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GLYNN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: August 15, 2024

SPONSOR: S. Leif

ITEM TYPE: Agreement / Contract / MOU / Lease

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA - Finance Committee

AGENDA LANGUAGE: Approve the Brunswick Area Transportation Study (BATS) Planning Services (PL) contract with the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) for FY25 in the amount of \$140,570.29 with funding in the amount of \$112,456.23 from Federal funds and \$28,114.06 as the local match to be met by in-kind staff time. (S. Leif) (FC 3-0)

BACKGROUND: Glynn County participates with the City of Brunswick, Jekyll Island, and other local transportation interests in the Brunswick Area Transportation Study (BATS), which is the transportation planning coordination entity and metropolitan planning organization (MPO) serving the area. The program is funded by an annual contract with the Georgia Department of Transportation. The federal share of the Planning Services (PL) contract is 80% and the local match is 20%. The contract for FY25 is \$140,570.29 with funding in the amount of \$112,456.23 from Federal funds and \$28,114.06 as the local match to be met by in-kind staff time.

ALTERNATIVES

1. Approve the attached FY25 PL contract for \$140,570.29. The County will be reimbursed for 80% of the expenditures for transportation planning activities.
2. Defer action. The funding could potentially be lost due to lack of time for both parties to execute the contract.

3. Deny the proposed contract request. The FY25 contract will not be executed, and the County will lose \$112,456.23 in potential reimbursements for transportation planning activities.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Alternative 1

ATTACHMENTS:

[BATS-Glynn County Fiscal Year 2025 PL Contract \(002\)v2.pdf](#)