#### A. 2015-16 Allocations from the Reserve for Repairs and Renovations A

For fiscal year 2015-16, the 2015 General Assembly appropriated \$150,000,000 to the statewide Reserve for Repairs and Renovations, of which \$50,000,000 (one-third) was allocated to the Board of Governors.

At the meeting on October 30, 2015, the Board of Governors decided to delay any recommendations for the allocation of R&R funds until their December meeting.

## B. Allocations from the Bond Project Authorizations by the 2015 General Assembly for Capital Repairs and Renovations <sup>A</sup>

The Connect NC Bond Act of 2015 (House Bill 943) authorized capital projects funded from bond proceeds totaling \$1,020,000,000, subject to a vote of the qualified voters of the state.

The Connect NC Bond Act of 2015 identifies additional bond proceeds of \$45,000,000 be directed towards Capital Repairs and Renovations. Funds for repairs and renovations projects are appropriated to the Board of Governors for allocation to the institutions.

**SECTION 1.(f)** Use of Public Improvement Bond and Note Proceeds. – (1) Subject to the provisions of subdivision (2) of this subsection, the proceeds of public improvement bonds and notes, including premium thereon, if any, shall be used for the projects in the following general amounts set forth below:

Allocations from the Bond Project Authorizations- Capital Repairs and Renovations <sup>A</sup>	Amount
Elizabeth City State University	
Moore Hall-Complete Building Renovation	\$ 8,500,000
GR Little Library-Complete Building Renovation	4,500,000
University of North Carolina at Asheville	
Renovation and Addition to Owen Hall	21,100,000
<b>University of North Carolina School of the Arts</b>	
Old Library Renovation	8,000,000
Performance Place Renovations	2,900,000
Total	\$45,000,000

# C. Capital Project Authorizations by the 2015 General Assembly for which no Board Action is required (for information only)

#### 1. Capital Improvements Appropriations and Authorizations

The General Assembly appropriated \$5,000,000 from the General Fund for the following projects:

NCSSM	Mathematics – Technology Upgrades and Building Repair	\$ 4,000,000
NCSU	Engineering Building – Advance Planning	\$ 1,000,000

#### 2. Non-General Fund Capital Improvements Project Authorizations

In response to the Board's request, the 2015 General Assembly authorized capital projects funded from non-general fund sources totaling \$184,500,000 in House Bill 679.

**SECTION 2.** The capital improvements projects, and their respective costs, authorized by this act to be acquired or constructed and financed as provided in Section 1 of this act, including by revenue bonds, by special obligation bonds as authorized in Section 4 of this act, or by both, are as follows:

Project Authorization	Amount
Appalachian State University	
New Residence Hall – Replacement for Winkler – Supplement	\$ 32,000,000
East Carolina University	
Renovation of Four Residence Halls	65,000,000
North Carolina Central University	
Deferred Maintenance and Infrastructure Improvements	10,500,000
North Carolina State University	
Engineering Building Oval and Campus Infrastructure	77,000,000
Total	\$184,500,000

**SECTION 4.** Pursuant to G.S. 116D-26, the Board of Governors may issue, subject to the approval of the Director of the Budget, at one time or from time to time, special obligation bonds of the Board of Governors for the purpose of paying all or any part of the cost of acquiring, constructing, or providing for the projects authorized by Section 2 of this act. The maximum principal amount of bonds to be issued shall not exceed the specified project costs in Section 2 of this act plus five percent (5%) of such amount to pay issuance expenses, fund reserve funds, pay capitalized interest, and pay other related additional costs, plus any increase in the specific project costs authorized by the Director of the Budget pursuant to Section 3 of this act.

**SECTION 5.** The General Assembly authorizes planning of the Plant Sciences Building at North Carolina State University to be funded at a maximum cost of fourteen million dollars (\$14,000,000) during the 2015-2017 fiscal biennium in accordance with the following: (1) Notwithstanding G.S. 143C-8-12, the sum of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) in funds carried forward pursuant to G.S. 116-30.3 and G.S. 116-30.3B and available for expenditure during the 2015-2016 fiscal year shall be used for this purpose. If less than five million dollars (\$5,000,000) of these funds are available, then funds carried forward pursuant to G.S. 116-30.3 and G.S. 116-30.3B and available for expenditure during the 2016-2017 fiscal year shall be used for this purpose. (2) The remaining nine million dollars (\$9,000,000) shall be funded with receipts or from other non-General Fund sources available to North Carolina State University, and those funds are hereby appropriated for that purpose.

## D. Bond Project Authorizations by the 2015 General Assembly for which no Board action is required (for information only)

The Connect NC Bond Act of 2015 (House Bill 943) authorized capital projects funded from bond proceeds totaling \$1,020,000,000, subject to a vote of the qualified voters of the state.

**SECTION 1.(f)** Use of Public Improvement Bond and Note Proceeds. – (1) Subject to the provisions of subdivision (2) of this subsection, the proceeds of public improvement bonds and notes, including premium thereon, if any, shall be used for the projects in the following general amounts set forth below:

Project Authorization	Amount
Appalachian State University	
New Health Sciences Building	\$ 70,000,000
East Carolina University	
Life Sciences & Biotech. Building	90,000,000
Fayetteville State University	
Lyons Science Bldg. Renovation	10,000,000
North Carolina A&T State University	
Engineering Building	90,000,000
North Carolina Central State University	
New Business School	30,000,000
North Carolina State University	
Engineering Building	75,000,000
Plant Sciences Building-NCSU/Agriculture Partnership	85,000,000
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	
Medical Education Bldg. Replacement	68,000,000
University of North Carolina at Charlotte	
New Sciences Building	90,000,000
University of North Carolina at Greensboro	
Nursing School Building	105,000,000
University of North Carolina at Pembroke	
New Business School	23,000,000
University of North Carolina at Wilmington	
Allied Health and Human Services/Nursing Building	66,000,000
Western Carolina University	
Science/STEM Building	110,000,000
Winston-Salem State University	
Sciences Building	50,000,000
North Carolina School of Science & Mathematics	
North Carolina School of Technology and Engineering	58,000,000
Total	\$1,020,000,000

#### E. Other Actions by the 2015 General Assembly

In addition, the following capital improvements-related special provisions from the Appropriations Act of 2015 (S.L. 2015-241) are noted for information.

31.2	Capital Projects/General Fund	Appropriates \$4M to NCSSM for upgrades and building repair and \$1M to NCSU for engineering building advance planning.
31.5	Repairs and Renovations Reserve Allocation	Allocates R&R money (one-third to UNC). Requires a portion to be used in each fiscal year for the installation of sprinklers in residence halls. Requires a portion to be used in each fiscal year for campus public safety improvements. Requires that the BOG consider the availability of non-state resources and carryforward funds available and include information in any report submitted.
31.9	Require Non-General Fund Resources to be Used for Advanced Planning of University Capital Projects	Prohibits UNC from making a capital funds request unless the University has first completed advanced planning of the project with funds other than GF appropriations.
31.13	Debt Affordability Study for UNC	Creates GS 116D-55 to require the Board to study the debt affordability of UNC and report to OSBM, Gov Ops, DST, and UNCGA.
31.14	Authorize State Agencies to Undertake Small Repairs and Renovations Projects with Funds Available	Authorizes State agencies to undertake R&R projects with total cost <\$300K, paid for with available funds.
31.17	Amends Require UNC Carryforward Funds to be Used for Repairs and Renovations	Allows for temporary increase in carryforward not to exceed 5% of General Fund appropriation for FY 2015-16. The BOG is required to submit a report on expenditures for repairs and renovations no later than October 1, 2017 and a report on any expenditures for advanced planning no later than 30 days after the funds are spent.