

(\$12,210.00). Judge Golden further stated that in addition to the ten percent match, there is a shortfall in the salary and benefits of the surveillance officer's contract salary since it cannot be fully funded by the grant, which brings the total request to \$39,135.00. Judge Golden stated there has been a total of 29 active participants since the program began in 2017. Chairman Slaughter asked Mrs. Dukes if the \$39,135.00, was included in the budget, Mrs. Dukes responded yes.

Echols County 9-1-1 Agreement, 911 Operations Manager, Tonya Davis, presented the item. Mrs. Davis stated this agreement between Lowndes County 911 and Echols County is to provide the dispatching and 911 calls also to include receiving wireless 911 calls. Mrs. Davis also stated Echols County would be required to submit 911 fees collected to Lowndes County.

Whitewater Lift Station Control Panel Emergency Repair, County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated the Whitewater Lift Station is in need of repair due to sewer gas damage. Mrs. Dukes stated not only will there be a repair, but this control panel will be relocated. Mrs. Dukes stated Cowart Electric submitted the low bid for \$53,140.00.

Bemiss Low Pressure Sewer Main Replacement Change Order, County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated the commission approved this project to take care of low pressure at this location. During the process, it was identified that the new pipe will not fit in the existing casing. The change order submitted by RPI is in the amount of \$33,989.00. Commissioner Orenstein asked the original cost, Mrs. Dukes stated she could get that information for him.

GEFA Loan - Sewer System Rehabilitation Project, County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated staff requested permission to apply for \$2,500,000.00, from Georgia Environmental Finance Authority (GEFA) to take care of sewer collection improvements. Mrs. Dukes stated staff is requesting to approve the loan agreement and authorize the Chairman to sign the loan agreement, resolution and promissory note.

GEFA Loan - Lake Park Bellville Road Utility Relocation, County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated this is \$1,904,500.00, in Georgia Environmental Finance Authority (GEFA) funds to take care of relocation of utilities due to Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) widening of Lake Park Bellville Road. Mrs. Dukes stated GEFA approved this request and staff recommends that the loan agreement be approved and authorize the Chairman to sign the loan agreement, resolution and promissory note.

Lowndes County Accountability Court Adult Drug Court Program - Grant (Cash Match), Superior Court Accountability Court Administrator, Jennifer Fabbri, presented a request in the amount of \$23,557.16, for the county's required match related to the grant that operates the accountability court programs. Commissioner Wisenbaker asked how is the program working, Mrs. Fabbri responded three participants have graduated. Commissioner Wisenbaker asked when this program started, Mrs. Fabbri stated 2016 with the total number graduated being between 40-45. Chairman Slaughter asked if this request was included in the budget, Mrs. Dukes answered yes.

Lowndes County Juvenile Accountability Court - Drug Court Program - Grant (Cash Match), Juvenile Court Judge, Jim Tunison, presented a request in the amount of \$10,000.00, for the county's required match related to the grant that operates the juvenile accountability court programs. Judge Tunison stated last budget year funds were allotted to this program. Judge Tunison stated this