

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Electric Vehicle Charging Station

DATE OF MEETING: April 12, 2022

Work Session/Regular Session

BUDGET IMPACT:

FUNDING SOURCE:

Annual

Capital

N/A

SPLOST

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COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Electric Vehicle Charging Station

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Communications from state and federal planning stakeholders indicate that electric vehicle charging infrastructure will become a part of certain development standards in the future. In addition to providing citizens a convenience amenity, downtown electric vehicle charging stations provide a tourism/economic impact opportunity due to Lowndes County's proximity to I-75 and other major travel routes.

Under the local leadership of Joe Brownlee, Georgia Power continues to be a strong partner. Great work with input from Georgia Power, the County Attorney and staff developed an agreement for two charging stations capable of providing three charging opportunities to be located in the parking lot of the Judicial-Administrative Complex.

OPTIONS: 1. Approve the Charging Station License Agreement between Lowndes County and the Georgia Power Company and authorize the Chairman to sign the same.
2. Board's pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

DEPARTMENT: County Manager

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Paige Dukes

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: