

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: FY2016 Performance Partnership Agreement and EMPG Application

DATE OF MEETING: March 28, 2017

BUDGET IMPACT: None

FUNDING SOURCE

- Annual
- Capital
- N/A

- Regular Meeting
- Work Session
- Recommendation
- Policy/Discussion
- Report
- Other

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: FY2016 Performance Partnership Agreement and EMPG Application

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HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Each year, as a condition of receiving Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) funding, the Georgia Emergency Management Agency (GEMA) requires local agencies to enter into a partnership agreement. This agreement requires that the Board of Commissioners, the local Emergency Management Agency, and the Director agree to meet the requirements outlined in the Georgia Emergency Management Act of 1981, the Federal Emergency Management Agency Guidance for FY2016 EMPG funding, and reporting and other requirements outlined by the Director of GEMA/Office of Homeland Security. Funding amounts are based on population using the 2010 Census data. Lowndes County currently receives \$32,770 annually as part of this agreement. GEMA also provides an additional \$500 to be used for training related activities.

For their part, GEMA agrees to provide resources and, when available, funding support to local governments both during times of disaster and in the performance of planning, training, and other administrative duties when no disasters are occurring.

- OPTIONS: 1. Authorize the Chairman and EMA Director to sign documentation related to the PPA and EMPG application.  
2. Board's Pleasure.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Option 1.

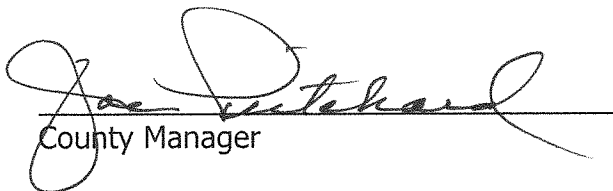
DEPARTMENT: Emergency Management

Department Head: Ashley Tye

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION:

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County Manager

Action Taken By Board: \_\_\_\_\_