



Committee on Finance

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COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Agenda Item No.: F- 5 Meeting Date: August 10, 2020

REQUEST FOR COMMITTEE ACTION

To: Bob Taylor, Chairman, Committee on Finance

From: John Hansley, Deputy County Administrator

Department: General Services

Item Title: Foothills Fire Service Area Millage Reduction

Action Taken by Committee previously: County Council created the Foothills Fire Service Area through a contractual agreement with the Town of Tryon, NC. The Fire Service Area pays the Town of Tryon an annual fee based on an established formula. Council previously adopted Ordinance 5020 approving a millage rate of 23.1 on September 18, 2018.

Motion Requested Today: To reduce the Foothills Fire Service Area's current millage rate from 23.1 to 22.0 mills.

Staff Recommendation: N/A

Impact of Action: Represents a reduction in the millage rate of 1.1 mills, or a savings of \$8.80 for the owner of a \$200,000 home.

Funding Amount/Source: Ad Valorem Tax

Requested by: Foothills Fire Service Area Board of Fire Control

Staff Representative: John Hansley

Outside Representative: Richard Locke, Commission Chair, Foothills Fire Service Area

List of Attachments:

- Budget/Letter

7/30/2020
Date Submitted

8/7/2020 (JFH)
Approved by the County Administrator

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Council District