

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA**

**SESSION 1993**

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SENATE BILL 1599\*

Short Title: Lenoir Co Arts/Civic Ctr Funds.

(Public)

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Sponsors: Senators Warren, Jordan; and Kerr.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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May 26, 1994

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE COMPLETION OF A NEW ARTS  
CENTER/CIVIC CENTER IN LENOIR COUNTY.

Whereas, Lenoir County is to be the future location of the Global TransPark;  
and

Whereas, the Community Council for the Arts provides the citizens of the  
City of Kinston, Lenoir County, and Eastern North Carolina with access to social,  
cultural, and educational benefits; and

Whereas, great progress has been made in the renovation of a vacant building  
known as the Midyette Hardware Store located in downtown Kinston into a model Arts  
Center/Civic Center; and

Whereas, funds are needed to pay for the completion of the new Arts  
Center/Civic Center; and

Whereas, the local community has already raised one million two hundred  
thousand dollars for this purpose; Now, therefore,

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to Lenoir County the  
sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) for the 1994-95 fiscal year to meet  
obligations toward the completion of a new Arts Center/Civic Center in the Midyette  
Hardware Store Building.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 1994.