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GLYNN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE:	December 4, 2025
SPONSOR:	L. Gurganus
ITEM TYPE:	Recognition
AGENDA SECTION:	COMMISSION PRESENTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
AGENDA LANGUAGE:	Recognize members of the Golden Isles of Realtors Leadership Academy for their contribution in providing and installing microchip scanner stations at designated Glynn County parks. (L. Gurganus)
BACKGROUND:	<p>Several local realtors and mortgage lenders involved in the Golden Isles of Realtors Leadership Academy contacted Glynn County with interest in providing and installing microchip scanner stations in several County parks including Glynn Haven Park, Kings Park, Frederica Park, and North Glynn Recreation Complex. The last 3 parks have dog parks that are very heavily utilized by the community.</p> <p>The idea for the project came about after members of the group including Becca Gould Strother, Lisa Murray, Jessica Rhodes, and Tanya Coleman saw similar stations being used successfully in other communities to help reunite pets with their owners. They wanted to bring the benefit to Glynn County by placing scanner stations in convenient locations across the county. The group raised funds to pay for the microchip scanner stations and installed the first one at Kings Park dog park on November 13, 2023. The group hopes to expand and add more stations at other locations in the future.</p> <p>Each station includes a universal microchip scanner that reads all major chip brands. A QR code with instructions explains what to do</p>

if a lost pet is found. The system uses a solar-powered charging system for sustainable, round-the-clock use.

ATTACHMENTS: