

County of Brunswick
Office of the County Commissioners



**RESOLUTION OF THE BRUNSWICK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
EXERCISING ITS POWERS TO ASSUME CONTROL OF THE ACTIVITIES OF A
CONSOLIDATED HUMAN SERVICES BOARD**

WHEREAS, a major legislative goal of the North Carolina Association of County Commissioners has been to obtain legislation that would give all counties in North Carolina the flexibility to organize human services in such a way as to promote efficiency and effectiveness in their administration by removing the population threshold of 425,000 which rendered only three counties in the state eligible; and

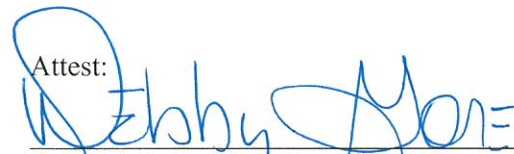
WHEREAS, during the legislative session of 2012 the North Carolina General Assembly adopted House Bill 438 which amended G.S. 153A-77 and G.S. 153A-76 which gives all county board of commissioners the option to exercise its authority or jurisdiction over certain boards, commissions and agencies, including the Board of Health and the Social Services Board; and

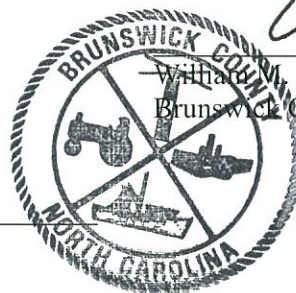
WHEREAS, before the Board of Commissioners may exercise the power and authority contained in G.S. 153A-77 to assume the power, responsibilities and duties of the consolidated human services board, it must hold a public hearing pursuant to 30 days notice given in a newspaper of general circulation, which public hearing has been held at this meeting upon notice duly given.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners that pursuant to G.S 153A-77;

1. It creates a consolidated county human services agency having the authority to carry out the functions of the local health department and the county department of social services; and
2. It creates a consolidated human services board having the powers conferred by subsection (c) of G.S. 153A-77, and further assumes all power, responsibilities and duties of said consolidated human services board pursuant to G.S. 153-77(a) upon notice duly given of a public hearing conducted this day, and the Board of County Commissioners creates an advisory committee consistent with the membership described in 130A-35.
3. It consolidates the provisions of human services in Brunswick County under the direct control of the Human Services Director appointed and supervised by the County Manager in accordance with G.S. 153A-77(b).

This the 17th day of September, 2012.

Attest:

Deborah S. (Debby) Gore, NCCCC
Clerk to the Board




William M. Sue, Chair
Brunswick County Commissioners