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### **MEMO**

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**TO:** Blount County Budget Committee  
**FROM:** Don Stallions, General Services Director  
**RE:** Kennel HVAC Replacement  
**DATE:** November 16th, 2023

During the FY23-24 Budget Process, the budget committee approved the funds for the capital project to replace the Kennel HVAC system at the Animal Center. The cost of the project is \$51,216.00.

The current HVAC system servicing the dog kennels of the Animal Center cannot adequately heat the area during the winter months. This necessitates the use of axillary heaters that have to be constantly maintained and fueled by staff. The new system will ensure that the center remains in compliance with keeping the minimal temperatures during the winter months. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 865-223-4729 or 865-273-5772

Don Stallions