

10. Lowndes County shall not be responsible to provide or maintain radios and other equipment necessary or convenient for or utilized by the Agencies to receive transmissions from the 9-1-1 Center. The Agencies shall provide and maintain all radios and other equipment necessary or convenient for or utilized by the Agencies to receive transmissions from the 9-1-1 Center.

11. Lowndes County will retain all interest in and title to all equipment and furnishings presently located in the 9-1-1 Center and any future acquired equipment and furnishings used therein including equipment and furnishings acquired for purposes of providing the Services pursuant to this Agreement.

12. Echols County will have sole and exclusive responsibility for mapping, road naming, road signs, and addressing within Echols County necessary or convenient for Lowndes County to provide the Services pursuant to this Agreement.

13. Echols County will provide updated maps compatible with the Southern Georgia Regional Commission Geographic Information System for inclusion in Lowndes County's computer aided dispatch system.

14. Echols County shall impose the maximum allowed 9-1-1 charge, wireless enhanced 9-1-1 charge, and prepaid wireless 9-1-1 charge authorized by the Georgia Emergency Telephone Number 9-1-1 Service Act of 1977, OCGA 46-5-102 *et seq.* (the "9-1-1 Charges").

15. In consideration of Lowndes County's providing the Services, Echols County shall pay to Lowndes County the 9-1-1 Charges Echols County receives during the term of this Agreement within seven (7) days of receipt by Echols County.

16. Lowndes County will pay all costs of operating the 9-1-1 Center associated with providing the Services.

17. Lowndes County shall have full supervisory control over and responsibility for operating and maintaining the 9-1-1 Center.

18. All personnel in the 9-1-1 Center shall be employees of Lowndes County. Lowndes County shall have full authority over all personnel employed in the 9-1-1 Center. Lowndes County shall have the sole discretion to determine how many employees are needed to operate the 9-1-1 Center and to provide the Services.

19. Lowndes County shall not be responsible for (a) any 9-1-1 telephone call made from within Echols County not being routed to the 9-1-1 Center or (b) any delay in any 9-1-1 telephone call made from within Echols County being routed to the 9-1-1 Center.

20. Echols County shall maintain liability insurance in the minimum amount of \$1,000,000 with an endorsement adding Lowndes County and its officials, agents, and employees as additional insureds for any claims arising out of the performance of this Agreement. The endorsement shall specifically state that it affords primary coverage, and any insurance maintained by Lowndes County shall be considered excess to the liability insurance Echols County is required to maintain under this Agreement. Echols County shall provide Lowndes County with a certificate of insurance or other acceptable evidence that the insurance required by this Agreement is in force.

21. Echols County shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Lowndes County and its officials, agents, and employees from and against any and all suits, actions, legal proceedings, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, and reasonable attorney's fees resulting in any way from Lowndes County's performance of this Agreement to the extent not covered by the liability insurance maintained