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Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government Co-Chairs Sen. McInnis and Rep. Warren Legislative Building 16 West Jones St. Raleigh, NC 27601 Fiscal Research Division Attention: Director North Carolina General Assembly 300 North Salisbury St., Suite 610 Raleigh, NC 27603

Notice to the Joint Legislative Committee on Local Government Concerning Proposed Financing by Pender County

To the Committee:

As counsel to Pender County, North Carolina, and as required under N.C. Gen. Stat. Section 120-157.2, we are providing this notice of a proposed local government capital project that requires approval of the North Carolina Local Government Commission and requires debt to be issued in an amount exceeding \$1,000,000. Here is information about the proposed financing –

Project description	60,000-square-foot law enforcement center that will house the County's consolidated health and human services functions
LGC meeting for consideration	September 2024
Amount to be financed	Estimated as approximately \$49,000,000
Type of financing	Installment financing under Section 160A- 20, including the use of limited obligation bonds



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Other sources of financing	The amount financed will pay substantially all the project costs.
Estimated financing term	The County expects a financing term of approximately 20 years, which is less than the expected useful life of the property being financed.
Expected source of repayment	General fund revenues and State reimbursements for health department buildings

Please let me know if you have questions for us about this proposed financing.

Very truly yours,

Robert M. Jessup Jr.

cc: Jennifer Wimmer, Deputy Secretary of the Local Government Commission c/o Stephanie Bacik

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