

AGREEMENT FOR HARVESTING PINE STRAW

THIS AGREEMENT FOR HARVESTING PINE STRAW (the "Agreement") is made as of the _____ day of _____, 2019, by and between the **Board of Commissioners of Lowndes County, Georgia** ("County"), and **Southern Pine Needle of NC, LLC** ("Harvester"),

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the County's real property located at or near its spray field area for its waste water processing center discharge contains numerous longleaf pine trees;

WHEREAS, the County's property with these longleaf pine trees contains excess undergrowth, low hanging tree branches, and excess buildup of debris, including ground laden pine straw, which inhibits the overall growth and health of these pine trees and increases the amount of fire fuels;

WHEREAS, the harvesting of ground laden pine straw and the related cleanup of undergrowth, low hanging tree branches, and debris to access the ground laden pine straw, significantly assists the health and growth of the County's pine trees through removal of those items;

WHEREAS, the County thus wishes to enter into this Agreement with Harvester for Harvester to harvest ground laden pine straw; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the County and Harvester wish to enter into this Agreement, whereby for and in consideration of the agreements, covenants, promises, warranties, undertakings and stipulations hereinafter contained, Ten Dollars in hand paid, and other valuable consideration