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SENATE BILL DRS45558-MCa-309

Short Title: Critical Funds for Mecklenburg County. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Mohammed and Salvador (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO PROVIDE CRITICAL FUNDS FOR MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Office of State  
5 Budget and Management the sum of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) in nonrecurring funds for  
6 the 2026-2027 fiscal year to provide a directed grant to the Charlotte Mecklenburg Library  
7 Foundation, a nonprofit organization, for the construction of the new main library.

8 **SECTION 2.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Office of State  
9 Budget and Management the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) in nonrecurring  
10 funds for the 2026-2027 fiscal year to provide a directed grant to The C.W. Williams Community  
11 Health Center, Inc., a nonprofit organization, to assist in the completion of its full-service  
12 community health center located in Mecklenburg County.

13 **SECTION 3.** There is appropriated from the Highway Fund to the Department of  
14 Transportation the sum of nine million five hundred thousand dollars (\$9,500,000) in  
15 nonrecurring funds for the 2026-2027 fiscal year, to be used for the planning and design of the  
16 Westmoreland Road Interchange (Interstate 77 Exit 27) in the Town of Cornelius.

17 **SECTION 4.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Office of State  
18 Budget and Management the sum of seven million five hundred thousand dollars (\$7,500,000)  
19 in nonrecurring funds for the 2026-2027 fiscal year to be used to provide directed grants as  
20 follows:

- 21 (1) Five million dollars (\$5,000,000) to the Habitat for Humanity of the Charlotte  
22 Region, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, for costs associated with providing  
23 affordable housing in the Charlotte region.  
24 (2) Two million five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) to the City of  
25 Charlotte for operational expenses and other costs of The Umbrella Center in  
26 Charlotte.

27 **SECTION 5.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Office of State  
28 Budget and Management the sum of six million five hundred thousand dollars (\$6,500,000) in  
29 nonrecurring funds for the 2026-2027 fiscal year to provide a directed grant to The Discovery  
30 Place-Charlotte Nature Museum, a nonprofit organization, for capital improvements to the  
31 museum facilities.

32 **SECTION 6.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2026.



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