

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 823

Short Title: Wilmington Race Riot Library Resources Funds. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Wright; Harrison and Parmon.

Referred to: Appropriations.

March 15, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NEW HANOVER COUNTY PUBLIC
LIBRARY TO MAKE RESOURCES MORE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC, AS
RECOMMENDED BY THE WILMINGTON RACE RIOT COMMISSION.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. There is appropriated from the General Fund to New Hanover
County the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the
sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for the 2008-2009 fiscal year to be allocated to
the New Hanover County Library to fund an archivist position to make the library's
collections, especially those relative to the 1898 Wilmington Race Riot and its impact,
more accessible through its catalog and the Internet.

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.