COUNTY DEPARTMENT AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Health Department	Presenter(s):	Jack Krakeel/Glenda Bryant
Meeting Date:	Wednesday, July 6, 2011	Type of Request:	Old Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of further information related to the relocation of the Office of Women, Infants, and Children (WIC).

Background/History/Details:

Currently the District 4 WIC Program is located inside the Health Department in the Administrative Complex. Efforts have been underway for many months to find a new location for this service. Health District 4 submitted a funding request to the state WIC office which was approved to pay for the relocation of a WIC building purchased from Coweta County to house the Fayette County WIC Program. The funds can be used for moving the building, relocation costs, and site preparation. Once the building is in place, local District 4 WIC funds will pay the ongoing monthly expenses (utilities, janitorial services, telephone, internet, etc.). The county originally identified a number of possible sites for the WIC Building and the state WIC office has approved a potential site off McDonough Road (where the mulch is currently stored).

The District 4 WIC Program is also interested in the possibility of co-locating on the site of the Fayette County Department of Family and Children Services on Highway 85 south. This location is ideal since the programs serve many of the same families and the location is much closer to the Fayette County Health Department where all the WIC Participants are referred for health services. If the county approves allowing the WIC Building to be located to a site it owns, the District 4 WIC Program would like to allocate its funds to the county for the site preparation and other associated costs.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Further direction is needed.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Not Applicable

Has this issue come before the Commissioners in the past?	Yes	If so, when?	Wednesday, June 1, 2011
Do you need audio-visual for the presentation?	Yes	Back-up Material Submitted?	Yes

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Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	Approved by County Clerk	Yes
Administrator's Approval	Yes		

Staff Notes: