

J. Leslie Bell

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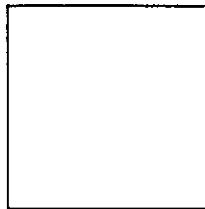
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Application Status

Approved

Hello,

The grant proposal "2026 Community Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant Program" that has been submitted by PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT , has been approved. You should now

proceed to include this item in the upcoming agenda of the Board of County Commissioners' meeting. If the agenda review for the upcoming meeting has already taken place, please submit this item for inclusion in the subsequent Board of County Commissioners' session.

Proposal Summary:

- **1. Guilford county employee name:** Jessie Baptist
- **2. Guilford county employee email address:** jbaptis@guilfordcountync.gov
- **3. Name of grant:** 2026 Community Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant Program
- **5. Application due date:** 02/13/2026
- **7. Estimated dollar amount to be requested in this grant application:** \$8,000.00

Approval Summary:

- **Approved By Finance Department?:** Yes
 - Approve
- **Approved by Legal Department?:** Yes
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- **Approved by Budget and Management?:** Yes
 - Approved. Will need to make sure the \$2,000 in match is reflected clearly in the FY27 budget if awarded.
- **Approved by Assistant County Manager?:** Yes
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You may proceed to create an agenda item for the next Board of Commissioners meeting.

Sincerely,

SimpliGOV on behalf of Guilford County Information Technology

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General Grant Information

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1. Guilford county employee name: Jessie Baptist
2. Guilford county employee email address: jbaptis@guilfordcountync.gov
3. Name of grant: 2026 Community Waste Reduction and Recycling Grant Program
4. Department name: PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
5. Application due date: 02/13/2026
6. Name of the sponsor or funding agency: N.C. Department of Environmental Quality
8. What is the source of funding for this grant?: State
9. Will Guilford County be the prime recipient of grant funding or a subrecipient/contractor?: Prime
10. What is the period of performance (start and end date of the agreement)? : July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
11. When does the funder anticipate notifying grantees that their proposal was awarded or not awarded?: end of April 2026
12. Does the application indicate renewal options are available?: No
13. Funding Opportunity Description: New Grant
14. Does the grant application require any of the following?: Certifications or assurances, Conflict of Interest Disclosures
15. Please enter the web address (URL) for the grant application so that we may review the relevant materials.:
https://qokoigcab.cc.rs6.net/tn.jsp?f=001ZGzQHI-eB2XiyazLQMgq2T_96jynODk-sT5ZMxxUM-VHKliZcnIfK6K60Pe7P9Pum0yh-UMQh3NnQbtWyiC1NMhoWJU-bOn18JUoUsv1fN_eLfiT4IntI_fQdyZbk8l17RtCi6mD8fr8kgoKkhs32s2JywFQoUSHFxXmmTg4KmfzKq3wFhOWqA==&c=cwGsqYciR7G-KpzMzscBHJGpFdD8g4bxB9fvFclWD92UBu7CkYxFA==&ch=maT8yxmo7qxz
16. Please upload a copy of the grant guidance / funding opportunity: 2026 CWRAR RFP.pdf
17. Please list the name of the Guilford County employee serving as the primary point of contact for this grant application.: Bonnie Ware
18. To your knowledge, has the Guilford County department seeking to apply for this grant received grant funding from this sponsor agency in the past? *: Yes
19. Please briefly describe the purpose of the proposed program, service or activity to be supported by this grant funding.: This grant will enable Guilford County to purchase proper storage containment for lithium batteries collected from Guilford County residents at the Bishop Road Collection Facility. It will also allow the County to educate the public on the lithium battery recycling and safety.
20. Submission of this Notice of Intent to Submit a Grant has been reviewed by.: Department Director
22. Will the proposal include a request for new or temporary positions?: No
25. If awarded, does implementing the grant require any of the following?: Cost sharing or Match
26. If the grant requires match, what type of match is allowed?: Cash match



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27. If the grant requires match, please indicate the amount of match required and how the department plans to meet the match requirement.: 20% - The department plans to use surplus monies from FY27.
28. Does this grant require reporting?: Yes
29. If applicable, please tell us the frequency and type of reporting that the grant requires.: final annual report
30. How will the grant application be submitted?: Sponsor web-based Portal
31. Is this a collaborative proposal with other Guilford County departments?: No
33. Is this a collaborative proposal with any non-Guilford County entities?: No
35. Which of the following Board of Commissioners goals and key strategic actions does this grant align with?: Growth & Sustainability, Public Safety

Finance Review Information

Is department able to satisfy reporting needs for SEFSA, if applicable?: Approve

Dept/County able to meet Internal control/closeout requirements?: Yes

Finance Department Approve/Deny Comments: Approve

Approved By Finance Department?: Yes

Legal Review Information

Adequate timeframe for public notice/hearing requirements, if any?: N/A

Are the department and/or County able to satisfy conformance requirements of the award?: Yes as to those identified in the application materials.

Is the applicant aware of and compliant with all standard certifications required?: NA

Approved by Legal Department?: Yes

Assistant County Manager Review Information

Approved by Assistant County Manager?: Yes