LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Emergency Fiber Replacement to South L	owndes Regular Meeting (X) Work Session (X)
DATE OF MEETING: April 26, 2016	Recommendation () Policy/Discussion ()
BUDGET IMPACT: \$61,020.00 FUNDING SOURCE () Annual (X) Capital () N/A	Report () Other ()
COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Emergency Fibe	er Replacement to South Lowndes
HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The current fiber that connects the South Lowndes Data Center and the E911 Center needs to be replaced. This fiber was installed in the late nineties and has been repaired so many times that the signal speed and quality are extremely degraded. The fiber was recently tested and is showing up to 10 splices have be done on some of the fibers and over half of the fibers are unusable. If there is another break, it will likely not be able to be repaired again.	
OPTIONS: 1. Approve 2. Board's Pleasure	
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure	
DEPARTMENT: <u>I.T.S</u>	Department Head: <u>Aaron Kostyu</u>
ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION:	
County Manager Action Taken By Board:	