

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Mud Swamp Road and Swamp Edge Drive Private Road
Dedication Advisement

DATE OF MEETING: August 24, 2021

Work Session/Regular Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

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

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Mud Swamp Road and Swamp Edge Drive Private Road Dedication
Advisement

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Mud Swamp Road and Swamp Edge Drive are currently private dirt roads that are not in the road inventory and are not maintained by Lowndes County. Staff received signed petitions on August 16, 2021 from the citizens that they agree to donate and convey the necessary right of way and easements to Lowndes County for improvements and maintenance. Staff has verified that Mud Swamp and Swamp Edge have all of the signatures needed. The Resolution Regarding Dedications of Private Roads to Become County Roads states that:

1. The County Manager will advise the Board of Commissioners of a proposed dedication of a private road to Lowndes County by owners of properties adjoining the private road.
2. The Board of Commissioners will provide the County Manager with direction regarding the process to be employed under the circumstances regarding the proposed dedication preliminary to the Board of Commissioners determining whether to accept the dedication.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve the County Manager and staff to move forward with the process outlined in the Resolution.
2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure
Option 1

DEPARTMENT: Engineering

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Chad McLeod

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: