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SENATE BILL DRS15156-MHa-62

Short Title: Reallocate Civil War & Reconst. Hist Ctr Fnds. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Applewhite (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO REALLOCATE CERTAIN FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE NORTH
3 CAROLINA CIVIL WAR & RECONSTRUCTION HISTORY CENTER FOR CRITICAL
4 COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE, EDUCATION, AND MENTAL HEALTH
5 SERVICES IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** Funds appropriated to the North Carolina Civil War & Reconstruction
8 History Center Foundation in S.L. 2021-180 and to the Cape Fear Historical Complex Foundation
9 in S.L. 2023-234 and in the Committee Reports accompanying both those acts for the North
10 Carolina Civil War & Reconstruction History Center (collectively, the prior appropriations) that
11 remain unspent and unencumbered as of the effective date of this act shall, notwithstanding any
12 other provision of law to the contrary, revert to the Office of State Budget and Management
13 (OSBM) to be reallocated as provided in Section 2 of this act. The Department of Natural and
14 Cultural Resources shall, within 30 days of the effective date of this act, provide an accounting
15 of the prior appropriations to the Joint Legislative Commission on Governmental Operations, the
16 Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources, and
17 the Fiscal Research Division.

18 **SECTION 2.** Funds reverted to the OSBM pursuant to Section 1 of this act shall be
19 reallocated in the following proportions, and these funds are appropriated for the indicated
20 purposes:

- 21 (1) Forty percent (40%) to the City of Fayetteville, to be used for community
22 mental health programs, pedestrian safety projects, workforce development,
23 and a local transportation connectivity study.
24 (2) Thirty percent (30%) to the Town of Hope Mills for the Town's Community
25 Center.
26 (3) Thirty percent (30%) to Cumberland County for the Gray's Creek Water and
27 Sewer District for water and wastewater infrastructure, expansion of youth
28 mental health and substance abuse treatment services, preconstruction
29 activities for the regional aquatic center project, the emergency services
30 mobile incident command unit, and for digital dispatch equipment for the
31 Cumberland County Fire Chiefs Association.

32 **SECTION 3.** Section 2 of this act is effective July 1, 2025. The remainder of this act
33 is effective when it becomes law.

