

6. WESTERN TIDEWATER FREE CLINIC

Representatives from the Western Tidewater Free Clinic have asked for a few brief moments on your agenda to discuss some of their work in the region. The clinic, located on Meade Parkway in Suffolk, began operation in 2007 and served more than 1,300 patients in 2009. Six percent (6%) of the clinic's patients are from Southampton County. County residents are eligible for free services if they have no health insurance and live at or below 200% of the federal poverty level (\$44,100 for a family of 4). Southampton County has contributed more than \$14,000 to the clinic over the past three (3) years, including \$4,512 in FY 2011.

NO MOTION REQUIRED