LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Bid for a 1/2 Ton Truck for the Fire Department

Work Session/Regular Session

DATE OF MEETING: September 24, 2019

BUDGET IMPACT: \$29,195.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- () Annual
- (X) Capital
- () N/A
- () SPLOST
- () TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Bid for a 1/2 Ton Truck for the Fire Department

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Lowndes County requested bids on a new 1/2 ton crew cab truck for the Fire Department. In an effort to improve efficiency and reduce overall fleet maintenance cost, the Fire Department intends to create a quick response vehicle that will be used to respond to medical calls that do not require the response of a much larger engine. This vehicle may also be used to transport additional personnel for manpower when additional engines or tankers are either not available or not needed. This is an approved budgeted item. The County received two bids that met specifications.

 2019 Dodge 1500
 Cass Burch, Valdosta, GA
 \$29,195.00

 2020 Ford F150
 Langdale Ford, Valdosta, GA
 \$31,886.00

OPTIONS: 1. Award the bid to Cass Burch

2. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>: Finance <u>DEPARTMENT HEAD</u>: Stephanie Black

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: