

## Health & Well-Being Resolution

## County's existing practice

- Wake County has an informal practice to support employees with their health and well-being
- County departments provide various levels of support to employees when and if they can
- Knowledge of County's support for health and well-being varies amongst employees

#### Impact of Health & Well-Being

#### **WELLNESS WORKS**

On average, wellness programs result in:

30%

REDUCTION IN WORKERS' COMP / DISABILITY CLAIMS 28%

REDUCTION IN SICK LEAVE

26%

REDUCTION IN MEDICAL COSTS

8%

INCREASE IN PRODUCTIVITY

FOR EVERY \$1 SPENT, WELLNESS PROGRAMS SAVE \$5.93



#### of employers

report improvement in company-wide medical costs



#### of employers

report improvement in company-wide absenteeism



#### of employers

report improvement in productivity

#### **BOC Strategic Goal & Objective**

**Goal of Great Government:** Promoting a vision of a county government that partners with all levels of government to empower, protect and serve its citizens through a culture of respect, collaboration and innovation.

 Objective: Create a culture of health within the county government that supports enhancing the health and wellbeing of employees and their families.

## Purpose of Resolution

To formalize the intent and endorse Wake County Government to seek to be a leader in creating a culture of health for employees and throughout our communities and strives to be aligned with national leaders such as the American Heart Association, to implement best practices in support of health and well-being.









## Administrative Responsibilities

- County Manager to institute human resources policies and procedures for the health and wellbeing of employees and organization
- Benefits staff to develops programs and initiatives that are comprehensive, accessible, within the allocated budget and align with needs and trends
- Encourage employee participation in health and well-being programs and opportunities across the organization

#### Primary Initiatives of the Resolution:

Supporting participation in County-sponsored wellness activities and programs

Improving the nutritional quality of food sold or provided property to support healthy eating choices

Improving access to a physically active environment to support active lifestyles without increasing liability

Developing programs and resources that supports a healthy work-life balance

## **Example Initiative**

 New Health & Well-being Website launched July 1, 2016



# Catalog of Health & Well-being Policies (Attachment 3)

200年 Living Great @ Wake							
200 4	2001 Culture of Health and Well-Being		Create	FY 2017	240 <sub>4</sub>	Nutrition	
	2001	Culture of Fleatiff and Well-Belling	Create	112017		2401 Health Food and Beverage Create FY 20	017
2100	Benefi	t.				2402 Healthy Vending Create FY 20	017
2100	2101	Eligibility	Create	FY 2017		2403 Nutritional Messaging Create FY 20	018
	2101	Medical Insurance	Create	FY 2017		2404 Subsidizing Healthy Options Create FY 20	018
	2102	Dental Insurance	Create	FY 2017		2405 Refrigerator Access Create FY 20	018
	2103	Flexible Spending Accounts	Create	FY 2017			
	2104	Supplemental Insurance Benefits	Create	FY 2017	2500	0 Physical Fitness	
	2105	Retirement Benefits	Create	FY 2017		2501 Race to your Finish Line Update FY 20	017
	2017	Retiree Health Insurance	Update	FY 2017		2502 Wellness with Meetings Create FY 20	018
	2108	Worker's Compensation	Update	FY 2017		2503 Time for Integrated Wellness Create FY 20	018
	2100	Worker 3 Compensation	Opuate	112017			
2200	Leave					0 Emotional & Social Wellness	
2200	2201	AnnualLeave	Update	FY 2017		2601 Flex Scheduling Update FY 20	017
	2202	Sick Leave (including transfers)	Update	FY 2017		2602 EAP Utilization Create FY 20	017
	2202	Holiday Leave	Update	FY 2017		2603 Stress Reduction Rooms Create FY 20	018
	2204	Compensatory Leave	Create	FY 2018			
	2205	Family Medical Leave Act Leave	Update	FY 2017	2700	0 Financial Wellness	
	2206	Paid Parental Leave	Update	FY 2017		2701 Tuition reimbursement Update FY 20	017
	2207	Bereavement Leave	Update	FY 2017		2702 NC 529 College Plan Update FY 20	017
	2208	Shared Leave	Update	FY 2017			
	2209	Leave of Absence (LWOP, Extended)	Update	FY 2017	2800	0 Maternity Wellness	
	2210	Administrative Leve	Update	FY 2017		2801 Lactation Rooms Update FY 20	017
	2211	Civil Leave	Update	FY 2017	2900	O Other Employee Programs	
	2212	Military Leave	Update	FY 2017			
	2213	Community Involvement Leave	Update	FY 2017		2901 Wellness Committee Create FY 20	018
	2215	community involvement coave	opuate	112017		2902 CPR/AED Certified Staff Create FY 20	018
2300	Smoki	ng and Alcohol				2903 Return to Work Create FY 20	018
2300				FY 2017			
	2302	Alcohol and Drug Policy	Update	FY 2017			

#### **Next Steps**

11/07/2016 Place on agenda for consideration of approval **12/31/2016** Educate & Communicate to employees Calendar Year 2017 Create and Update Policies

#### **Questions?**