

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH

SECRETARY

June 29, 2018

#### SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

The Honorable Gregory Murphy, Co-Chair House Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 632, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

The Honorable William Brisson, Co-Chair House Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 405, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925 The Honorable Josh Dobson, Co-Chair House Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 301N, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

The Honorable Chris Malone, Co-Chair House Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 1229, Legislative Building Raleigh, NC 27601-1096

Dear Chairmen:

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Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Rob Kindsvatter, Director of the Office of Budget & Analysis, at 919-855-4855.

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Joyce Krawiec, Co-Chair Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 308, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925 The Honorable Louis Pate, Co-Chair Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services North Carolina General Assembly Room 311, Legislative Office Building Raleigh, NC 27603-5925

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Dear Director Trogdon:

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#### SFY 2017-18 Quarterly Report of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Maintenance of Effort (TANF MOE) Expenditures through the Third Quarter (March 31, 2018)

\* Baseline TANF MOE Requirement - SFY 17-18

\$ 164,014,910

MOE Items from Business Plan	Projected SFY 2017-18 MOE						SFY 2017-18 MOE Recorded In North Carolina Accounting System (NCAS) July 1, 2017 - March 31, 2018					
		State		County		Total		State		County		Total
A. TANF DIRECT PROGRAM COSTS												
1. Work First County Block Grant - Total	\$	-	\$	103,954,674	\$	103,954,674	\$	-	\$	84,996,749	\$	84,996,749
2. State Administration (Division of Social Services)	\$	1,406,991	\$	-	\$	1,406,991	\$	1,739,219	\$	-	\$	1,739,219
3. State Administration (Central Administration)	\$	64,977	\$	_	\$	64,977	\$	55,054	\$	_	\$	55,054
<ol> <li>TANF Automation Projects (Division of Information Resources Management)</li> </ol>	\$	514,722	\$	_	\$	514,722	\$	241,428	\$	_	\$	241,428
TOTAL DIRECT TANF PROGRAM COSTS	\$	1,986,690	\$	103,954,674	\$	105,941,364	\$	2,035,701	\$	84,996,749	\$	87,032,450
B. Division of Child Development and Early Education												
1. Non Smart Start Subsidy through DCDEE	\$	25,511,760	\$	-	\$	25,511,760	\$	18,907,796	\$	-	\$	18,907,796
2. Smart Start Subsidy through DCDEE	\$	11,342,565	\$	-	\$	11,342,565	\$	11,342,565	\$	-	\$	11,342,565
3. Smart Start Subsidy through NC Partnership for Children	\$	10,458,726	\$	-	\$	10,458,726	\$	8,212,335	\$	-	\$	8,212,335
4. **NC Pre-K	\$	10,760,495	\$	-	\$	10,760,495	\$	10,760,495	\$	-	\$	10,760,495
TOTAL DCDEE PROVIDED MOE	\$	58,073,546	\$	-	\$	58,073,546	\$	49,223,191	\$	-	\$	49,223,191
TOTAL	\$	60,060,236	\$	103,954,674	\$	164,014,910	\$	51,258,892	\$	84,996,749	\$	136,255,641

\* TANF MOE provisions include specified state spending levels and general requirements on the use of funds. For example, these provisions require that each state spend at least 80 percent (75 percent if the state meets certain performance standards) of the amount it spent on welfare and related programs in fiscal year 1994, before TANF was created. The baseline TANF MOE for North Carolina is \$164,014,910. North Carolina has had difficulty meeting the two-parent participation rate performance standard and therefore has been required to meet the 80 percent requirement. (45 CFR 263.1) In addition, state law requires the Department to maintain the state's MOE at 100% of the 1996-97 certified budget. (N.C.G.S. 108A-27.12)

\*\*NC Pre-K expenditures reflect the amount that is counted towards meeting the baseline TANF MOE for North Carolina for SFY 2017-18. Total TANF MOE allowable NC Pre-K expenditures may exceed the amount that is counted towards meeting the baseline TANF MOE.