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GLYNN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: August 20, 2026

SPONSOR: V. DiCristofalo

ITEM TYPE: Ordinance Amendment

AGENDA SECTION: GENERAL BUSINESS

AGENDA LANGUAGE: Consider adoption of an amendment to the Code of Ordinances, Glynn County, Georgia, to amend Chapter 2-7, Fire Prevention Code, to add a Section 2-7-13 to provide for cost recovery associated with hazardous material incidents, and for other purposes. (V. DiCristofalo)

BACKGROUND: Glynn County Fire Rescue occasionally responds to incidents involving hazardous materials such as chemical spills, leaks, or releases. These events can require specialized equipment, extra personnel, materials, and sometimes outside assistance. The costs of these responses can be significant and are not always anticipated in the regular budget.

The proposed ordinance creates a clear, fair process for recovering those necessary and reasonable costs from the person or company responsible for the incident, rather than placing the full burden on County taxpayers.

Glynn County Attorney's Office has approved the document to form.

ATTACHMENTS:

[20260820 BOC SARA Act Ordinance Memo.pdf](#)

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