

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Approval of the Solicitor General's FY26 VOCA Grant Award
AW-VOCA-25-071-012

BUDGET IMPACT: \$33,232.00 Cash Match

FUNDING SOURCE:

- (X) Annual \$33,232.00 Cash Match
- () Capital
- () N/A
- () SPLOST
- () TSPL0ST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Approval of SG's FY26 VOCA Grant Award AW-VOCA-25-071-012

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The Solicitor-General's Office has been a recipient of the Federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) funds since 2014. This grant is vital in sustaining the Victim Services Program as it funds two full time Victim Advocates. The Prosecuting Attorney's Council (PAC) has informed the SG's Office that the FY26 VOCA Award will be in the amount of \$75,020.00 which is the same amount as last year. The county would be required to provide a cash match of \$33,232.00 which is also the same amount as last year. The performance period for this grant runs from October 1, 2025-September 30, 2026. The SG's office requests the board's approval of the FY26 VOCA Grant Award and permission for the Chairman to sign all necessary documents to be included in the award packet.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve SG's FY26 VOCA Grant Award AW-VOCA-25-071-012.
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Option 1

DEPARTMENT: Solicitor-General

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Justo C. Cabral, III

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: