

# COMMISSION ON INDIGENT DEFENSE SERVICES

## REPORT ON CONTRACTS WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

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Pursuant to G.S. 7A-346.2

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*Safeguarding individual liberty and the Constitution by equipping the North Carolina public defense community with the resources it needs to achieve fair and just outcomes for clients*

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This report is submitted pursuant to G.S. 7A-346.2(a), which directs the IDS Office to report by March 1 of each year on contracts with local governments for additional assistant public defender positions, including the number of such contracts, the number of attorney positions, and the dollar amount of each contract.

Grantor	Number & Type of Position	Initial Grant/ Contract FY Year	FY18 Total	FY19 Expected	FY20 Expected
<b>Mecklenburg County</b>					
County	6 APD 6 Legal Assistants 2 Social Workers 12.5% of 2 additional APD	2014	\$897,625	\$905,000	\$956,380
County	Salary supplements for all APDs, including county funded positions	2017	\$425,163	\$432,000	
<b>Durham County</b>					
County	1 APD for First Appearances	2017	\$62,608	\$64,800	\$68,000
<b>Buncombe County</b>					
MacArthur Foundation	1 APD for First Appearances	2019		\$33,619	\$99,977
County	1 Social Worker	2019		\$49,305	\$69,876

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Additional information about the Indigent Defense Services Commission and Indigent Defense Services, including prior annual reports to the General Assembly and fact sheets about the needs IDS fills is available at [www.IDS.org](http://www.IDS.org).

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