



LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
PROPOSED AGENDA
WORK SESSION, MONDAY, JUNE 23, 2025, 8:30 A.M.
REGULAR SESSION, TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2025, 5:30 P.M.
327 N. Ashley Street - 2nd Floor

1. Call To Order

2. Invocation

3. Pledge Of Allegiance To The Flag

4. Proclamation Presentation to Mr. John Hansen (Work Session)

5. Minutes For Approval

- a. Work Session - June 9, 2025 & Regular Session - June 10, 2025

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

6. Appointment

- a. Lowndes County Library Board

Recommended Action: Board's Pleasure

Documents:

7. For Consideration

- a. Lowndes County Juvenile Accountability Court (LCJAC) FY26 Budget & Grant Award

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

- b. ACCG IRMA Property & Liability Insurance Renewal

Recommended Action: Board's Pleasure

Documents:

- c. Axon Renewal Contract for Animal Services

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

- d. Lowndes County Accountability Court Grant Approval and Cash Match

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

- e. Lowndes County DUI Court FY 26 Grant Award

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

- f. Valdosta Housing Authority Request for Loan

Recommended Action: Board's Pleasure

Documents:

- 8. Reports - County Manager**
- 9. Citizens Wishing To Be Heard - Please State Your Name and Address**
- 10. Adjournment**

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Lowndes County Library Board

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☐ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☒ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Appointing a Member

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The second term of Dr. J. Eleveta Miller will expire June 30, 2025, leaving a vacant seat. Mr. Malcolm Warren has been recommended and has shown an interest in being appointed to the board.

OPTIONS: 1. Appoint a member.
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

DEPARTMENT: County Manager

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

Print

Lowndes County Board/Agency Appointee Information Sheet - Submission #174

Date Submitted: 8/14/2024

Date:

8/14/2024

Board/Agency Applying For:

Library Board

Last Name

Warren

First Name

Malcolm

Street Address

903 Habersham Rd

City/State/Zip

31602

Phone Number

Email Address

mjwarren@thewarrenlawfirmllc.com

Occupation

Attorney

Professional Experience

Attorney

Knowledge & Skills

Legal and professional

What knowledge or skills do you possess that would contribute to the Board/Agency to which you are requesting to be appointed?

Please list the Board/Agency that you have been or are currently a member of:

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

Please list any extracurricular activities and/or community organizations you are affiliated with.

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Lowndes County Juvenile Accountability Court (LCJAC) FY26
Budget & Grant Award

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

Work
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Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$12,100.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☐ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☒ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Acceptance of FY26 Grant Award for the Lowndes
County Juvenile Accountability Court

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: On behalf of the Lowndes County Juvenile Accountability Court (LCJAC) team,
and Judge James G. Tunison, Jr., I would like to thank the Board for all the support you have given us.

LCJAC is funded through a reimbursable State Grant. To receive funding through said grant, LCJAC must secure
a cash match from Lowndes County. This year's cash match amount is \$12,100.00 (FY26 budget detail
attached).

All other monies expended by the Board of Commissioners on the Court's behalf are fully reimbursable and
said payments are received by the County each quarter.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Juvenile Accountability Court

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Geoffrey Martin

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

FY26 Operating Grant Award Budget Worksheet

Court Name **Lowndes County Juvenile Drug Court**

Budget Worksheet Category	Line Item	Total Budgeted
Personnel	Coordinator \$33,800.00 Coordinator Benefits \$3,456.00	\$37,256
Contract Services	Counselor \$27,000.00 LEO/ Surveillance Officer \$2,704.00	\$29,704
Drug Testing Supplies	\$0.00	\$0
Supplies /Other Costs	\$0.00	\$0
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0
In State Training and Travel	2025 CACJ Conference \$1,607.60	\$1,608
Transportation Funding	\$0.00	\$0
Total Budget:		\$68,568

Match: \$12,100

CACJ Funding Committee Note:

The court will need to make up difference of max calculations with county funds in future years.

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: ACCG IRMA Property & Liability Insurance Renewal

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

Work
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Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$1,177,284.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☒ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☐ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Insurance renewal for Property, Automobile, Machinery and General Liability for Public Officials and Law Enforcement

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The County has participated in the ACCG-IRMA Insurance Program (a non-profit, Georgia County government-owned fund) since 7/1/1994. At this year's renewal, Lowndes County's contribution is \$1,177,284.00 thanks to a safety credit discount of \$61,962.00.

The attached proposal represents a quote for a complete blanket of property and liability insurance coverage for the upcoming 2026 Fiscal Year.

OPTIONS: 1. Renew Property & Liability Insurance Coverage with the ACCG at current deductible levels (\$15,000.00 deductible on all lines except for Privacy & Security Coverage (Cyber), which will have a \$25,000.00 deductible).

2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

DEPARTMENT: Human Resources

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Kevin Beals

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

ACCG-IRMA

Renewal Proposal Summary

7/1/2025 to 7/1/2026

Member: Lowndes County

COVERAGE	EXPIRING DEDUCTIBLES	RENEWAL DEDUCTIBLES
Auto Liability/Physical Damage (AL/APD)	\$15,000	Same as Expiring
Crime	\$15,000	
General Liability (GL)	\$15,000	
Law Enforcement Liability (LEL)	\$15,000	
Property & Equip. Breakdown (PROP)	\$15,000	
Public Officials Liability (POL)	\$15,000	
Privacy & Security (Cyber)	\$25,000	
RENEWAL PROPOSAL		
Renewal Contribution:		\$1,239,246
Less Safety Credit:		(\$61,962)
Net Contribution Due:		\$1,177,284

*The deductible will apply to all losses and all lines of coverage subject to a maximum of one deductible for all claims arising from a single loss. For scheduled properties in Special Hazard Zones for Flood, the deductible is the maximum limit available under the National Flood Insurance Program or if unavailable, \$500,000 for building or structure and \$500,000 contents. Highest applicable deductible will apply.

ADDITIONAL LIMITS OF LIABILITY COVERAGE	
Your Limit for Liability Coverage (Included in Contribution Above):	\$1,000,000
Note that these are the limits you chose last year.	
	With \$500,000/\$700,000/\$50,000 on Auto Liability
Your liability limits may be increased in increments of \$1,000,000. We have provided the cost of any additional limits below.	
(If Automobile Liability is specifically itemized in Your Limit of Liability Coverage above, that limit will remain the same even if you increase the other liability limits.)	
Option	Additional Annual Cost
Increase Limits to \$2,000,000	\$36,896
Increase Limits to \$3,000,000	\$53,970
Increase Limits to \$4,000,000	\$66,201
Increase Limits to \$5,000,000	\$76,325
The Sovereign Immunity Protection Endorsement attached to the ACCG-IRMA Coverage Agreement caps Automobile Liability, where allowed by law, to limits of \$500,000 bodily injury per person / \$700,000 bodily injury per accident / \$50,000 property damage as stated under O.C.G.A. § 36-92-2.	
For those members buying a General Liability limit of \$4,000,000 or more, liability arising out of dams which are either 25 ft. or more in height or have an impounding capacity of 50 acre ft. or more will be limited to \$3,000,000 per occurrence unless underwriting requirements are met and the ACCG-IRMA Coverage Agreement is endorsed. Should you have questions about coverage on a particular dam, please call ACCG, the ACCG-IRMA Administrator, at 1.800.858.2224.	

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Axon Renewal Contract for Animal Services

Work Session

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

BUDGET IMPACT: \$37,141.49 / Five-year contract

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☒ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☐ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Axon Renewal Contract

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES:

Lowndes County Animal Services currently holds a five-year contract with Axon Enterprise, Inc. for the provision of body cameras, associated equipment, accessories, software licensing, and periodic upgrades for Animal Control Officers.

This contract is set to expire in September 2025. Axon has submitted a renewal proposal for an additional five-year term. The proposed renewal includes a 17.21% increase in cost compared to the original agreement, which Axon attributes to inflation and increased manufacturing costs.

The renewal pricing continues to include:

- Ongoing equipment upgrades
- Software licensing and support
- Necessary accessories for field operations
- Full service coverage for the five-year duration

2026- Renewal Contract Offer: \$37,141.49 (17.21 % increase from original contract from original 5-year contract)

Year 1- \$5,238.01

Year 2- \$7,975.87

Year 3- \$7,975.87

Year 4- \$7,975.87

Year 5-\$7,975.87

OPTIONS: 1. Approve
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Animal Services

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Michellangelo Brown

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:



Axon Enterprise, Inc.
17800 N 85th St.
Scottsdale, Arizona 85255
United States
VAT: 86-0741227
Domestic: (800) 978-2737
International: +1.800.978.2737

Q-697250-45796TS

Issued: 05/19/2025

Quote Expiration: 06/30/2025

Estimated Contract Start Date: 10/01/2025

Account Number: 513122

Payment Terms: N30

Mode of Delivery: UPS-GND

Credit/Debit Amount: \$0.00

SHIP TO	BILL TO
337 Gil Harbin Industrial Boulevard 337 Gil Harbin Industrial Blvd Valdosta, GA 31601-6576 USA	Lowndes County Animal Services - GA 337 Gil Harbin Industrial Blvd Valdosta GA 31601-6576 USA Email:

SALES REPRESENTATIVE	PRIMARY CONTACT
Tanner Shimp Phone: Email: tshimp@axon.com Fax:	Michellangelo Brown Phone: (229) 671-2760 Email: mbrown@lowndescounty.com Fax:

Quote Summary

Program Length	60 Months
TOTAL COST	\$37,141.49
ESTIMATED TOTAL W/ TAX	\$37,141.49

Discount Summary

Average Savings Per Year	\$1,706.16
TOTAL SAVINGS	\$8,530.81

Payment Summary

Date	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Sep 2025	\$5,238.01	\$0.00	\$5,238.01
Sep 2026	\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87
Sep 2027	\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87
Sep 2028	\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87
Sep 2029	\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87
Total	\$37,141.49	\$0.00	\$37,141.49

Quote Unbundled Price:	\$45,672.20
Quote List Price:	\$43,215.20
Quote Subtotal:	\$37,141.49

Pricing

All deliverables are detailed in Delivery Schedules section lower in proposal

Item	Description	Qty	Term	Unbundled	List Price	Net Price	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Program									
100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1			\$1.00	(\$471.64)	(\$471.64)	\$0.00	(\$471.64)
100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1			\$1.00	\$2,051.13	\$2,051.13	\$0.00	\$2,051.13
BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	60	\$12.19	\$12.40	\$12.40	\$3,720.00	\$0.00	\$3,720.00
BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	60	\$42.20	\$33.80	\$27.13	\$8,139.00	\$0.00	\$8,139.00
A la Carte Hardware									
H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5			\$229.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5			\$899.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
A la Carte Software									
73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	60		\$5.42	\$5.42	\$1,626.00	\$0.00	\$1,626.00
73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	60		\$15.19	\$15.19	\$4,557.00	\$0.00	\$4,557.00
73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	60		\$0.81	\$0.81	\$9,720.00	\$0.00	\$9,720.00
ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	60		\$48.82	\$48.75	\$2,925.00	\$0.00	\$2,925.00
BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	60		\$16.27	\$16.25	\$4,875.00	\$0.00	\$4,875.00
Total							\$37,141.49	\$0.00	\$37,141.49

Delivery Schedule

Hardware

Bundle	Item	Description	QTY	Shipping Location	Estimated Delivery Date
AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	100201	AXON BODY 4 - DOCK - SINGLE BAY	5	1	09/01/2025
AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	71104	AXON - DOCK/DATAPORT POWERCORD - NORTH AMERICA	5	1	09/01/2025
AB4 Camera Bundle	100147	AXON BODY 4 - CAMERA - NA US FIRST RESPONDER BLK RAPIDLOCK	5	1	09/01/2025
AB4 Camera Bundle	100466	AXON BODY 4 - CABLE - USB-C TO USB-C	6	1	09/01/2025
AB4 Camera Bundle	100775	AXON BODY 4 - MAGNETIC DISCONNECT CABLE	6	1	09/01/2025
AB4 Camera Bundle	74028	AXON BODY - MOUNT - WING CLIP RAPIDLOCK	6	1	09/01/2025
Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	73313	AXON BODY - TAP REFRESH 1 - DOCK SINGLE BAY	5	1	03/03/2028
Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	73309	AXON BODY - TAP REFRESH 1 - CAMERA	5	1	03/03/2028
Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	73314	AXON BODY - TAP REFRESH 2 - DOCK SINGLE BAY	5	1	09/01/2030
Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	73310	AXON BODY - TAP REFRESH 2 - CAMERA	5	1	09/01/2030

Software

Bundle	Item	Description	QTY	Estimated Start Date	Estimated End Date
Basic License Bundle	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	5	10/01/2025	09/30/2030
Basic License Bundle	73840	AXON EVIDENCE - ECOM LICENSE - BASIC	5	10/01/2025	09/30/2030
Pro License Bundle	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	3	10/01/2025	09/30/2030

Software

Bundle	Item	Description	QTY	Estimated Start Date	Estimated End Date
Pro License Bundle	73746	AXON EVIDENCE - ECOM LICENSE - PRO	1	10/01/2025	09/30/2030
A la Carte	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	10/01/2025	09/30/2030
A la Carte	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	10/01/2025	09/30/2030
A la Carte	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	10/01/2025	09/30/2030

Warranties

Bundle	Item	Description	QTY	Estimated Start Date	Estimated End Date
Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	80466	AXON BODY - TAP WARRANTY - SINGLE BAY DOCK	5	09/01/2026	09/30/2030
Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	80464	AXON BODY - TAP WARRANTY - CAMERA	5	09/01/2026	09/30/2030

Shipping Locations

Location Number	Street	City	State	Zip	Country
1	337 Gil Harbin Industrial Blvd	Valdosta	GA	31601-6576	USA

Payment Details

Sep 2025

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 1	100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1	\$289.27	\$0.00	\$289.27
Year 1	100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1	(\$66.51)	\$0.00	(\$66.51)
Year 1	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	\$642.67	\$0.00	\$642.67
Year 1	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	\$229.31	\$0.00	\$229.31
Year 1	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	\$1,370.80	\$0.00	\$1,370.80
Year 1	BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	\$687.51	\$0.00	\$687.51
Year 1	BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	\$524.62	\$0.00	\$524.62
Year 1	BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	\$1,147.83	\$0.00	\$1,147.83
Year 1	H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 1	H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 1	ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	\$412.51	\$0.00	\$412.51
Total				\$5,238.01	\$0.00	\$5,238.01

Sep 2026

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 2	100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1	\$440.47	\$0.00	\$440.47
Year 2	100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1	(\$101.28)	\$0.00	(\$101.28)
Year 2	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	\$978.58	\$0.00	\$978.58
Year 2	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	\$349.17	\$0.00	\$349.17
Year 2	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	\$2,087.30	\$0.00	\$2,087.30
Year 2	BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	\$1,046.87	\$0.00	\$1,046.87
Year 2	BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	\$798.84	\$0.00	\$798.84
Year 2	BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	\$1,747.80	\$0.00	\$1,747.80
Year 2	H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 2	H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 2	ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	\$628.12	\$0.00	\$628.12
Total				\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87

Sep 2027

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 3	100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1	\$440.47	\$0.00	\$440.47
Year 3	100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1	(\$101.28)	\$0.00	(\$101.28)
Year 3	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	\$978.58	\$0.00	\$978.58
Year 3	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	\$349.17	\$0.00	\$349.17
Year 3	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	\$2,087.30	\$0.00	\$2,087.30
Year 3	BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	\$1,046.87	\$0.00	\$1,046.87
Year 3	BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	\$798.84	\$0.00	\$798.84
Year 3	BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	\$1,747.80	\$0.00	\$1,747.80
Year 3	H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Sep 2027

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 3	H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 3	ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	\$628.12	\$0.00	\$628.12
Total				\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87

Sep 2028

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 4	100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1	\$440.47	\$0.00	\$440.47
Year 4	100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1	(\$101.28)	\$0.00	(\$101.28)
Year 4	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	\$978.58	\$0.00	\$978.58
Year 4	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	\$349.17	\$0.00	\$349.17
Year 4	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	\$2,087.30	\$0.00	\$2,087.30
Year 4	BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	\$1,046.87	\$0.00	\$1,046.87
Year 4	BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	\$798.84	\$0.00	\$798.84
Year 4	BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	\$1,747.80	\$0.00	\$1,747.80
Year 4	H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 4	H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 4	ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	\$628.12	\$0.00	\$628.12
Total				\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87

Sep 2029

Invoice Plan	Item	Description	Qty	Subtotal	Tax	Total
Year 5	100552	TRANSFER CREDIT - GOODS	1	\$440.47	\$0.00	\$440.47
Year 5	100553	TRANSFER CREDIT - SOFTWARE AND SERVICES	1	(\$101.28)	\$0.00	(\$101.28)
Year 5	73447	AXON FUSUS - LICENSE - PLUS USER	5	\$978.58	\$0.00	\$978.58
Year 5	73449	AXON BODY - LICENSE - DEVICE CONNECTIVITY	5	\$349.17	\$0.00	\$349.17
Year 5	73683	AXON EVIDENCE - STORAGE - 10GB A LA CARTE	200	\$2,087.30	\$0.00	\$2,087.30
Year 5	BasicLicense	Basic License Bundle	5	\$1,046.87	\$0.00	\$1,046.87
Year 5	BWCamSBDTAP	Body Worn Camera Single-Bay Dock TAP Bundle	5	\$798.84	\$0.00	\$798.84
Year 5	BWCamTAP	Body Worn Camera TAP Bundle	5	\$1,747.80	\$0.00	\$1,747.80
Year 5	H00001	AB4 Camera Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 5	H00003	AB4 1-Bay Dock Bundle	5	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Year 5	ProLicense	Pro License Bundle	1	\$628.12	\$0.00	\$628.12
Total				\$7,975.87	\$0.00	\$7,975.87

Tax is estimated based on rates applicable at date of quote and subject to change at time of invoicing. If a tax exemption certificate should be applied, please submit prior to invoicing.

Standard Terms and Conditions

Axon Enterprise Inc. Sales Terms and Conditions

Axon Master Services and Purchasing Agreement:

This Quote is limited to and conditional upon your acceptance of the provisions set forth herein and Axon's Master Services and Purchasing Agreement (posted at <https://www.axon.com/sales-terms-and-conditions>), as well as the attached Statement of Work (SOW) for Axon Fleet and/or Axon Interview Room purchase, if applicable. In the event you and Axon have entered into a prior agreement to govern all future purchases, that agreement shall govern to the extent it includes the products and services being purchased and does not conflict with the Axon Customer Experience Improvement Program Appendix as described below.

ACEIP:

The Axon Customer Experience Improvement Program Appendix, which includes the sharing of de-identified segments of Agency Content with Axon to develop new products and improve your product experience (posted at www.axon.com/legal/sales-terms-and-conditions), is incorporated herein by reference. By signing below, you agree to the terms of the Axon Customer Experience Improvement Program.

Acceptance of Terms:

Any purchase order issued in response to this Quote is subject solely to the above referenced terms and conditions. By signing below, you represent that you are lawfully able to enter into contracts. If you are signing on behalf of an entity (including but not limited to the company, municipality, or government agency for whom you work), you represent to Axon that you have legal authority to bind that entity. If you do not have this authority, please do not sign this Quote.

Exceptions to Standard Terms and Conditions

Agency has existing contract(s) originated via Quote(s):

Q-329079, Q-560638

Agency is terminating those contracts effective 10/1/2025 Any changes in this date will result in modification of the program value which may result in additional fees or credits due to or from Axon.

The parties agree that Axon is applying a Net Transfer Debit of \$1,579.49

100% discounted body-worn camera and docking station hardware contained in this quote reflects a TAP replacement for hardware purchased under existing quotes aforementioned above. All TAP obligations from this contract will be considered fulfilled upon execution of this quote.

Signature

Date Signed

5/19/2025



LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Lowndes County Accountability Court Grant Approval and
Cash Match

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

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BUDGET IMPACT: \$35,437.44

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☐ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☒ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Acceptance of FY 26 Grant Award for LCAC

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: On behalf of the LCAC team, and Judge Gregory A. Voyles, I would like to thank the Board for all the support you have given us over the years.

LCAC is funded through a reimbursable State Grant. To receive funding through said grant, LCAC must secure a cash match from Lowndes County. This year's cash match amount is \$35,437.44 (FY 26 budget detail attached). The cash match amount for FY26 is 15%.

All other monies expended by the Board of Commissioners on the Court's behalf are fully reimbursable and said payments are received by the County each quarter.

OPTIONS: 1. Approval of continued funding and cash match- as requested above.
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Accountability Court

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Jennifer Fabbri

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

FY26 Operating Grant Award Budget Worksheet

Court Name **Lowndes County Drug Court**

Budget Worksheet Category	Line Item	Total Budgeted
Personnel	Director \$37,138.00	\$40,773
	Fringe Benefits \$3,635.16	
Contract Services	Program Case Manager \$33,705.00	\$139,275
	Law Enforcement \$3,600.00	
	Treatment Provider \$79,470.00	
	Law Enforcement \$15,000.00	
	Peer Support \$7,500.00	
Drug Testing Supplies	Onsite Devices \$5,790.00	\$5,790
Supplies /Other Costs	Reconnect \$6,000.00	\$10,200
	Ankle Monitors \$4,200.00	
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0
In State Training and Travel	2025 CACJ Conference \$4,774.00	\$4,774
Transportation Funding	\$0.00	\$0
Total Budget:		\$200,812

Match: \$35,437

CACJ Funding Committee Note:

See the Lowndes Juvenile Treatment Court Funding Committee note.

FY 2026 GRANT APP BUDGET
LOWNDES COUNTY ACCOUNTABILITY COURT

PERSONNEL	
COORDINATOR SALARY	\$40,773.14
COUNTY MATCH	\$24,899.12
TOTAL SALARY	\$65,672.26
CONTRACT SERVICES	
Case Manager - Contractor	\$33,705.00
COUNTY MATCH	\$4,101.15
TOTAL SALARY	\$37,806.15
SURVEILLANCE OFFICER - Contractor	\$3,600.00
CONTRACT COMM OFF FOR ANKLE MON PROG.	\$15,000.00
TREATMENT PROVIDER - Contractor	\$79,470.00
PEERS SPECIALIST (1) X 6 MOS	\$7,500.00
COUNTY MATCH	\$3,437.17
TOTAL CONTRACT SERVICES	\$146,813.32
DRUG TESTING SUPPLIES	
DRUG TESTING	\$5,790.00
COUNTY MATCH	\$3,000.00
TOTAL DRUG TESTING SUPPLIES	\$8,790.00
OTHER COSTS	
RECONNECT SERVICES	\$6,000.00
ankle monitor	\$4,200.00
TOTAL OTHER COSTS	\$10,200.00
TRAINING AND TRAVEL	
COORDINATOR TRAVEL	\$0.00
CONFERENCE - 8 PEOPLE	\$4,774.00
TOTAL TRAVEL	\$4,774.00
STATE GRANT	\$200,812.14
COUNTY MATCH REQUIRMENT - 15%	\$35,437.44
TOTAL	\$236,249.58

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Lowndes County DUI Court FY 26 Grant Award

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$42,404.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☒ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☐ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Lowndes County DUI Court FY 26 Grant Award

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES:

This award is made under the Accountability Courts State of Georgia grant program. The Lowndes County DUI Court has been awarded a grant by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council for a total of **\$156,033.00**; with a 15% match requirement by the County in the amount of **\$27,535.00**. Lowndes County DUI Court is requesting a total of **\$42,404.00** for the 2025-2026 grant period. The grant only pays a portion of the salary and benefits of the surveillance officer's contract salary. Additionally, the grant covers a portion of treatment costs, transportation, drug testing supplies, and Reconnect, the call-in service used for random drug screens or weekend drug testing incurred annually. The Court requests the shortfall be paid by the DATE funds that are generated from fines and fees collected by the State Court of Lowndes County. The authorizing Georgia Law Code section O.C.G.A. 15-21-101(b)(3) states "Moneys collected pursuant to this article and placed in the "County Drug Abuse Treatment and Education Fund" shall be expended by the governing authority of the county for which the fund is established solely and exclusively (3) if an operating under the influence court division has been established in the county under Code Section 15-1-19, for the purpose of the operating under the influence court division." The Lowndes County DUI Court began operating in January 2017 and we have had 109 graduates. We currently have a total of **24** active participants in the program and anticipate growing to our capacity of 30 participants.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Accountability Court

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Judge Golden

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

GRANT AWARD

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COORDINATING COUNCIL

2026 Accountability Court Funding Program

SUBAWARDEE: Lowndes County DUI Court CFDA NUMBER: N/A

Employer Identification Number (EIN): SUBAWARD NUMBER: AW-ACFP-26-092-074

IMPLEMENTING AGENCY: Lowndes County DUI Court SUBGRANT PERIOD: 07/01/2025 - 06/30/2026

PROJECT TYPE: DUI Court SUB AWARD AMOUNT: \$156,032.98

AWARD NUMBER: State Accountability Court Program MATCHING FUNDS: \$27,535.00

AWARD PERIOD: 07/01/2025 - 06/30/2026 TOTAL FUNDS: \$183,567.98

This award is made under the Council of Accountability Courts Judges State of Georgia grant program. The purpose of the Accountability Court Grants program is to make grants to local courts and judicial circuits to establish specialty courts or dockets to address offenders arrested for drug charges or mental health issues. This grant program is subject to the administrative rules established by the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council. This Subgrant shall become effective on the beginning date of the grant period, provided that a properly executed original of this "Subgrant Award" is returned to the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council by June 30, 2025.

Reimbursement/Payment
Frequency:

Agency Approval



Jay Neal, Director
Criminal Justice Coordinating

Date

6/13/2025

Awardee Approval

Signed Name: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Benefits of Accountability Courts: Council of Accountability Court Judges Outcomes Report

The Council of Accountability Court Judges (CACJ) was created in 2015 with the vision to make accountability courts work for all Georgians.

- According to the Carl Vinson Institute of Government, in FY 2022 there were 1,592 participants who graduated from an accountability court in GA. Each accountability court graduate produced \$25,921 in economic benefits to GA.
- Some additional economic impacts by these 1,592 accountability court graduates
 - \$1,047 collected in program fees
 - \$1,058 avoided in healthcare costs
 - \$760 value of community service work
 - \$8,439 avoided in Recidivism costs
 - \$1, 952 avoided by the foster care system
 - \$921 paid of state income taxes

June 16, 2025

Shanay Long
Supervisor, Criminal Justice Unit
Criminal Justice Coordinating Council
104 Marietta St. NW, Suite 440
Atlanta, GA 30303

Ms. Long,

Please allow this letter to serve as my official authorization for Stephanie Black to sign any and all paperwork related to the DUI Accountability Court Subgrant #AW-ACFP-26-092-074, awarded to the Lowndes County Board of Commissioners for the project period 7/1/25 through 6/30/26. If you should have any further questions or need additional information from me, please feel free to contact me. Thank you for your continued support of this program which allows us to better serve the citizens in our community.

Sincerely,

Bill Slaughter
Chairman
Lowndes County Board of Commissioners

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Valdosta Housing Authority Request for Loan

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$1,000,000.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- ☒ Annual
- ☐ Capital
- ☐ N/A
- ☐ SPLOST
- ☐ TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Resolution Approving Loan

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The Valdosta Housing Authority has renewed and revised its prior request for the County to make a loan to the Authority in the amount of \$1,000,000.

The terms of the Authority's revised request are set forth in the attached proposed Promissory Note.

The Georgia Housing Cooperation Law provides a county shall have the power to lend or donate money to a housing authority and to agree to take such action. This law also provides for the exercise of the powers granted by it to be by resolution of the governing authority of the county.

A proposed Resolution agreeing to make the requested loan on the terms specified in the attached Promissory Note is attached. The Resolution also includes a Certification of the Authority which the Authority shall make and provide at the closing of the loan as a requirement of the County delivering the proceeds of the loan to the Authority.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve Resolution as presented.
2. Redirect

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

DEPARTMENT: County Manager

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

A Resolution
of the Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County, Georgia,
Approving a Loan to the Valdosta Housing Authority

WHEREAS, the Valdosta Housing Authority (the “Authority”) is a housing authority created pursuant to and existing under the Georgia Housing Authorities Law, codified at Title 8, Chapter 3, Article 1, of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (the “Housing Authorities Law”);

WHEREAS, as provided by OCGA § 8-3-152(4), Lowndes County (the “County”) is a state public body for purposes of the Georgia Housing Cooperation Law codified at Title 8, Chapter 3, Article 2, of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (the “Housing Cooperation Law”);

WHEREAS, as provided by Article IX, Section II, Paragraph III of the Georgia Constitution, the County and the Authority may contract for a period not exceeding 50 years with each other for purposes of the provision of services which deal with activities and services they are authorized by law to undertake or provide;

WHEREAS, as provided by OCGA § 8-3-155(b), the County has the power from time to time to lend or donate money to the Authority, and the Authority, when it has money available therefor, shall make reimbursement for all such loans made to it;

WHEREAS, the Authority desires the County to make a loan to the Authority pursuant to the power of the County provided by OCGA § 8-3-155(b) in the amount of \$1,000,000 on the terms set forth in the attached Promissory Note;

WHEREAS, as provided by OCGA § 8-3-156, the exercise by the County of the powers granted by the Housing Cooperation Law may be authorized by resolution of the governing authority of the County adopted by a majority of the members of the governing authority of the County present at a meeting of the governing authority at the meeting at which the resolution is introduced to take effect immediately and need not be laid over or published or posted;

WHEREAS, as provided by OCGA § 36-5-20, the governing authority of the County is the Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County, and the Board of Commissioners does hereby, pursuant to the power granted by OCGA § 8-3-155(b), approve loaning \$1,000,000 to the Authority on the terms set forth in the attached Promissory Note subject to the requirement that the Authority execute and deliver the Certification attached hereto prior to delivery of the proceeds of the loan by the County to the Authority.

Any Ordinance or Resolution of the County, or any portion thereof, in conflict with this Resolution is hereby repealed.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

SO RESOLVED, this 24th day of June, 2025.

Lowndes County, Georgia

By: _____

Bill Slaughter
Chairman

Attest: _____

Belinda C. Lovern
Clerk

PROMISSORY NOTE

\$1,000,000.00

June __, 2025

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned, **VALDOSTA HOUSING AUTHORITY** a/k/a Housing Authority of the City of Valdosta, a public body corporate and politic and a political subdivision of the state of Georgia (the “Maker”), promises to pay to the order of **LOWNDES COUNTY, GEORGIA**, a political subdivision of the State of Georgia (the “Holder”), at the principal place of business of the Holder, or at such other place as Holder may designate to Maker in writing from time to time, the principal sum of **One Million and No/100 Dollars (\$1,000,000.00)**, together with interest thereon or on so much thereof as is from time to time outstanding and unpaid, at the rate hereinafter set forth, in lawful money of the United States of America, such principal and interest to be paid in the following manner, to-wit:

O.C.G.A. § 8-3-155(b) provides that the Maker is to make reimbursement for the loan represented by the Note when it has the money available therefor and the Holder agrees that the repayment obligation to the Holder by the Maker is governed by such statutory provision. Notwithstanding the foregoing, it is the Maker’s desire and intention to repay this Note as follows:

From and after the date of this Note and continuing thereafter until January 1, 2028, (the “Accrual Period”), interest shall accrue at a rate of **two percent (2%)** simple interest per annum. During the period between the date of this Note and the expiration of the Accrual Period, no monthly payments of interest or principal shall be made by the Maker.

Upon the expiration of the Accrual Period, the accrued interest shall be added to and become a part of the principal of this Note and the loan evidenced by this Note shall convert on such date (the “Conversion Date”) into a permanent loan with a term of four hundred twenty (420) months from the expiration of the Accrual Period (the “Maturity Date”). Interest shall accrue at a rate of two percent (2%) simple interest per annum. During the period between the Conversion Date and the Maturity Date, annual payments of principal and interest in the amount of **Forty Thousand Two and 21/100 Dollars (\$40,002.21)** shall be due from the Maker based on a thirty-five (35) year amortization period with the outstanding principal and any accrued interest due and payable in a final balloon payment of **Three Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Five Hundred Seven and 47/100 Dollars (\$326,507.47)** at the Maturity Date.

This Note is made pursuant to that certain Resolution of the members of the Board of Commissioners for Lowndes County, Georgia dated June 24, 2025, and pursuant to O.C.G.A. §§ 8-3-155(b) and 8-3-156. Maker may utilize the proceeds of the loan evidenced by this Note for any purpose permitted by Georgia law. The repayment of this Note shall be made solely from assets of the Maker which are not governed by The United States Housing Act of 1937, commonly referred to as non-federal assets.

In no event shall the amount of interest due or payable hereunder exceed the maximum rate of interest allowed by applicable law, and in the event any such payment is inadvertently paid by Maker or inadvertently received by Holder, then such excess sum shall be credited as payment of principal. It is the express intent hereof that Maker not pay and Holder not receive, directly or indirectly in any manner whatsoever, interest in excess of that which may be legally paid by Maker under applicable law.

All or any portion of the unpaid principal balance of this Note may be prepaid at any time without the payment of any penalty, premium or unearned interest.

Time is of the essence of this Note and of all provisions of this Note.

The following shall constitute defaults or events of default hereunder ("Events of Default"): (a) Failure by Maker to keep, perform, or observe any agreement, covenant, or condition contained herein; and/or (b) Failure by Maker to pay any installment scheduled to be paid by this Note when due to the extent that Maker has money available therefor. The remaining unpaid principal of this Note and all accrued and unpaid interest thereon shall immediately become due and payable, at the option of the Holder, upon the occurrence of an Event of Default. In the event this Note, or any part thereof, is collected by or through an attorney at law, Maker agrees to pay all costs of collection, including reasonable attorneys' fees. In addition, to the extent not prohibited by law, a late charge of five percent (5.0%) or the applicable statutory maximum, whichever is lesser, shall be assessed on any payment due hereunder remaining past due for fifteen (15) days or more.

Presentment for payment, demand, protest, and notice of demand, protest and non-payment, and all other notices are hereby waived by Maker. No failure to accelerate the debt evidenced hereby by reason of default hereunder, acceptance of a past due installment, or indulgences granted from time to time shall be construed (i) as a novation of this Note or as a reinstatement of the indebtedness evidenced hereby or as a waiver of such right of acceleration or of the right of Holder thereafter to insist upon strict compliance with the terms of this Note, or (ii) to prevent the exercise of such right of acceleration or any other right granted hereunder or by the laws of the State of Georgia; and Maker hereby expressly waives the benefit of any statute or rule of law or equity now provided, or which may hereafter be provided, which would produce a result contrary to, or in conflict with, the foregoing. No extension of the time for the payment of this Note or any installment due hereunder, made by agreement with any person now or hereafter liable for the payment of this Note, shall operate to release, discharge, modify, change, or affect the original liability of Maker under this Note, either in whole or in part, unless Holder agrees otherwise in writing. This Note may not be changed orally, but only by an agreement in writing signed by the party against whom enforcement of any waiver, change, modification, or discharge is sought.

Holder acknowledges that this Note is not secured by a pledge of collateral.

Maker hereby waives and renounces for itself, its successors and assigns, all rights to the benefits of any statute of limitations, any moratorium, reinstatement, marshaling, forbearance, valuation, stay, extension, redemption, appraisalment, exemption and homestead now provided, or

which may hereafter be provided, by the Constitution and laws of the United States of America and of any State thereof, both as to itself and in and to all its property, real and personal, against the enforcement and collection of the obligations evidenced by this Note. Maker hereby transfers, conveys and assigns to Holder, a sufficient amount of such homestead or exemption as may be set apart in bankruptcy, to pay this Note in full, with all costs of collection, and does hereby direct any trustee in bankruptcy having possession of such homestead or exemption to deliver to Holder a sufficient amount of property or money set apart as exempt to pay the indebtedness evidenced hereby, or any renewal thereof, and does hereby appoint Holder the attorney-in-fact for Maker to claim any and all homestead exemptions allowed by law.

In the event any suit or legal action is commenced by Holder against the Maker, Maker hereby expressly agrees, consents and submits to the personal jurisdiction of any state or federal court sitting in Lowndes County, Georgia, with respect to such suit or legal action, and Maker also expressly consents and submits to and agrees that venue in any such suit or legal action is proper in said courts and county and Maker hereby expressly waives any and all personal or other rights under applicable law or in equity to object to the jurisdiction and venue in said courts and county. The jurisdiction and venue of the courts consented and submitted to and agreed upon in this paragraph are exclusive, and no action with respect to the Note may be initiated by either party in any other venue or jurisdiction.

All notices, demands, or requests provided for or permitted to be given pursuant to this Note must be in writing and shall be deemed to have been properly given or served by personal delivery or by depositing in the United States Mail, postpaid and registered or certified, return receipt requested, overnight services (such as FedEx), or courier service, and addressed to the address set forth below.

If to Maker:

Valdosta Housing Authority
610 E. Ann Street
Valdosta, Georgia 31601
Attn: Executive Director

If to Holder:

Lowndes County
327 N. Ashley Street, 3rd Floor
Valdosta, Georgia 31601
Attn: County Manager

All notices, demands and requests shall be effective upon being deposited in the United States Mail; however, the time period in which a response to any notice, demand, or request must be given or cure effected, if any, shall commence to run from the date of receipt of the notice, demand, or request by the addressee thereof. Rejection or other refusal to accept or the inability to deliver because of changed address of which no notice was given shall be deemed to be receipt of the notice, demand or request sent. By giving at least ten (10) business days' written notice hereof, Holder and Maker shall have the right from time to time and at any time during the term of this Note to change its respective address and shall have the right to specify as its address any other

address within the United States of America.

If any provision of this Note or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Note and the application of such provisions to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby and shall be enforced to the greatest extent permitted by law.

This Note is intended as a contract under, and shall be construed and enforceable in accordance with, the laws of the State of Georgia.

As used herein, the terms “Maker” and “Holder” shall be deemed to include their respective, successors, legal representatives, and assigns, whether by voluntary action of the parties or by operation of law. Holder may assign, pledge, and/or otherwise transfer all or any portion of its right, title, and interest in, to and under this Note in one or more transactions, and Maker waives notice of any such action. The obligations of Maker pursuant to this Note shall not be assumable by any other party or entity without the prior express written permission of Holder.

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SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW]

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO PROMISSORY NOTE]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Maker has executed this Note under hand and seal as of the date first above written.

MAKER:

VALDOSTA HOUSING AUTHORITY

By: _____
Mark Stalvey, Executive Director