

**From:** Kester, Tony  
**To:** Mary Beth Fields (mfields@lscog.org)mfields@lscog.org  
**CC:** Connie Shade (CShade@lscog.org)CShade@lscog.org  
'Lynnda Bassham'lbassham@lscog.org  
**Date:** 7/10/2013 11:01:46 AM  
**Subject:** FW: NGA

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Mary Beth,

Please give Frances a copy of the NGA cover letter that was mailed to Connie. The letter is dated June 27, 2013.

Thanks.

Tony

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**From:** Frances Owens [mailto:FOwens@lscog.org]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 10, 2013 9:57 AM  
**To:** Taylor, Tommy; Kester, Tony  
**Cc:** Mary Beth Fields; Lynnda Bassham; Nora Sanders  
**Subject:** FW: NGA

Please see below. Connie has requested Mary Beth be given the answer to the question regarding our NGA since she is on vacation. I hope this is something that is possible. I have highlighted Connie's response to my email as well as my initial question.

Thank you

## Frances B. Owens

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**From:** Connie Shade  
**Sent:** Monday, July 08, 2013 10:32 PM  
**To:** Frances Owens  
**Cc:** Lynnda Bassham; Mary Beth Fields; Nora Sanders  
**Subject:** Re: NGA

Hi Frances. I cannot do anything about this on vacation. It is not something I was aware of. Please have Mary Beth track this down.

Thanks. Connie

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 8, 2013, at 2:02 PM, "Frances Owens" <FOwens@lscog.org> wrote:

Connie,

I am sorry to bother you on vacation, however, I was referred to you regarding the NGA we received. (See email trail below) The new NGA for fiscal year 13-14 came in last week and is requiring 10% match on Bingo and the Home and Community Based Service funds (both state funds). We have not, previously, been required to match state funds. Have you been informed of this? I planned to have contracts ready to go out by the time you returned from vacation, however, I am unable to proceed

without knowing an answer to this question. Mary Beth was unaware of this as well. Again, I apologize for bothering you on vacation.

Thank you,

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**From:** Taylor, Tommy [<mailto:ttaylor@aging.sc.gov>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 08, 2013 1:54 PM  
**To:** Frances Owens  
**Cc:** Kester, Tony; Theriot, Susan; Ellison, Ruchelle  
**Subject:** RE: NGA

Good afternoon,  
It is my understanding, that you would discuss this with Connie Shade for any questions and explanation.  
Thanks,  
Tommy Taylor  
LGOA – Finance  
803-734-9877

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**From:** Frances Owens [<mailto:FOwens@lscog.org>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 08, 2013 11:00 AM  
**To:** Taylor, Tommy  
**Subject:** FW: NGA

Tommy,

I am not sure if you have received my messages or this email I sent last week since I haven't heard from you. I am unable to work on contracts with our contractors until I find out. I would like to have them ready when Connie returns from vacation. Currently they are either operating without a contract at their own risk. Please advise..

Thanks.

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**From:** Frances Owens  
**Sent:** Monday, July 01, 2013 4:45 PM  
**To:** Tommy Taylor ([ttaylor@aging.sc.gov](mailto:ttaylor@aging.sc.gov))  
**Cc:** Mary Beth Fields; Nora Sanders; Lynnda Bassham  
**Subject:** NGA

Tommy,

I was reviewing the NGA for fiscal year 13-14 and noticed the Home and Community Based Services from the state as well as the Bingo funds show local match. We have never matched these funds in the past, so I was wondering if this is a mistake or if it is something else new that no one was aware of. Please let me know as soon as possible. I hope to begin working on contracts with our contractors soon.

Thanks.

**Frances B. Owens**

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