Wake County Legislative Goals 2019-2020

Board of Commissioners January 22, 2019













Legislative Goals Development Process

- Counties submitted proposed goals to North Carolina Association of County Commissioners in Sept.
- NCACC steering committees reviewed goals in Sept./Oct.
- NCACC Board of Directors approved draft goals in Dec.
- NCACC Membership adopted goals at Legislative Goals Conference in January 2019

ALL WAKE COUNTY GOALS WERE APPROVED!!!

Core Values

✓ Retain Local Government Authority (NCACC Core Values)

Tax and Finance

- ✓ Protect Local Revenue Sources (TF-1)
- ✓ Reinstate Affordable Housing Tax Credit (TF-3)

General Government

- ✓ Protect State Transportation Formula(GG-1)
- ✓ Reinstate Subdivision Roadway Maintenance Guarantees (GG-2)
- ✓ Allow Counties to Provide Fiber-Optic Infrastructure(GG-3)
- ✓ Oppose Changes to Current ABC System (GG-4)

Health & Human Services

- ✓ Increase in Funding for Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment (HHS-3)
- ✓ Medicaid Expansion and Funding Increases for Public Health (HHS-4&3)

Public Education

✓ Increase in Statewide Per Pupil Education Funding (PE-Guiding Principle)

Justice & Public Safety

✓ Reinstate Funding for Drug Treatment Courts (JPS-1)

Environment

✓ Prevent the Relaxation of Regulations for Water Supplies (ENV-2)

Next Steps

- Receive feedback on proposed goals
- Approve NCACC statewide goals on January 22, 2019
- Share with the delegation at a Wake County Legislative Delegation meeting
- Advocate!