

LUNENBURG COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Lunenburg County Public Schools

2018-19

Revenue - Expenditure Report

1/31/2019

	Revenue			Fiscal Year-to-Date	Balance	Percent Received
	Budgeted	Current Month				
State Sales Tax	1,758,214	150,749.42		823,615.54	934,598.46	46.84%
State Funds	9,478,785	783,166.41		4,913,384.43	4,565,400.57	51.84%
Federal Funds	1,842,609	5,573.90		485,693.92	1,356,915.08	26.36%
**County Funds	3,740,000			0.00	3,740,000.00	0.00%
***Other Funds	468,724	37,062.88		155,751.29	312,972.71	33.23%
Total Revenue	17,288,332	976,552.61		6,378,445.18	10,909,886.82	36.89%

** County Funds are used each month as needed to cover the difference between revenue and expenditures.

	Expenditures			Fiscal Year-to-Date	Balance	Percent Used	CODE
	Budgeted*	Current Month					
Instruction	11,916,312	958,451.86		5,134,777.61	6,781,534.39	43.09%	
Textbooks	180,000	-		25,747.82	154,252.18	14.30%	
Total Instruction	12,096,312	958,451.86		5,160,525.43	6,935,786.57	42.66%	61000
Adm, Att & Health	798,752	79,931.71		524,524.11	274,227.89	65.67%	62000
Transportation	948,840	77,629.30		543,892.91	404,947.09	57.32%	63000
Maintenance	1,512,729	123,937.66		868,713.43	644,015.57	57.43%	64000
School Food	961,699	59,309.45		426,076.63	535,622.37	44.30%	65000
Facilities						0.00%	66000
Debt Service	380,000				380,000.00	0.00%	67000
Technology	590,000	62,676.54		386,397.86	203,602.14	65.49%	68000
Total Expenditures	17,288,332	1,361,936.52		7,910,130.37	9,378,201.63	45.75%	

* NOTE: Subject to revision

County Office and Department Reports

Landfill Liaison Report
February 5, 2019
January 2019 Report

CFS Landfill:

1. The month of January has seen continued wet weather. There was consistent rain as well as snow and ice storms. This created muddy conditions throughout the landfill. The area around the new cell has been more manageable since it was opened. We are looking ahead to the access road being asphalted and the wheel wash being installed.
2. The day to day operation of the new cell is going well.
3. They are continuing to work on the slopes of the old landfill to provide sufficient cover and to dress up the area before final cover begins.
4. I attended a meeting in Richmond with Tracy Gee, Alvester Edmonds, Randy Slayton along with representatives from Meridan Waste, CFS and the county attorney. This was an information meeting to clarify some questions that had arose.

Citizen Complaints:

1. CFS has fielded several complaints about the speed of trucks on Old Mansion Road. They addressed the issue with the trucking company that was responsible.

Comments:

1. n/a

Convenience Sites:

1. Convenience sites continue to have issues with contractors filling up cans with job waste.
2. Tires are being left in cans in large numbers. We have had up to forty tires in a can. This would lend you to surmise that some businesses are dumping tires throughout the county.

Citizen Complaints:

1. We have had several complaints about the Potts Spring site of potholes where the cans sit. Tracy Gee, County Administrator has reviewed the complaints and made the necessary repairs.

Comments:

1. n/a

New Fiscal Year-

July 2018 County Trash 544.07 tons- average 25.90 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 5954.35 tons- average 283.54 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 15.01 tons
 Recycling 2.32 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -30

August 2018 County Trash 530.71 tons- average 23.07 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 7909.41 tons- average 343.89 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 0 tons
 Recycling 3.93 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -39.5

September 2018 County Trash 460.19 tons- average 24.22 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 8720.88 tons- average 415.28 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 0 tons
 Recycling 5.32 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -39.3

October 2018 County Trash 631.76 tons- average 27.46 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 15,510.78 tons- average 674.38 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 0 tons
 Recycling 1.34 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -52.6

November 2018 County Trash 575.86 tons- average 27.42 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 15,999.61 tons- average 761.88 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 0 tons
 Recycling 1.37 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -58.1

December 2018 County Trash 460.5 tons- average 21.92 tons daily
 Non-county Trash 9,944.58 tons- average 414.35 tons daily
 Non-deplete Trash 0 tons
 Recycling 1.82 tons
 Number of trucks average per day -33.6

PAYMENTS

July 2018 Payment	\$ 5,954.35	\$ 4,583.33	\$ 10,537.68
Received August 31, 2018			
August 2018 Payment	\$ 8,189.24	\$ 4,583.33	\$ 12,772.57
Received October 11, 2018			
September 2018 Payment	\$ 8,797.20	\$ 4,583.33	\$ 13,380.53
Received November 15, 2018			
October 2018 Payment	\$ 15,852.02	\$ 4,583.33	\$ 20,435.35
Received November 26, 2018			
November 2018 Payment	\$ 16,081.29	\$ 4,583.33	\$ 20,664.62
Received January 8, 2019			
December 2018 Payment	\$	\$	\$
Received			

Landfill Report January 31, 2019

Host Fee Year

January 2019 County Trash 597.66 tons- average 25.98 tons daily

Non-county Trash 18,067.18 tons- average 785.53 tons daily

Non-deplete Trash 3.69 tons

Recycling 0 tons

Number of trucks 55.5 average per day

PAYMENTS

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Tracy M. Gee
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Animal Control Report to the Board of Supervisors

Date: February 1, 2019

The following activities were conducted by Animal Control during the month of January 2019:

<u> </u> Stray Cat(s) Picked Up	\$ <u>45.00</u>	Surrender Fees
<u>16</u> Stray Dog(s) Picked Up	\$ <u>60.00</u>	Impoundment Fees
<u> </u> Injured or Ill Cat(s)	\$ <u>35.00</u>	Adoption Fees
<u> </u> Injured or Ill Dog(s)		
<u>14</u> Cat Calls Dispatched	\$ <u>140⁰⁰</u>	Total Fees Collected
<u>48</u> Dog Calls Dispatched		
<u> 2</u> Cats, Surrendered by Owner		
<u>17</u> Dogs, Surrendered by Owner		
<u> </u> Cat Bite		
<u> 2</u> Dog Bite		
<u> </u> Cat(s) Euthanized	<u>18</u> Dog(s) Transferred to SPCA	
<u> </u> Dog(s) Euthanized	<u> 1</u> Cat(s) Transferred to SPCA	
<u> 8</u> Cat Trap(s) Set	<u> 1</u> Wildlife Calls	
<u> 4</u> Dog Trap(s) Set	<u> 1</u> <u>AG call</u>	
<u> 1</u> Summons Issued		
<u> </u> Animal(s) Released to ACO		
<u> </u> Expired at Shelter and/or DOA		
<u> </u> Telephone Calls for Animal Issues		
<u>15</u> Check License		
<u> 2</u> Lost Cat(s) - Incoming Calls		
<u>12</u> Lost Dog(s) - Incoming Calls		
<u> </u> Cat(s) Returned to Owner		
<u> 3</u> Dog(s) Returned to Owner		
<u> </u> Quarantine		
<u> 2</u> Adoption - Dogs		
<u> </u> Adoption - Cats		
	<u>35</u> Total Number of Animals Handled	

D. Ray Elliott ACO
D. Ray Elliott
Animal Control Officer



Lunenburg County Sheriff's Office
Report To The Board Of Supervisors
January 2019



Jury Summons Served	8
Subpoenas Served	101
Criminal Warrants & Summons Served	17
Levies Executed	1
Other Civil Process	192
Accident Investigations	0
Traffic Summons	70
Protective Orders	29
DUI Arrests	0
Inmates Transported	12
Mental Patients	3
Extraditions	0
Circuit Court Days	4
General Court Days	5
J&DR Court Days	4

Expense Report

Dues	\$0.00
Postage	\$0.00
Office Supplies	\$635.85
Telephone	\$468.50
Contracts (Maintenance & Repairs)	\$122.48
Police Supplies	\$0.00
Vehicle Maintenance & Repairs	\$1,309.19
Fuel (December)	\$2,061.16
Gallons of Fuel Use	1,075

Marshall A. Townsend Jr.
Arthur Townsend, Jr.
Sheriff, Lunenburg County

2/6/19
Date

Oak Grove School House

Lunenburg County Board of County Supervisors

Meeting February 14th, 2019 at 6:00 PM

Proposed Agenda Item: Oak Grove School House Restoration Project

Presenters: Mrs. Frances W. Wynn, Project Inspiration

Mr. Stephen S. Israel, President, Lunenburg County Historical Society

Time requested: 20 minutes presenting 4 to 5 power point slides

Presentation:

Introduction: Steve Israel	5 min
Inspiration: Mrs. Frances W. Wynn	5 min
The Project: Steve Israel	5 min
Our Request to BOS: Steve Israel & Frances Wynn	5 min

Karen Wynn/Frances Wynn

Summary for The Oak Grove School Project

The Oak Grove School Project aims to restore and educate about a historic black-owned one-room school house in Virginia. In 1915, The Oak Grove School was built from the ground up by black farmers and ministers on the original site of the Oak Grove Baptist Church in Kenbridge, a small town in Lunenburg County, Virginia. In this community, ever since slavery, there were no conveniently accessible education facilities for black children in the area. To rectify the situation and to provide opportunities for the expanding population, residents banded together to build a school. Land, labor and materials, including lumber from nearby trees, was donated by the founder of the church, Reverend Peter Winn, and neighboring farmers. The one-room structure served children in grades 1-7 who walked daily to school within a 7-mile radius. All seven grades were taught by one teacher. It is believed that during the course of its working existence, from 1915-1953, over 1,140 students were educated at the school.

The Oak Grove School Project, established in 2015 by Frances (Winn) Wynn and Karen Wynn of Mount Vernon, New York, seeks to restore the now dilapidated original structure. Frances (Winn) Wynn is the granddaughter of the founder, Peter B. Winn. The one room schoolhouse still stands on the grounds of the newly-rebuilt Oak Grove Baptist Church. The roof has been weakened by years of neglect, and a tree fell into the structure, causing considerable damage. The tree has since been removed, but nature and human interactions have taken a toll on the structure. In the late 1960's, vandals entered the structure and removed original artifacts, including a pot-bellied stove used to heat the schoolhouse, lecterns, benches and desks. The walls, doors and windows of the structure remain solid, and have been deemed "restorable" by various contractors.

The study and restoration of one room school houses has gained popularity in recent years, with an expanding interest in black-owned structures in the South. According to a study presented by National Public Radio, there are fewer than 400 one room school houses still in existence in the United States. In the early 1900s, Rosenwald schools, established by philanthropist Julius Rosenwald, the CEO of Sears, Roebuck and Co. and the Tuskegee Institute, under Booker T. Washington, were popular in the southern states. Over 5000 were built primarily for the education of African American children in the South. Although the Oak Grove School is not a Rosenwald school, it is widely believed that it was built in the same era and was modeled on a similar floor plan.

The founders of the school simply wanted their children to have the same opportunities for education as white children in the area. It is notable that Frances (Winn) Wynn is one of only three surviving students who attended the school in the late 1930s and early 1940s. Wynn, a lifelong educator, continues the legacy of the founder of the school, Peter Branch Winn. Wynn's mission is to restore the property so generations can continue to appreciate the value and historical significance of the one room schoolhouse in the black community.



Frances W. Wynn

Frances Wynn is a retired educator with 45 years of experience in New York and Virginia schools. Wynn was born in Mount Vernon, New York and grew up in Kenbridge, Virginia. She completed her education at Virginia State University and began her teaching career at the Luther H. Foster High School in Blackstone, Virginia. After relocating to Mount Vernon, New York in 1959, she served as a social worker in Yonkers, New York and later, as a teacher, guidance counselor and director of the Mount Vernon school district's early childhood program.

Wynn's career as an educator in Mount Vernon garnered many successful initiatives. As director of the Pre-Kindergarten program for the city, she increased enrollment from 41 students to 281, which increased by six times the statewide grant afforded the city. The program still exists with increased numbers of students in attendance.

Following retirement, Wynn was elected to the Mount Vernon School Board, where she was re-elected for four terms. During this time, she served for one year as president. During her tenure, many progressive advances were made. Two new schools were built and an ROTC program was brought to the Mount Vernon High School for the purpose of promoting leadership training among students. In 2012, Wynn initiated the establishment of a satellite program from Westchester Community College to serve Mount Vernon's population of 70,000 people. It is the only college program in Mount Vernon. Presently, Wynn serves as Outreach Liaison for the Westchester Community College Foundation. Also during this time, the National Urban Alliance of Teachers College was engaged to study and advise the district's restructuring plan. The International Baccalaureate® Curriculum Study performed a comprehensive audit of the Mount Vernon school district's program with strong recommendations for improvement.

Other programs were introduced during her tenure. A funded reading program was started by the nationally-known organization, Reading Reform. Data showed great and consistent improvement where the program was used in several of the schools in the district during that period. Feeling that the district was making some improvement, she decided not to seek re-election for a fifth term. Instead, she focused on other activities that contributed to the betterment of children and families. However, six years later, Frances observed a decline in student achievement in the district and she decided to run again to help in forging a positive

redirection of the community. She was re-elected for a fifth term and served as president for one more year.

Frances has most recently served as a member of The Westchester/Putnam School Boards Association with local and national representation. She is a member of the NAACP, a Deaconess of the Macedonia Baptist Church and a member of the Westchester/Rockland/Putnam Guidance Association. She has served on the board of directors of the Mount Vernon and Colin Allen Day Care Centers. She is one of the founders of the Castle Taylor Scholarship program at Macedonia Baptist Church. She is a former member of College Careers of Westchester and the Greater Harlem Comprehensive Guidance Center. Frances is a proud member of the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority/Delta Nu Sigma Chapter. She is appreciative of the numerous local and statewide awards she has received for her services to youth and families.

Currently, she is a co-founder of the Mount Vernon branch of "My Brother's Keeper," which is a national effort to improve the lives of youth in our country. For years, she has observed the lack of appropriate care and service to the youth of our city on many levels. When President Obama announced this initiative in 2014, she knew that it was an answer to many of the city's problems for youth.

Concurrently, Frances is leading the charge to make a one room schoolhouse located in Kenbridge, Virginia, a historical site. The school is where she began her formal education. It was built in 1915 by Black farmers in that community at a time when Julius Rosenwald and Booker T. Washington were instrumental in building the Rosenwald schools in the south. The one room Oak Grove School in Kenbridge, Virginia, was located over fifteen miles from the nearest Rosenwald school. It ceased operating in 1951, but it served the surrounding black youth in the rural town for over 35 years. The old schoolhouse was slated to be demolished, but efforts are underway to restore the school and to develop a community scholarship program to enhance the education of children.



The Oak Grove School

Kenbridge, Virginia

1915-1951

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STEPS Homeless Solutions Program Support Form



RECEIVED
JAN 30 2019
BY: _____

225 Industrial Park Rd. Farmville, VA 23901 | (434) 315-5909

January 25, 2019

Ms. Tracey Gee
Lunenburg County Administrator
11413 Courthouse Road
Lunenburg, Virginia 23952

Dear Ms. Gee,

Enclosed you will find a *Certification of Local Government Approval for Nonprofit Organizations Receiving VHSP Funds from State Subrecipients*. STEPS is respectfully requesting you sign this form in support of STEPS receiving funding for the Virginia Homeless Solutions Program (VHSP) for fiscal year 2019-2020 from the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development.

If you would like for us to send a representative from STEPS to your Board of Supervisors meeting to share information on VHSP services, we would be more than willing. Please contact me at (434) 315-5905 Ext. 212 to have a STEPS representative at your February meeting. It is significant to note in Fiscal Year 2017-2018, STEPS served 281 individuals who needed shelter services and safe housing.

Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions or concerns regarding VHSP or its funding. We appreciate the trust you have placed in us to meet the needs of those experiencing homelessness and those to whom we are able to provide services to prevent homelessness in your locality!

Respectfully submitted by,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Sharon L. Harrup". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Sharon L. Harrup, MS
STEPS President & CEO

*Enclosure: Certification of Local Government Approval for Nonprofit Organizations
Receiving VHSP Funds from State Subrecipients*

CERTIFICATION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT APPROVAL

FOR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

RECEIVING VHSP FUNDS FROM STATE SUBRECIPIENTS

I, Tracy M. Gee, County Administrator (*name and title*), duly authorized to act on behalf of Lunenburg County (*name of jurisdiction*), hereby approves STEPS, Inc. to provide the following services for our citizens in need:

- **Rapid Re-housing**
- **Prevention**
- **Shelter Services**

By: _____

Signature and Date

Tracy M. Gee

Typed or Written Name of Signatory Local Official

County Administrator

Title

Note: This certification does NOT need to be completed annually for the same activities funded the previous year. The State only needs to document that it has offered the local government the opportunity to withdraw its previous approval.

Planning Update

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Monthly Report

TO: Lunenburg County Board of Supervisors

FROM: Glenn Millican

DATE: 01.11.19-02.14-19

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- Attended House Finance Committee meeting at the General Assembly regarding solar development.
 - Worked with Mr. Tharpe and Mr. Rennie to develop regulatory conditions for solar facility location.
 - Spoke before House Finance Subcommittee 2 regarding solar development.
 - Met with Rodney Newton, Robin Fowler, and Jeff Sadler of the VA Dept. of Housing and Community Development regarding Community Revitalization Grants.
 - Met with Verizon representatives in Richmond to develop plans for a new cell tower in Lunenburg.
 - Attended SOVA Innovation Hub Advisory Committee in South Boston
 - Developed short presentation for 2 industry prospects in Lunenburg - Project Carney and Project White Oak. Site visits to be scheduled later this month.
 - Review of final draft of Comprehensive Plan.
 - General administrative duties including work on Lunenburg economic development policies and plan.

ANNUAL REPORT of LUNENBURG COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION for 2018

According to the Code of VA 15.2-2221, an annual report must be made by the Planning Commission to the Governing Body.

For 2018 the Planning Commission met six times. We considered the following Conditional Use applications:

Two conservation easements for a total of 352. AC.

One personal services business

One bull breeding and riding facility

Two family cemeteries

One group home

One solar facility

In addition, event venues were discussed at all six meetings.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Buck", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Provided by Buck Tharpe, Chairman

Lunenburg County Planning Commission

ADMINISTRATOR'S UPDATE

-- **As necessary**

Board of Supervisors February Meeting – 2/14/19

County Administrator's Monthly Report

Events in January:

- January 1 – Office closed - New Year holiday
- January 2 – Solar Facility meeting - Appomattox
- January 4 – VA's Crossroads meeting - Crewe WSVS Station
- January 10 – Joint Comprehensive Plan meeting - Victoria Town Office
- January 10 - Board of Supervisors meeting
- January 11 - CRIEHT conference call
- January 15 – Solar Facility roundtable with legislators - Appomattox
- January 16 – SOVA Innovation Hub meeting - South Boston, VA
- January 16 - Piedmont Regional Jail Board meeting
- January 17 – CFS - Meridian meeting - Richmond, VA
- January 18 - Office closed - Lee Jackson holiday (I worked 9-2)
- January 19 - Meherrin VFR annual banquet - Meherrin
- January 21 - Office closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday
- January 23 - Heartland Authority Board meeting
- January 24 - met w/ Rodney on VDEM, Radiocache and FEMA grants
- January 25 - CLEO Workforce Investment Board meeting - Keysville
- January 26 - Kenbridge Fire banquet
- January 28-29 - Tracy STO - sick child
- January 31 - Local Government Legislative Day - Richmond

Administration

- Attended Local Government Legislative Day in Richmond with Supervisors Edmonds and Pennington on a Nottoway bus with their representatives.
- Attended Meherrin Fire and Rescue and Kenbridge Fire banquets.

Airport

- Had repairs done on beacon light and security light.
- Starting plans for the paving project.

Animal Control –

- Officer King has indicated that he is preparing to retire. We will be looking for a new Deputy Animal Control Officer in the near future.

Budget & Finance –

- The School and County finance committees will meet on Thursday, March 14th, at 4:30 before the Board of Supervisors meeting.
- County offices will be submitting their requests by February 20th.

Building Inspection/Zoning –

- Nothing new to report.

Building & Grounds –

- We will have the lights over the Sheriff's entry replaced with LED replacements due to the short life of the current ballasts and bulbs.
- The parking lot is in desperate need of patching/repaving; we are trying to fill with gravel until the weather breaks and the Airport project is funded.

Community/Economic Development/Planning -

- Attended VA's Crossroads meeting in Crewe at WSVS; later had conference call for the Civil Rights in Education Heritage Trail (CRIEHT) Grant with VDOT.
- Working with towns and Glenn to move the BEE and housing grants with DHCD forward.
- Attended multiple meetings regarding solar facilities in Appomattox.
- Attended the SOVA Innovation Hub Committee meeting in South Boston to advance Microsoft and MBC's technology education workforce initiatives in the southern central localities.
- Attended Joint Comprehensive Plan meeting. Public hearings will begin in March with the Planning Commission.
- Attended VA Heartland Regional Industrial Facility Authority Board meeting. Buckingham Branch Railroad and VHRIFA are partnering to have a consultant determine the potential clients for the inland port.
- Attended the Workforce Innovation Board CLEO meeting in Keysville. We now have the lowest unemployment rates in over ten years in Southside Virginia.

Emergency Services/Law Enforcement -

- Collected information from departments and submitted both the Four-for-Life EMS Grant and Fire Program Aid-to-Locality funding reports.
- Submitted first requests for reimbursement for School Resource Officer funds. They may be delayed due to the shutdown.

Piedmont Regional Jail Authority -

- The PRJA audit was distributed. RFCA did not have findings of the severity of those discovered last audit. They offered advice on accounting of the commissary fund and some of the discrepancies created by the transition from a Jail Board to an Authority were still lingering. Staff is addressing and already resolved most of the concerns.

School -

- Scheduled a finance committee meeting with the school finance committee on Thursday, March 14th, at 4:30pm before the Board of Supervisors monthly meeting.

Social Services and/or CSA-

- Booked Cheryl Blow to attend the annual CSA Conference April 29-May 1
- Discussed DSS Advisory Board with potential nominee, Jacia Shaw.

Solid Waste -

- Met with Rob Guidry of CFS and management from Meridian Waste to discuss the Host Agreement and county waste operations for the foreseeable future.
- Requested a host fee increase from RWG5, LLC. They would like the Board to consider increases in tonnage and landfill expansion.

UPCOMING dates of interest:

February 14 - Finance committee meeting 5:30pm

February 14 - Board of Supervisors meeting

February 18 - Office closed for George Washington Day

March 4 - Tracy 8hrs STO - children's doctor appointments

March 5 - Congressman Riggleman office hours at County Administration 12:30-1:30

March 14- School Finance meeting 4:30pm

March 14 - Board of Supervisors meeting

April 11 - Board of Supervisors meeting at 10:00am at Central High School

ROTARY Four-Way Test:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it BUILD GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

"Do not boast about tomorrow, for you do not know what a day may bring forth." (Proverbs 27:1)