LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Set Qualifying Fees for the 2024 Elections

DATE OF MEETING: December 12, 2023 Work Session/Regular Session

BUDGET IMPACT: FUNDING SOURCE: () Annual

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COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Setting Qualifying Fees

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: State statute requires the governing authority of any county or municipality, to fix and publish a qualifying fee for each county or municipal office to be filled in the upcoming primary or election.

County Office	Qualifying Fee
County Commissioner	\$450.00
Commission Chairman	\$600.00
Sheriff	\$2,891.46
Clerk of Court	\$2,591.46
Coroner	\$2,227.23
Solicitor	\$3,884.19
State Court Judge	\$4,073.71
Magistrate Court Judge	\$2,643.29
Probate Court Judge	\$2,591.46
Tax Commissioner	\$2,591.46

OPTIONS: 1. Set and publish qualifying fees as required by law and approve the resolution.

2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>: County Manager <u>DEPARTMENT HEAD</u>: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: