## LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: American Rescue Plan Funding Application for Utilities Repairs and Expansion	
DATE OF MEETING: October 12, 2021	Work Session/Regular Session
BUDGET IMPACT: \$5,250,000.00 FUNDING SOURCE:	
( ) Annual	
( ) Capital	
( ) N/A	
(X) SPLOST	
( ) TSPLOST	

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: American Rescue Plan Funding Application

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The American Rescue Plan (ARP) provides funding for local municipalities to make repairs and improvements to their water and wastewater infrastructure. Lowndes County, in conjunction with Carter & Sloope Engineering, has identified several projects that meet the criteria for this funding opportunity. The total amount of these projects is \$10,500,000.00. The grant amount requested would be 5,250,000.00, with a County match of 5,250,000.00. Staff recommends approval for Carter & Sloope Engineering to submit the ARP funding application.

OPTIONS: (1) Approve

(2) Board's Pleasure

**RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve** 

<u>DEPARTMENT</u>: Utilities <u>DEPARTMENT HEAD</u>: Steve Stalvey

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: