

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOUISA
RESOLUTION**

At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Louisa held in the Louisa County Public Meeting Room at 5:00 PM on the 18th day of February 2025, at which the following members were present, the following resolution was adopted by a majority of all members of the Board of Supervisors, the vote being recorded in the minutes of the meeting as shown below:

RESULT:

MOVER: None

SECONDER: None

AYES: None

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A BUDGET SUPPLEMENT FOR THE FOREST
SUSTAINABILITY GRANT**

WHEREAS, in January 2025 the Commissioner of Revenue applied for funding from the Department of Forestry that would restore a portion of foregone revenues back to the localities that provide a lower forest land tax rate to landowners;

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Revenue has received notification that Louisa County will be receiving a proportional share of the funding in the amount of \$86,592.29; and

WHEREAS, the funds must be used per Code of Virginia Section 58.1-3242.1 which states that the funds must be used for public education generally or for projects related to outdoor recreation or forest conservation; and

WHEREAS, the County will use the funding for education purposes working with the Ag/Forest District Committee to hold educational sessions and possibly installing more entering Ag/Forest District signs; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Forestry funding was not included in the Fiscal Year 2025 budget and needs to be appropriated at this time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, on this 18h day of February 2025, that the Louisa County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes a budget supplement in the amount of \$86,592.29 for the Forest Sustainability Expenses (GL # 20212310-431600-C1231). The source of Funding is the Forest Sustainability Grant (GL # 0202R24-324040-C1231).

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Christian R. Goodwin, Clerk
Board of Supervisors
Louisa County, Virginia