensuring continuity of operations.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

IT staff recommend approval.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**