Powell Bill Legislative Budget 2020/2021

Session Law 2019-231 (HB 100) – Ratified 10/18/2019 – Revised by SL 2019-250

Relevant Sections Related to Powell Bill Program

- Section 2.1: State Aid to Municipalities budget for FY 2020-2021 is 154,875,000
- Section 3.1 (27): The additional \$7,375,000 in recurring funds for 2020-2021 fiscal year for municipalities with populations of 200,000 or less.

Link to NC General Assembly Website

https://www.ncleg.gov/BillLookup/2019/H100

Session Law 2019-250 (HB 200) – Ratified 11/18/2019 – Revised by SL 2020-91

Relevant Sections Related to Powell Bill Program

• Section 5.4.(a): Amends SL 2019-231 by adding a new section that further clarifies the additional \$7,375,000 in recurring funds for 2020-2021 fiscal year for municipalities with populations of 200,000 or less.

Link to NC General Assembly Website

https://www.ncleg.gov/BillLookup/2019/H200

Session Law 2020-91 (HB 77) – Ratified 7/6/2020

Relevant Sections Related to Powell Bill Program

- Section 2.1: State Aid to Municipalities budget for FY 2020-2021 is reduced by \$17,795,301.
- Section 4.11.(a): Section 5.4 of SL 2019-250 is repealed.
- Section 4.11.(b):
 - o For 2020-2021 fiscal year, municipalities with a population of 400,000 or more received 2/3 of the appropriation from the 2019-2020 fiscal year.
 - The rest of the Powell Bill funds will be distributed to the remaining participating municipalities per GS 136-41.1(a).

Link to NC General Assembly Website

https://www.ncleg.gov/BillLookup/2019/H77