



LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

PROPOSED AGENDA

WORK SESSION, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2025, 8:30 A.M.
REGULAR SESSION, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 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. Minutes For Approval

- a. Work Session - October 27, 2025 & Regular Session - October 28, 2025

Recommended Action:

Documents:

5. Appointment

- a. Greater Lowndes Planning Commission

Recommended Action: Board's Pleasure

Documents:

- b. Lowndes County Library Board

Recommended Action: Board's Pleasure

Documents:

6. Public Hearing

- a. REZ-2025-16 Copeland Road Subdivision, 2480 Copeland Rd, ~18ac, County Utilities, R-10/c to R-10

Recommended Action: Option 2

Documents:

7. For Consideration

- a. 2026 Holiday Schedule

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

- b. 2026 Commission Meeting Calendar

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

8. Bid

- a. Local Bridge Replacement Project 0019937 Jumping Gully Road at Bevel Creek Memorandum of Agreement

Recommended Action: Approve

Documents:

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

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Greater Lowndes Planning Commission

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Appoint/Reappoint a Member

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The term of Mr. Tommy Willis on the Greater Lowndes Planning Commission expired October 25, 2025. Mr. Willis has expressed an interest in being reappointed to the board. Mr. John McCall has also expressed an interest in being appointed to the board.

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

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure

DEPARTMENT: County Manager

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Lowndes County Board/Agency Appointee Information Sheet - Submission #194

Date Submitted: 10/23/2025

Date:

10/23/2025

Board/Agency Applying For:

Planning Commission Appointment

Last Name

Willis

First Name

William (Tommy)

Street Address

City/State/Zip

Valdosta GA 31601

Phone Number

Email Address

Occupation

Farmer, CEO of Southern Regional EMS, Paramedic

Professional Experience

20+ yrs on planning commission, business owner, farmer.

Knowledge & Skills

Being on the board for 20+ years, business owner as a decision making body

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:

Greater Lowndes Planning Commission

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

On advisory board at Wiregrass Technical College

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

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Lowndes County Board/Agency Appointee Information Sheet - Submission #196

Date Submitted: 11/6/2025

Date:

11/6/2025

Board/Agency Applying For:

Greater Lowndes Planning Commission

Last Name

McCall

First Name

John

Street Address

City/State/Zip

31602

Phone Number

Email Address

Occupation

Architecture / Construction

Professional Experience

I have worked in the field of Architecture and Construction in Lowndes County for 20 years. Through my projects completed and clients served, I have extensive experience dealing with residential and commercial property development.

Knowledge & Skills

Experience developing projects that are directly affected by zoning ordinances, and local state and federal building codes, all local utility departments and providers, and state and local transportation departments. My extensive experience includes developing projects for all the major employers within Valdosta and Lowndes County including projects for Lowndes County, City of Valdosta, South Georgia Medial Center, Valdosta State University, Lowndes County Schools, and Moody Air Force Base, as well as area businesses and institutions. As a result, I have in-depth knowledge of the Greater Lowndes County Planning Commission's requirements and their effects on building projects. My tenure on the Zoning Board of Appeals has given me a greater knowledge and appreciation of the overarching plan for the growth of Lowndes County. I feel that I can use that to contribute to the GLPC's work of carefully managing that growth through the policies and ordinances which govern it.

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:

- Lowndes Valdosta Zoning Board of Appeals: January 2013 to present/Chairman since 2019
- Suwannee-Satilla Regional Water Planning Council; since 2020
- Harley Langdale, Jr. College of Business Advisory Board: Member since 2005/past Chairman

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

Volunteer: Second Harvest of South GA

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

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Lowndes County Library Board

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
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BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Appointing a Member

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Ms. Catherine Ammons resigned from the Lowndes County Library Board, leaving an unexpired term that will expire June 2026. Dr. Kendal Crawford, Mr. Dean Poling, and Mr. Gary Wisenbaker, have all expressed interest in being appointed to fill the unexpired term.

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:

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Date:

Board/Agency Applying For:

10/09/2025

Lowndes County Library Board

Last Name

First Name

Crawford

Dr. Kendal

Street Address

City/State/Zip

Valdosta GA 31602

Phone Number

Email Address

Occupation

Director of Instructional Technology and Media Services: Valdosta City

Professional Experience

Valdosta State University 1 Card System Administrator and Manager
Cook High School Librarian
Valdosta High School Computer Science and Business Education
Teacher
Director Instructional Technology & Media Services Valdosta City
Schools

Certified in Library and Media Services
Doctorate Degree in Education

Knowledge & Skills

As an experienced educator, I bring a deep understanding of literacy development, curriculum design, and the barriers that prevent students from reading at grade level. I have worked directly with students, families, and fellow educators to implement evidence-based strategies that support literacy growth, particularly among struggling readers.

My background also includes collaborating with community organizations to bridge the gap between schools and local resources—something the library is uniquely positioned to support. I understand how critical early exposure to reading is, and I can help the library board create or enhance programming that directly addresses the needs of our student population.

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:

Coastal Plains RESA Library Advisory Board Member
Cook County Library Board Member

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

One of my most meaningful community involvements has been with the

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

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Lowndes County Board/Agency Appointee Information Sheet - Submission #193

Date Submitted: 10/20/2025

Date:

10/20/2025

Board/Agency Applying For:

South Georgia Regional Library Board of Trustees

Last Name

Poling

First Name

Dean

Street Address

City/State/Zip

31605

Phone Number

Email Address

Occupation

Retired editor with The Valdosta Daily Times & The Tifton Gazette / Freelance reporter & writer, etc.

Professional Experience

Worked full time with The Valdosta Daily Times for 34 years with various positions, including editor; served three years as Tifton Gazette editor, while simultaneously overseeing daily operations at The Valdosta Daily Times; served as CNHI state editor for Georgia; several years on the Times editorial board, etc.

Knowledge & Skills

As reporter and editor covered the library and its programs for decades; have written book reviews for newspaper for the past 25-plus years, etc.

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:

Does not apply

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

As a representative of the newspaper was involved with numerous organizations in terms of coverage. More closely associated with various area arts organizations, including Peach State Summer Theatre; led the newspaper's role in the annual toy drive with the Empty Stocking Fund; Honor Flight program, etc.

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

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Lowndes County Board/Agency Appointee Information Sheet - Submission #195

Date Submitted: 10/30/2025

Date:

10/30/2025

Board/Agency Applying For:

South Georgia Regional Library Board

Last Name

Wisembaker

First Name

Gary

Street Address

City/State/Zip

Valdosta

Phone Number

Email Address

Occupation

Realtor

Professional Experience

Attorney, 1980-2012; Realtor 2025-present; Political consultant, 2012-2016; Columnist, 2016-present

Knowledge & Skills

Writer (Author, How Great is his Mercy, Trilogy Publishing); communications; leadership

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:

Past member and chair, South Georgia Regional Library Board (2017-2013); Member, VLMPO

Extra Activities & Community Organizations

Membership Chair, Valdosta North Rotary; past State Chair, Georgia Young Republicans; Editorial Board, Valdosta Daily Times; former Member, Georgia Student Finance Commission; past Chair, Red Cross of South Georgia; VSO choir and Musical Union;

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

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: REZ-2025-16 Copeland Road Subdivision, 2480 Copeland Rd, ~18ac, County Utilities, R-10/c to R-10

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
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Session

BUDGET IMPACT: N/A

FUNDING SOURCE:

- () Annual
- () Capital
- (X) N/A
- () SPLOST
- () TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: REZ-2025-16 Copeland Road Subdivision, 2480 Copeland Rd, ~18ac, County Utilities, R-10/c to R-10

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: This request seeks to remove several of the Conditions that were placed on the property as a result of REZ-2018-07[\[1\]](#), which was ultimately approved for R-10 by a vote of (3-2-1) with the following Conditions:

1. All lots, including the existing residence, shall front interior roads.
2. If there are any proposed entrances off of Lester Road, then the developer will be required to pave Lester Road from the entrance to Copeland Road. The Developer will also be responsible for the design, any acquisition of necessary right-of-way, relocation of utilities, and construction costs for the paving of Lester Road from the development's southernmost entrance to Copeland Road.
3. The developer will be required to construct a pedestrian crossing and sidewalk from the subdivision to Lowndes Middle School. The Developer will be responsible for the design, relocation of utilities, and construction costs for those improvements.
4. All lots adjacent to the western border and the southern border of the subject property shall meet or exceed a minimum lot width of 100'.
5. No manufactured homes or mobile homes.
6. No two-family or duplex residences.
7. Minimum lot size of 1/3 acre lots (14,520 sq. ft.) instead of ¼ acre lots.

The subject property is within the Urban Service Area, Valdosta Airport (VLD) Overlay, a drastic groundwater recharge area, and Suburban Character Area, which recommend R-10 zoning. The subject property possesses road frontage on Copeland Rd and Lester Rd, a county-maintained major collector and local road respectively, with proposed access from Copeland Rd only.

The TRC analyzed the request, the standards governing the exercise of zoning power set forth in 10.01.05 of the ULDC, and factors most relevant to this application, including the neighboring land uses and lot sizes, the availability of County Utilities, the nearby existing school campus (Lowndes Middle), the adjacent undeveloped Board of Education owned property, and some of the previously imposed conditions that have

already been resolved or are under GDOT guidelines, and therefore recommends approval of the request for R-10 zoning with the following conditions:

1. All new lots shall front interior roads.
2. All lots adjacent to the western border and the southern border of the subject property shall meet or exceed a minimum lot width of 100'.
3. No manufactured homes or mobile homes.
4. No two-family or duplex residences.
5. Minimum lot size of 1/3 acre lots (14,520 sq. ft.) along the southern border instead of ¼ acre lots.

At the Planning Commission, the applicant's engineer spoke in favor of the request, with brief discussion about the existing versus proposed conditions and the rising costs of development. No one spoke in opposition, and the GLPC voted unanimously (9-0) to recommend Approval with the five (5) new TRC Conditions.

[1] REZ-2015-17 and REZ-2016-23 were both previously denied by the LCBOC (October 13th 2015; 3-0-1 vote and January 10th 2016; 4-0-1 vote (Both Abstentions Commissioner Marshall)). Within both of those cases, the TRC recommended for approval with conditions (Frontage and Paving). The GLPC recommended for denial in the 2015 case by a 5-1 vote (Hall) and voted for approval in the 2016 case by a 6-2 vote (Raker and Willis). Previous public hearings included both those speaking for and against the case. Those speaking against the case have provided petitions with multiple signatures. Between both public hearings opposition to the case seemed to focus on the proposed increase in density, adding to the traffic congestion in the area associated with Lowndes Middle School, and other effects of additional population in the area e.g., noise, decreased privacy, etc.

OPTIONS: 1) Approve
2) Approve with Conditions
3) Table
4) Deny

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Option 2

DEPARTMENT: Planning/Zoning

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Jason Davenport

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

John Owens
14 Murray Blvd.
Lakeland, GA 31635

October 1, 2025

Lowndes County Board of Commissioners
327 N. Ashley St., 2nd Floor
Valdosta, GA 31601

To whom it may concern:

The purpose of this rezoning request is to rezone the subject property from R-10 with conditions to R-10 without conditions in order to allow for development use of the property as a single-family residential subdivision consistent with surrounding land uses and the adopted future land use map.

This rezoning will enable the property owner to develop and build a 41-lot single-family residential subdivision consistent with the by-right uses permitted under the R-10 zoning classification.

The proposed rezoning aligns with the adopted land use plan, which designates the area for Suburban Density Residential. The surrounding area is predominantly zoned R-A, R-10, or other single-family residential classifications. Rezoning to R-10 without conditions will maintain the existing residential pattern and character of the neighborhood.

The subject property will be served by existing public infrastructure, including water, sewer, and road access and no additional public facility improvements are required to support the proposed use.

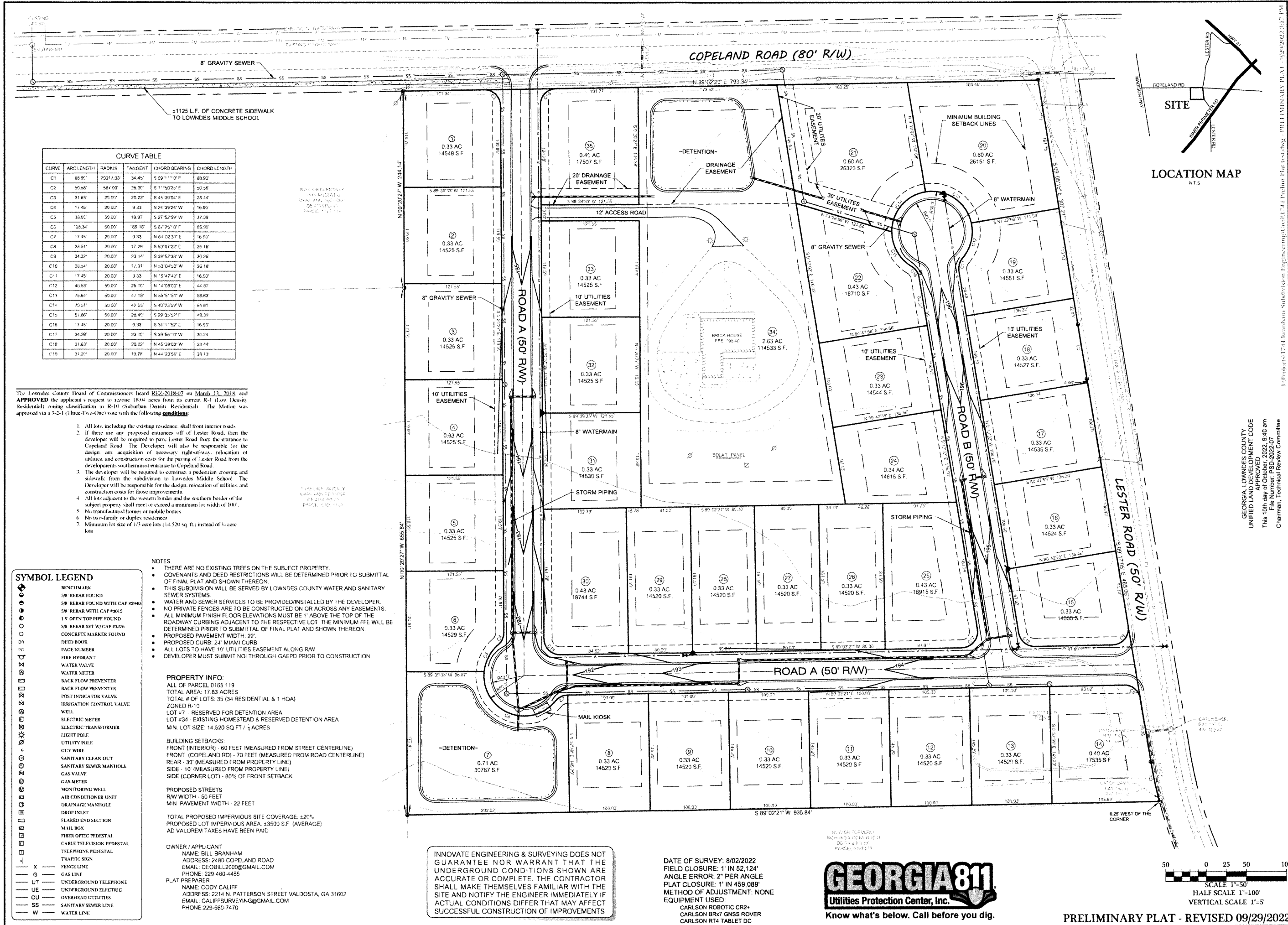
We respectfully request approval of this rezoning application to R-10 without conditions, as it is consistent with the comprehensive plan, compatible with adjacent land uses, and appropriate for the character of the surrounding neighborhood.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JOHN OWENS', with a stylized flourish at the end.

John Owens



CURVE TABLE					
CURVE	ARC LENGTH	RADIUS	TANGENT	CHORD BEARING	CHORD LENGTH
C1	68.92	2031.73	34.45	S 09°11'00" E	68.92
C2	50.58	561.00	25.30	S 11°50'26" E	50.58
C3	31.65	21.00	20.22	S 45°30'54" E	28.44
C4	17.45	20.00	9.33	S 24°39'24" W	16.90
C5	38.02	50.00	19.37	S 27°52'59" W	37.39
C6	28.34	50.00	16.16	S 61°25'11" E	25.97
C7	17.45	20.00	9.33	N 64°02'31" E	16.90
C8	28.51	20.00	17.29	S 50°07'22" E	26.16
C9	34.30	20.00	23.14	S 39°52'38" W	30.26
C10	28.34	20.00	17.31	N 62°04'52" W	26.18
C11	17.45	20.00	9.33	N 5°47'49" E	16.90
C12	46.53	50.00	25.10	N 4°08'03" E	44.87
C13	75.64	50.00	47.18	N 55°51'51" W	68.63
C14	70.51	50.00	47.55	S 40°23'59" W	64.81
C15	51.66	50.00	28.47	S 29°35'52" E	49.39
C16	17.45	20.00	9.33	S 31°11'52" E	16.90
C17	34.29	20.00	23.10	S 39°55'01" W	30.24
C18	31.63	20.00	20.22	N 45°38'03" W	28.44
C19	31.20	20.00	19.76	N 44°23'56" E	28.13

The Lowndes County Board of Commissioners heard REZ-2018-07 on March 13, 2018 and APPROVED the applicant's request to rezone 18.04 acres from its current R-1 (Low Density Residential) zoning classification to R-10 (Suburban Density Residential). The Motion was approved via a 3-2-1 (Three-Two-One) vote with the following conditions:

- All lots, including the existing residence, shall front interior roads.
- If there are any proposed entrances off of Lester Road, then the developer will be required to pave Lester Road from the entrance to Copeland Road. The Developer will also be responsible for the design, any acquisition of necessary right-of-way, relocation of utilities, and construction costs for the paving of Lester Road from the developments' southernmost entrance to Copeland Road.
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- All lots adjacent to the western border and the southern border of the subject property shall meet or exceed a minimum lot width of 100'.
- No manufactured homes or mobile homes.
- No two-family or duplex residences.
- Minimum lot size of 1/3 acre lots (14,520 sq. ft.) instead of 1/4 acre lots.

SYMBOL LEGEND

- BENCHMARK
- 8" REAR FOUND
- 5" REAR FOUND WITH CAP #240
- 5" REAR WITH CAP #305
- 15" OPEN TOP PIPE FOUND
- 5" REAR SET W/ CAP #326
- CONCRETE MARKER FOUND
- DEED BOOK
- PAGE NUMBER
- FIRE HYDRANT
- WATER VALVE
- WATER METER
- BACK FLOW PREVENTER
- BACK FLOW PREVENTER
- POST INDICATOR VALVE
- IRRIGATION CONTROL VALVE
- WELL
- ELECTRIC METER
- ELECTRIC TRANSFORMER
- LIGHT POLE
- UTILITY POLE
- GLY WIRE
- SANITARY CLEAN OUT
- SANITARY SINKER MANHOLE
- GAS VALVE
- GAS METER
- MONITORING WELL
- AIR CONDITIONER UNIT
- DRAINAGE MANHOLE
- DROP INLET
- FLARED END SECTION
- MAIL BOX
- FIBER OPTIC PEDESTAL
- CABLE TELEVISION PEDESTAL
- TELEPHONE PEDESTAL
- TRAFFIC SIGN
- FENCE LINE
- GAS LINE
- UT - UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE
- UE - UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC
- OU - OVERHEAD UTILITIES
- SS - SANITARY SEWER LINE
- W - WATER LINE

NOTES

- THERE ARE NO EXISTING TREES ON THE SUBJECT PROPERTY.
- COVENANTS AND DEED RESTRICTIONS WILL BE DETERMINED PRIOR TO SUBMITTAL OF FINAL PLAT AND SHOWN THEREON.
- THIS SUBDIVISION WILL BE SERVED BY LOWNDES COUNTY WATER AND SANITARY SEWER SYSTEMS.
- WATER AND SEWER SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED/INSTALLED BY THE DEVELOPER.
- NO PRIVATE FENCES ARE TO BE CONSTRUCTED ON OR ACROSS ANY EASEMENTS.
- ALL MINIMUM FINISH FLOOR ELEVATIONS MUST BE 1' ABOVE THE TOP OF THE ROADWAY CURBING ADJACENT TO THE RESPECTIVE LOT. THE MINIMUM FFE WILL BE DETERMINED PRIOR TO SUBMITTAL OF FINAL PLAT AND SHOWN THEREON.
- PROPOSED PAVEMENT WIDTH: 22'
- PROPOSED CURB: 24" MIAMI CURB
- ALL LOTS TO HAVE 10' UTILITIES EASEMENT ALONG R/W
- DEVELOPER MUST SUBMIT NOI THROUGH GAEPD PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.

PROPERTY INFO:

ALL OF PARCEL 0185 119
TOTAL AREA: 17.83 ACRES
TOTAL # OF LOTS: 35 (34 RESIDENTIAL & 1 HOA)
ZONED R-10
LOT #7 - RESERVED FOR DETENTION AREA
LOT #34 - EXISTING HOMESTEAD & RESERVED DETENTION AREA
MIN. LOT SIZE: 14,520 SQ. FT. / 1/3 ACRES

BUILDING SETBACKS:
FRONT (INTERIOR) - 60 FEET (MEASURED FROM STREET CENTERLINE)
FRONT (COPELAND R/D) - 70 FEET (MEASURED FROM ROAD CENTERLINE)
REAR - 30' (MEASURED FROM PROPERTY LINE)
SIDE - 10' (MEASURED FROM PROPERTY LINE)
SIDE (CORNER LOT) - 80% OF FRONT SETBACK

PROPOSED STREETS
R/W WIDTH - 50 FEET
MIN. PAVEMENT WIDTH - 22 FEET

TOTAL PROPOSED IMPERVIOUS SITE COVERAGE: <20%
PROPOSED LOT IMPERVIOUS AREA: <3500 S.F. (AVERAGE)
AD VALOREM TAXES HAVE BEEN PAID

OWNER / APPLICANT

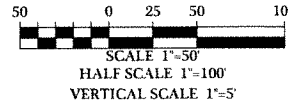
NAME: BILL BRANHAM
ADDRESS: 2480 COPELAND ROAD
EMAIL: CE0BILL2000@GMAIL.COM
PHONE: 229-460-4455

PLAT PREPARED

NAME: CODY CALIFF
ADDRESS: 2214 N. PATTERSON STREET VALDOSTA, GA 31602
EMAIL: CALIFFSURVEYING@GMAIL.COM
PHONE: 229-560-7470

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DATE OF SURVEY: 8/02/2022
FIELD CLOSURE: 1" IN 52,124'
ANGLE ERROR: 2" PER ANGLE
PLAT CLOSURE: 1" IN 459,089'
METHOD OF ADJUSTMENT: NONE
EQUIPMENT USED:
CARLSON ROBOTIC CR2+
CARLSON BR7 GNSS ROVER
CARLSON RT4 TABLET DC



PRELIMINARY PLAT - REVISED 09/29/2022

LOCATION MAP
N.T.S.

GEORGIA, LOWNDES COUNTY
UNIFIED LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE
APPROVED
This 10th day of October, 2022, 9:40 am
File Number: PSD-2022-07
Chairman, Technical Review Committee

BRANHAM SUBDIVISION
LOWNDES COUNTY, GEORGIA
LAND LOT 111 LAND DISTRICT 11TH

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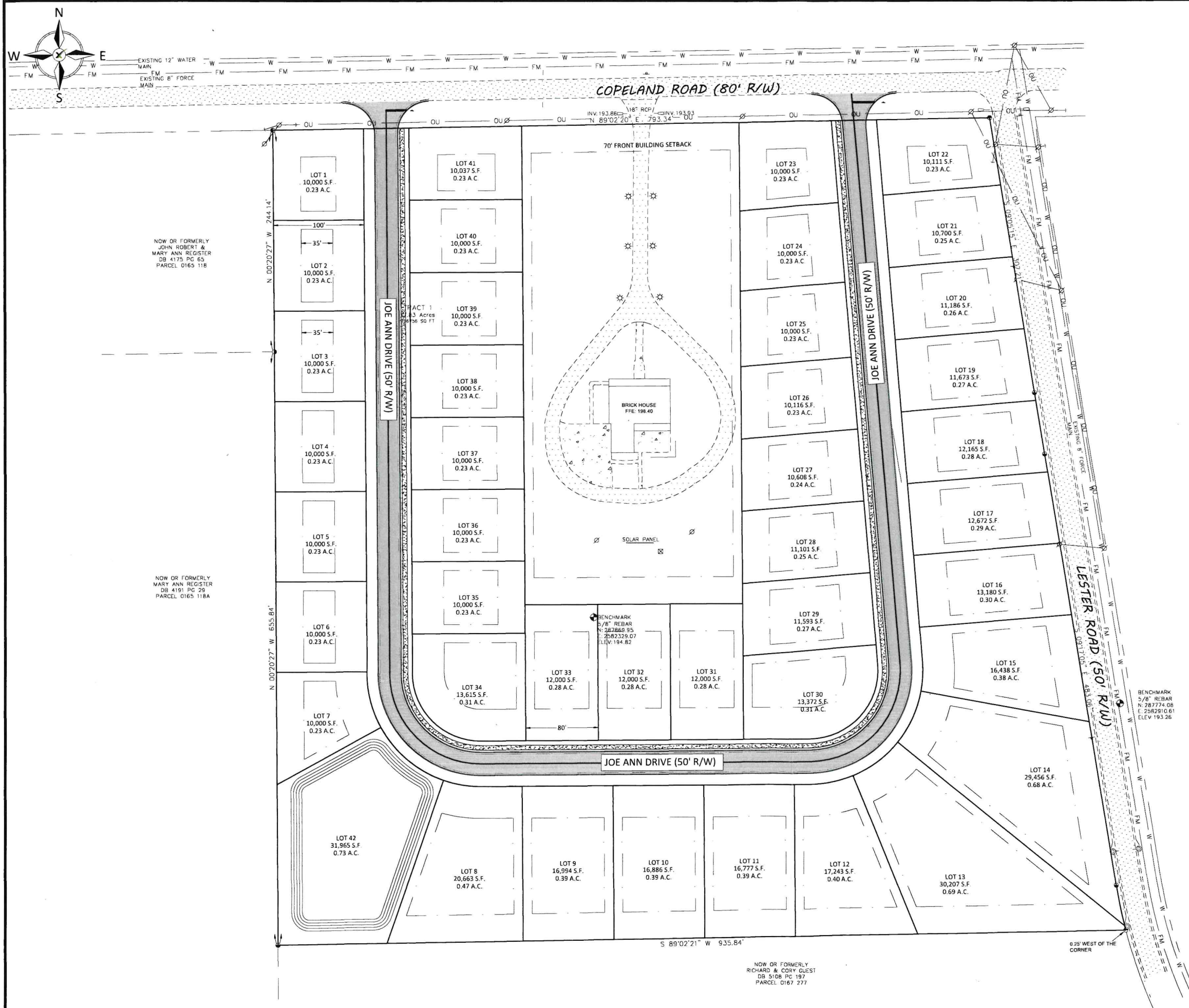


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CHECKED BY: B. KENT

SHEET
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PROJECT NUMBER
1744

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SITE DATA TABLE			
PROJECT ADDRESS		TBD COPELAND ROAD, VALDOSTA, GEORGIA 31601	
PARCEL NUMBER		0165 119 (17.83 ACRES)	
ZONING		SUBURBAN DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (R-10)	
PROJECT AREA		17.83 ACRES	
BUILDING SETBACK		LANDSCAPE SETBACK	
FRONT	70' (COLLECTOR), 60' (RESIDENTIAL) FROM ROAD CENTERLINE	FRONT	N/A
SIDE	10'	SIDE	N/A
REAR	30'	REAR	N/A

SITE NOTES:

1. THE HORIZONTAL DATA SHOWN IS BASED ON NAD83 GEORGIA WEST. THE VERTICAL DATA SHOWN IS BASED ON NAVD 88(12B).
2. ALL STRIPING AND SIGNS SHALL CONFORM TO THE LATEST VERSION OF THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES (MUTCD), OR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS
3. ALL DIMENSIONS SHOWN ARE MEASURED FROM THE FACE OF CURB, EDGE OF ASPHALT, OR EDGE OF BUILDING (WHERE APPLICABLE)
4. HANDICAPPED PARKING AND ACCESSIBLE ROUTES (AT MINIMUM) MEET THE LATEST VERSION OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) STANDARDS FOR ACCESSIBLE DESIGN. NO ACCESSIBLE SIDEWALK SHALL EXCEED FIVE PERCENT (5%) LONGITUDINAL SLOPE OR TWO PERCENT (2%) CROSS SLOPE. THE ACCESSIBLE PARKING AREAS SHALL NOT EXCEED TWO PERCENT (2%) SLOPE IN ANY DIRECTION. NO ACCESSIBLE RAMP SHALL NOT EXCEED 12H : 1V GRADE.

HATCH LEGEND:

	PROPOSED ASPHALT PAVEMENT		PROPOSED CONCRETE SIDEWALK
	EXISTING ASPHALT PAVEMENT		EXISTING CONCRETE PAVEMENT



REVISIONS

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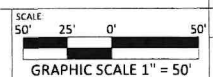
SITE PLAN

COPELAND ROAD SUBDIVISION

VALDOSTA, LOWNDES
COUNTY, GEORGIA

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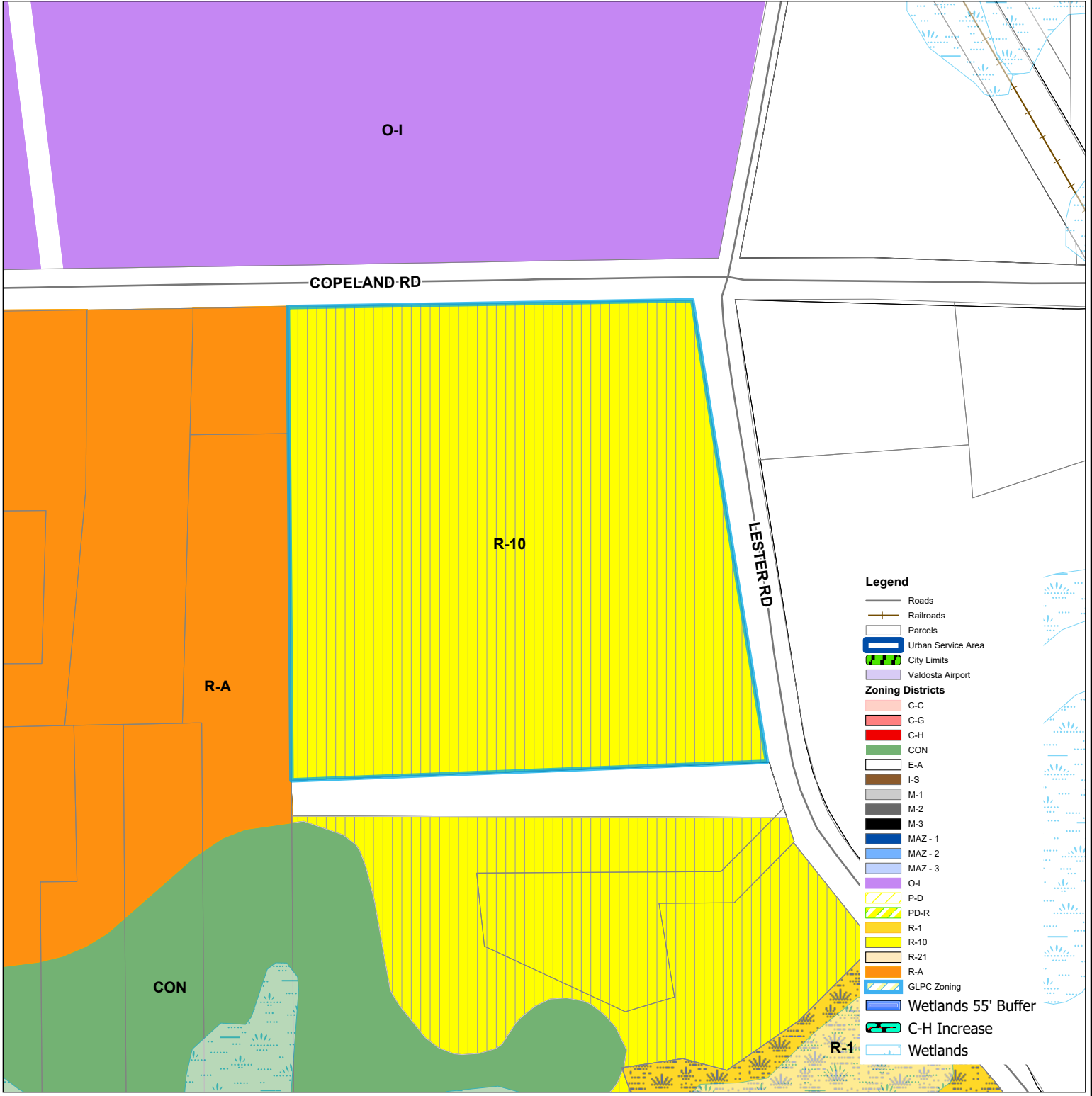
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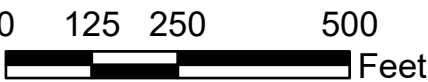
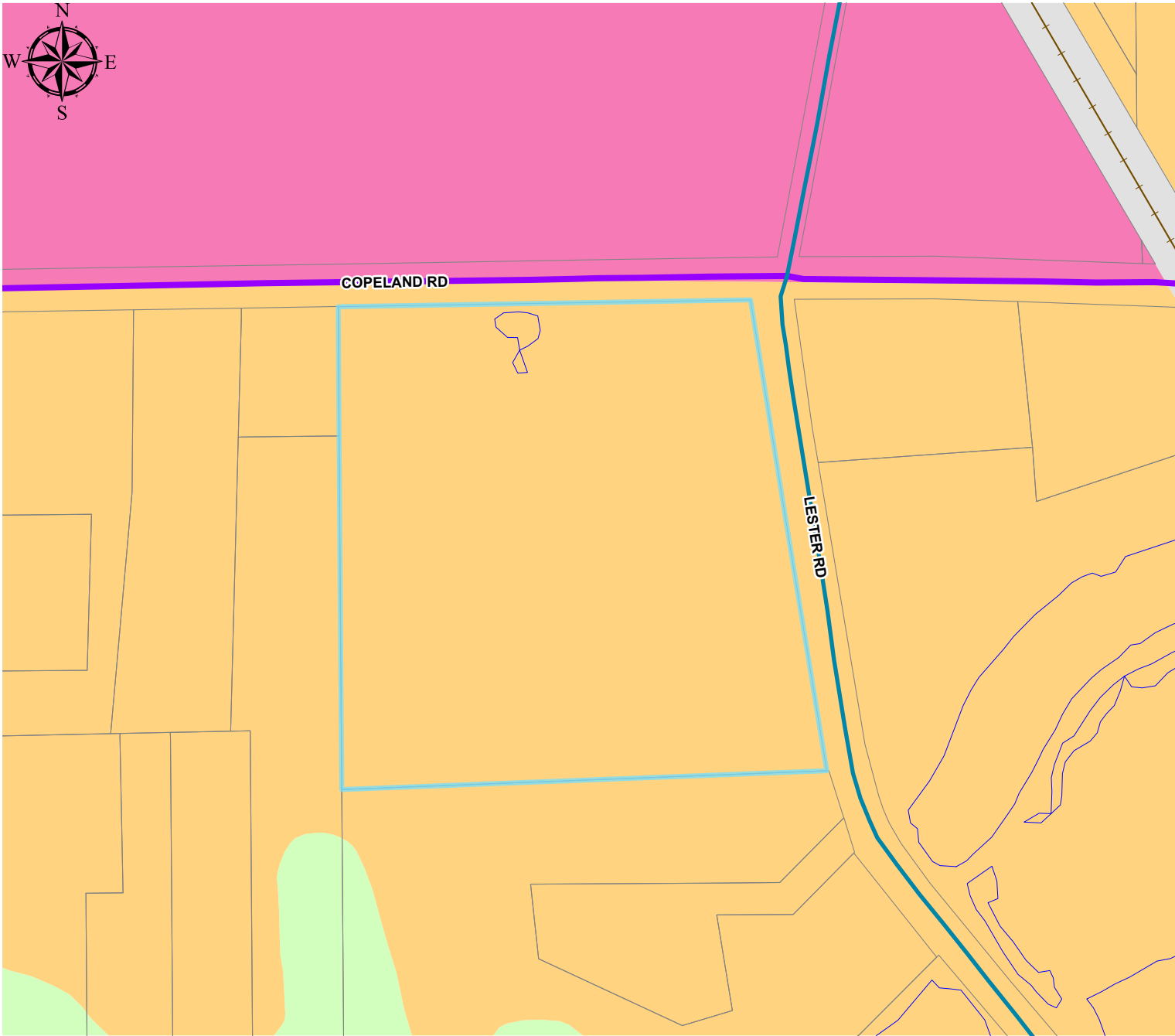
Zoning Location Map

Copeland Road Subdivision
Rezoning Request

CURRENT ZONING: R - 10/Conditions
PROPOSED ZONING: R - 10



Copeland Road Subdivision
Rezoning Request



Roads

Functional Classification

- 1, INTERSTATE
- 3, OTHER PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL
- 4, MINOR ARTERIAL
- 5, MAJOR COLLECTOR
- 6, MINOR COLLECTOR
- 7, LOCAL
- Railroads

Character Areas

- Agriculture / Forestry
- Community Activity Center
- Downtown
- Established Residential
- Industrial Activity Center
- Industrial Area

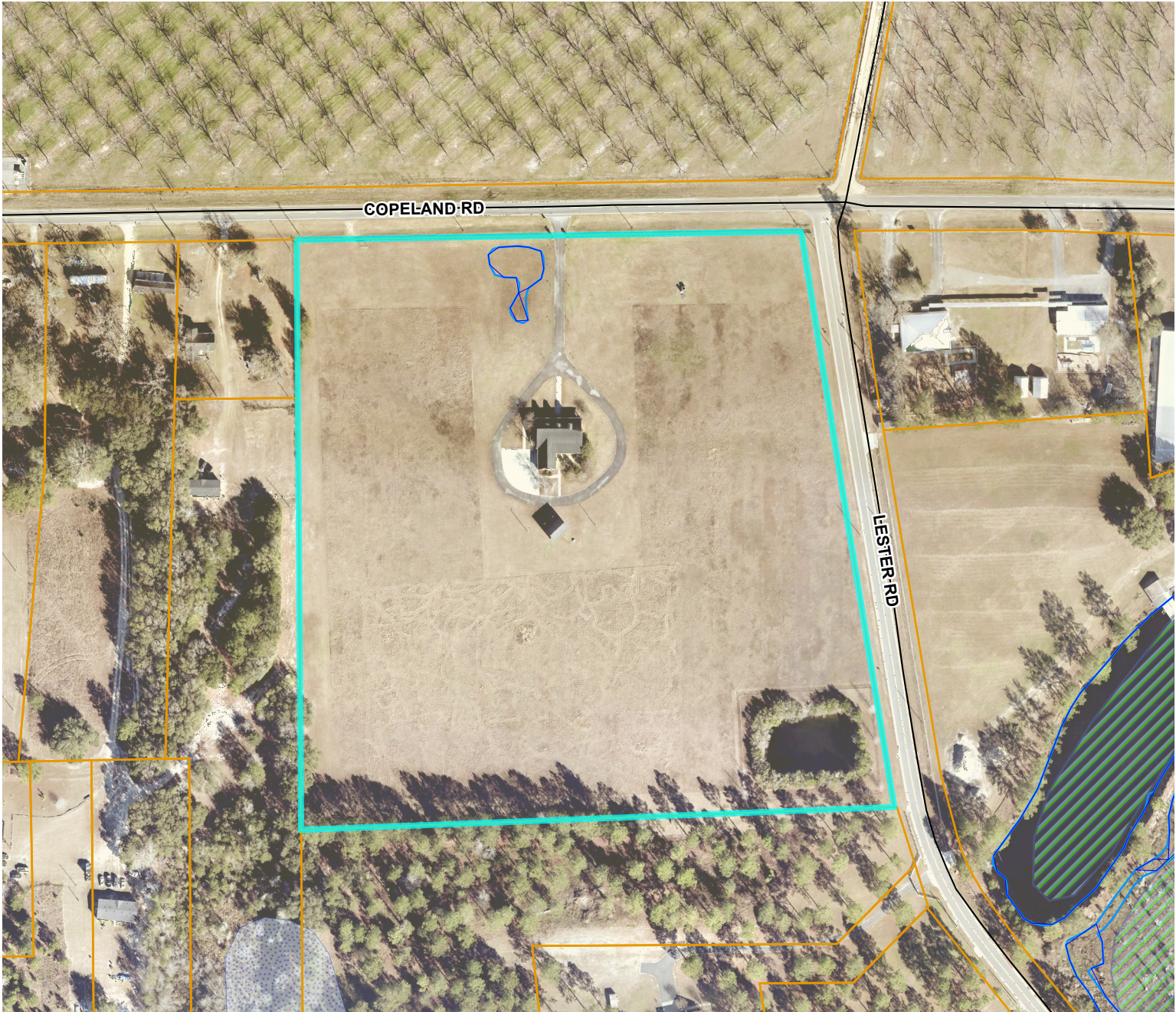
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- Institutional Activity Center
- Linear Greenspace/Trails
- Mill Town
- Moody Activity Zone
- Neighborhood Activity Center
- Park/Recreation/Conservation
- Public / Institutional
- Regional Activity Center
- Remerton Neighborhood Village
- Rural Activity Center
- Rural Residential
- Suburban Area
- Transitional Neighborhood
- Transportation/Communication/Utilities

Copeland Road Subdivision Rezoning Request

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| — Roads | Open Water | Parcels |
| — Railroads | Valdosta Airport | |
| Park | Wetlands | |
| City Limits | 100 Yr Flood | |
| Crashzone | Hydrology | |
| Crashzone West | Drastic | |
| Urban Service Area | Recharge Areas | |



LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: 2026 Holiday Schedule

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Approval of the 2026 Holiday Schedule

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: In accordance with the Lowndes County Personnel Policy, the 2026 Holiday Schedule is being presented to the Commission for consideration. Lowndes County currently observes ten (10) holidays that span a total of 12 working days.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve the 2026 Holiday Schedule in accordance with the current Lowndes County Personnel Policy.
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Human Resources

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Kevin Beals

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

V-2 Holidays

Policy:

For all regular full-time employees, a "Holiday" is defined by this policy as eight (8) hours in length and employees on Holiday leave will be compensated at his or her regular rate times eight (8) hours.

Application:

All full-time employees.

Provisions:

1. Holidays Observed

- A. New Year's Day
Martin L. King's Birthday
Good Friday
National Memorial Day
Juneteenth
Independence Day
Labor Day
Veterans Day
Thanksgiving Day and the Day After
Christmas Eve
Christmas Day
- B. If the Holiday falls on a Sunday, it will be observed on the Monday following the Holiday. If the Holiday falls on a Saturday, it will be observed the Friday before the Holiday.

2. Eligibility for Holiday Pay

- A. The employee must be a regular full-time employee.
- B. An employee who takes unauthorized leave on either the day before or after the holiday will not receive Holiday pay and will be subject to disciplinary action.

3. Holidays Worked

An employee required to work on a holiday shall be given a compensated day off, at a later time, if the County's staffing needs permit, or receive additional pay at his or her hourly rate for time worked. However, if the compensated day off is not

available due to the County's benefit staffing needs, the employee will receive the additional pay in lieu of the compensated day off.

Responsibility:

Supervisors are responsible for completing a report stipulating the employees who worked holidays and who are eligible to be paid overtime. If a supervisor is in doubt as to an employee's eligibility for overtime for holidays worked, the Director and the County Manager should be contacted for guidance.



Memorandum

To: All Agencies
From: Human Resources
Date: November 12, 2025
Subject: ***2026 Holiday Schedule***

According to the Lowndes County Personnel Manual, the holiday schedule for 2026 is as follows:

Thursday	January 1, 2026	New Year's Day
Monday	January 19, 2026	Martin Luther King Birthday
Friday	April 3, 2026	Good Friday
Monday	May 25, 2026	National Memorial Day
Friday	June 19, 2026	Juneteenth
Friday	July 3, 2026	Independence Day - Observed
Monday	September 7, 2026	Labor Day
Wednesday	November 11, 2026	Veterans Day
Thursday	November 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Day
Friday	November 27, 2026	Thanksgiving Holiday
Thursday	December 24, 2026	Christmas Eve
Friday	December 25, 2026	Christmas Day
Friday	January 1, 2027	New Year's Holiday – (2027)

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: 2026 Commission Meeting Calendar

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: 2026 Commission Meeting Calendar

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The calendar provided for the Commission's review has listed the Commission Meeting Dates for 2026. The Commission is asked to review and approve the 2026 Commission Meeting Calendar.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: County Manager

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

Commission Meeting Schedule & Holidays

2026

Meeting Dates

January 12, 13, 26, 27
February 9, 10, 23, 24
March 9, 10, 23, 24
April 13, 14, 27, 28
May 11, 12, 26
June 8, 9, 22, 23
July 13, 14, 27, 28
August 10, 11, 24, 25
September 8, 21, 22
October 12, 13, 26, 27
November 9, 10
December 7, 8

Holidays

January 1 - New Year's Day
January 19 - MLK Birthday
April 3 - Good Friday
May 25 - Memorial Day
June 19 - Juneteenth
July 3 - Independence Day Observed
September 7 - Labor Day
November 11 - Veterans Day
November 26 - Thanksgiving Day
November 27 - Thanksgiving Holiday
December 24 - Christmas Eve
December 25 - Christmas Day

ACCG Annual Conf. - April 23-26, 2026



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LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Local Bridge Replacement Project 0019937 Jumping Gully
Road at Bevel Creek Memorandum of Agreement

DATE OF MEETING: November 12, 2025

Work
Session/Regular
Session

BUDGET IMPACT: \$50,000.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Local Bridge Replacement Project Jumping Gully Road

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The Jumping Gully Road Bridge Replacement at Bevel Creek, 6 miles SW of Lake Park, has been added to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan. As part of this project, Lowndes County is responsible for providing \$50,000.00 to the Georgia Department of Transportation for the Right of Way contributions. The current project let date for this project is July 15, 2028.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve and authorize the Chairman to sign the Memorandum of Agreement.
2. Redirect.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: Engineering

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Chad McLeod

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT
BY AND BETWEEN
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
AND
LOWNDES COUNTY
FOR
RIGHT OF WAY**

THIS MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (the "Agreement") is made and entered into as of _____ (the "Effective Date"), by and between the GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, an agency of the State of Georgia (hereinafter called the "DEPARTMENT" or "GDOT"), and **LOWNDES COUNTY**, acting by and through its Chairman and Board of Commissioners (hereinafter called the "LOCAL GOVERNMENT").

WHEREAS, PI No. **0019937 - JUMPING GULLEY RD at BEVEL CREEK, 6 MI SW OF LAKE PARK** (hereinafter called "PROJECT") has been added to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT policy requires, and the LOCAL GOVERNMENT has agreed, that the LOCAL GOVERNMENT shall fund a portion of the DEPARTMENT expenses associated with Right of Way ("ROW") Phase (hereinafter called the "ROW Phase") for the PROJECT; and

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT has determined guidance for estimating the amount contributed by each Local Government for ROW contributions for each PROJECT based on the level of complexity for the particular project; and

WHEREAS, the LOCAL GOVERNMENT has agreed to pay the amount for the ROW Phase to the DEPARTMENT as set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, the Constitution authorizes intergovernmental agreements whereby state and local entities may contract with one another "for joint services, for the provision of services, or for the joint or separate use of facilities or equipment; but such contracts must deal with activities, services or facilities which the parties are authorized by law to undertake or provide." Ga. Constitution Article IX, §III, ¶I(a).

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises made and of the benefits to flow from one to the other, the DEPARTMENT and the LOCAL GOVERNMENT hereby agree each with the other as follows:

1. **RECITALS.** The recitals set forth above are true and correct and are incorporated into this Agreement.
2. **PAYMENT BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT**
 - a. Based on the assessed level of complexity and subject to the provisions of this Section 2 of the Agreement, the LOCAL GOVERNMENT shall be responsible for providing payment in the amount of **fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00)** to the DEPARTMENT within thirty (30) days from the date listed on the GDOT invoice and billing request.
 - b. All payments by the LOCAL GOVERNMENT to the DEPARTMENT shall be sent to the following address:

For payments made by check:

Georgia Department of Transportation
P.O. Box 932764
Atlanta, GA 31193-2764

- c. If there is an unused balance after completion of all the phases of the PROJECT for the PROJECT, pending audit by the DEPARTMENT, the remainder will be refunded to the LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
- d. The DEPARTMENT will prepare Specific Activity Agreements for funding applicable to other PROJECT activities, such as right of way, utilities and construction phases, when appropriate.
- e. Both the LOCAL GOVERNMENT and the DEPARTMENT hereby acknowledge that Time is of the Essence.
- f. If, for any reason, the LOCAL GOVERNMENT does not make payment to the DEPARTMENT pursuant to Section 2(a) above, the DEPARTMENT reserves the right, where applicable, to delay or cancel the PROJECT.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS.

- a. The undersigned, on behalf of the LOCAL GOVERNMENT, certifies that the provisions of Sections 45-10-20 through 45-10-28 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated ("O.C.G.A.") relating to Conflict of Interest and State employees and officials trading with the State have been complied with in full.
- b. The provisions of O.C.G.A. §50-24-1 through 50-24-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated relating to the "Drug Free Workplace Act" have been complied with in full, as stated in **Appendix A** of this Agreement.
- c. The LOCAL GOVERNMENT has read and understands the regulations for the State Audit Requirement and will comply in full with said provisions of O.C.G.A. § 36-81-7.
- d. By execution of this Agreement, the undersigned, on behalf of the LOCAL GOVERNMENT, certify under penalty of law that the LOCAL GOVERNMENT is in compliance with the service delivery strategy law (O.C.G.A. § 36-70-1 et seq.) and is not debarred from receiving financial assistance from the State of Georgia.
- e. The LOCAL GOVERNMENT hereby agrees that it shall comply with all applicable requirements of the American with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), 42 U.S.C. 12101, et seq. and 49 U.S.C. 322; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, 29 U.S.C. 791; and regulations and amendments thereto.
- f. The LOCAL GOVERNMENT hereby agrees that it shall comply with O.C.G.A. § 25-9-1 et. seq, Georgia Underground Facility Protection Act, CALL BEFORE YOU DIG 1-800-282-7411.
- g. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, the LOCAL GOVERNMENT is and shall be at all times, in compliance with the Federal Work Authorization Program. LOCAL GOVERNMENT agrees that it will comply with all E-Verify and Title VI requirements and execute any documents reasonably required related to such compliance.
- h. The LOCAL GOVERNMENT hereby agrees that it shall not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, sex, national origin, religion or disability and that it shall comply, at a minimum, with the following Georgia laws: the Georgia Age Discrimination Act (O.C.G.A. § 34-1-2 et seq.); the Georgia Equal Employment for Persons with Disabilities Code (O.C.G.A. 34-6A-1 et seq.); and the Sex Discrimination in Employment (O.C.G.A. 34-5-1 et seq.). The LOCAL GOVERNMENT further agrees that it will comply with any and all state

and federal laws not specifically stated herein addressing discrimination to the extent that such is applicable.

- i. LOCAL GOVERNMENT acknowledges and agrees that failure to complete appropriate certifications or the submission of a false certification shall result in the termination of this Agreement.

4. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. Any notices, requests, demands or other communications that may be required hereunder, shall be in writing and transmitted via hand delivery, overnight courier, or certified mail to the Parties at the respective addresses set forth below. Notices may also be sent by email provided that the recipient acknowledges receipt. Notices will be deemed to have been given when received, unless otherwise noted in the Agreement.

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Attn: Neoma Walker Title: Bridge Program Manager Address: 600 West Peachtree NW, Atlanta, GA 30308 Phone: 404-985-1545 Email: nwalker@dot.ga.gov	<u>LOWNDES COUNTY</u> Attn: Title: Address: Phone: Email:
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- b. The individual signing this Agreement on behalf of each party represents and warrants that (s)he has the actual authority to sign this Agreement on behalf of such party, and to bind such party to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- c. This Agreement may be modified or amended only by means of a written document executed on behalf of all parties to this Agreement.
- d. The section and paragraph headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement.
- e. The covenants herein contained shall, except as otherwise provided, accrue to the benefit of and be binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties hereto.
- f. If any provision of this Agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in force and unaffected to the fullest extent permitted by law and regulation.
- g. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as conferring upon or giving to any person, other than the parties hereto, any rights or benefits under or by reason of this Agreement.
- h. It is mutually agreed between the parties hereto that this Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed in Fulton County, Georgia, and that all questions of interpretation and construction shall be governed by the laws of the State of Georgia.

- i. This Agreement supersedes all prior negotiations, discussion, statements and agreements between the parties and constitutes the full, complete and entire agreement between the Parties with respect hereto; no member, officer, employee or agent of either party has authority to make, or has made, any statement, agreement, representation or contemporaneous agreement, oral or written, in connection herewith, amending, supplementing, modifying, adding to, deleting from, or changing the terms and conditions of this Agreement. No modification of or amendment to this Agreement will be binding on either Party hereto unless such modification or amendment will be properly authorized, in writing, properly signed by both Parties and incorporated in and by reference made a part hereof.

[SIGNATURES TO FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the DEPARTMENT and the LOCAL GOVERNMENT have caused these presents to be executed under seal by their duly authorized representatives as of the Effective Date.

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF

LOWNDES COUNTY

TRANSPORTATION

By: _____

By: _____

Name: Russell McMurry

Name: _____

Title: Commissioner

Title: _____

Attest: _____

Attest: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Title: _____

This Agreement approved by Local Government,
the _____ day of _____, 20__.

FEIN: _____

APPENDIX A
CERTIFICATION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT
DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

I hereby certify that I am a principal and duly authorized representative of _____
whose address is _____ and it is also certified that:

1. The provisions of Section 50 24 1 through 50 24 6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the ""Drug Free Workplace Act"" have been complied with in full; and
2. A drug free workplace will be provided for the LOCAL GOVERNMENT's employees during the performance of the contract; and
3. Each subcontractor hired by the LOCAL GOVERNMENT shall be required to ensure that the subcontractor's employees are provided a drug free workplace. The LOCAL GOVERNMENT shall secure from that subcontractor the following written certification:

""As part of the subcontracting agreement with _____
_____, _____ certifies to the LOCAL
GOVERNMENT that a drug free workplace will be provided for the subcontractor's employees
during the performance of this contract pursuant to paragraph (7) of subsection (b) of the Official
Code of Georgia Annotated Section 50 24 3""; and

4. It is certified that the undersigned will not engage in unlawful manufacture, sale, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or marijuana during the performance of the contract.

Date

Signature

Name: _____

Title: _____

APPENDIX B
CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCES
WITH STATE AUDIT REQUIREMENT

I hereby certify that I am a principal and duly authorized representative of _____ whose address is _____ and it is also certified that:

I. PROCUREMENT REQUIREMENTS

The below listed provisions of State Procurement requirements shall be complied with throughout the Agreement period:

- (a) Provisions of Chapters 2 and Chapters 4 of the Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. Specifically, as to the County the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 32-4-40 et seq. and as to the Municipality the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 32-4-92 et seq.

II. STATE AUDIT REQUIREMENT

The provisions of Section 36-81-7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the "Requirement of Audits" shall be complied with throughout the contract period in full, including but not limited to the following provisions:

- (a) Each unit of local government having a population in excess of 1,500 persons or expenditures of \$550,000.00 or more shall provide for and cause to be made an annual audit of the financial affairs and transactions of all funds and activities of the local government for each fiscal year of the local government.
- (b) The governing authority of each local unit of government not included above shall provide for and cause to be made the audit required not less often than once every two fiscal years.
- (c) The governing authority of each local unit of government having expenditures of less than \$550,000.00 in that government's most recently ended fiscal year may elect to provide for and cause to be made, in lieu of the biennial audit, an annual report of agreed upon procedures for that fiscal year.
- (d) A copy of the report and any comments made by the state auditor shall be maintained as a public record for public inspection during the regular working hours at the principal office of the local government. Those units of local government not having a principal office shall provide a notification to the public as to the location of and times during which the public may inspect the report.
- (e) Provisions of Section Chapters 2 and Chapters 4 of the Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

III. SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY REQUIREMENT

The provisions of Section 36-70-20 et seq. of the Official Code of Georgia, relating to the "Coordinated And Comprehensive Planning and Service Delivery By Counties And Municipalities", as amended, has been complied with throughout the Agreement period.

Date

Signature
Name: _____
Title: _____

Appendix C

GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT AFFIDAVIT

Contractor's Name:	<u>LOWNDES COUNTY</u>
Solicitation/Contract No./ Call No. or Project Description:	JUMPING GULLEY RD at BEVEL CREEK, 6 MI SW OF LAKE PARK

CONTRACTOR AFFIDAVIT

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, entity or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services on behalf of the Georgia Department of Transportation has registered with, is authorized to use and uses the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, or any subsequent replacement program, in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91.

Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10- 91(b). Contractor hereby attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as follows:

Federal Work Authorization User Identification Number
(EEV/E-Verify Company Identification Number)

Date of Authorization

Name of Contractor

**I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the
foregoing is true and correct**

Printed Name (of Authorized Officer or Agent
of Contractor)

Title (of Authorized Officer or Agent of Contractor)

Signature (of Authorized Officer or Agent)

Date Signed

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME ON THIS THE
____ DAY OF _____, _____

Notary Public

[NOTARY SEAL]

My commission expires: _____

**CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH
ANNUAL IMMIGRATION REPORTING REQUIREMENTS/
NO SANCTUARY POLICY/FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT COOPERATION**

By executing this document, the undersigned duly authorized representative of the Local Governing Body, certifies that the Local Governing Authority:

- 1) has filed a compliant Annual Immigration Compliance Report with the Georgia Department of Audits & Accounts ("GDA&A") for the preceding calendar year required by O.C.G.A. § 50-36-4(b), or has been issued a written exemption from GDA&A from doing so;
- 2) has not enacted a "Sanctuary Policy" in violation of O.C.G.A. § 36-80-23(b); and,
- 3) is in compliance with O.C.G.A. §§ 35-1-17 *et seq.* regarding its obligation to cooperate with federal immigration enforcement authorities to deter the presence of criminal illegal aliens.

As an ongoing condition to receiving funding from the Georgia Department of Transportation, the Local Governing Body shall continue to remain fully compliant with O.C.G.A. §§ 50-36-4, 36-80-23 and 35-1-17 *et seq.* for the duration of time the subject agreement is in effect.

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Printed Name of Authorized Officer or Agent

Title of Authorized Officer or Agent

Date