

Surry County: Town of Dobson

COVID-19 Grant Outcomes and Accomplishments

County and local governments used these funds in many ways, including: supporting public health and safety personnel, equipment for health departments, grants for small businesses and non-profits, and economic support to individuals.

Session Law	Item	Total Funding Authorized to Town of Dobson
S.L. 2020-4	Local Government Assistance	\$64,190



Cars Line Up at Dobson COVID-19 Testing Site

CRF has not only helped the Town of Dobson successfully maintain a fully staffed Police Department with eight personnel who are all tasked with public safety duties during the COVID-19 pandemic, the funds have also allowed us to expand our efforts to keep up with the increased demands the pandemic has brought. Due to CRF, public safety personnel duties have continued without pause and the community remains protected by the public safety staff of the Dobson Police Department.



Dobson Police Officer Assists with Traffic Control at Local Elementary School

Two notable areas where Dobson Police Department has also been able to assist with events related to the impact of COVID-19 are security and traffic pattern development and control at the mass testing sites in Dobson and traffic control at the local elementary school. Traffic control is not normally needed at the school; however, COVID-19 has drastically increased the number of parents opting to pick up children, instead of utilizing the bus, and the process takes longer to get the kids out to the vehicles.