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	DOT#: 866808J

VALDOSTA RAILWAY, L.P. CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT

RR MILEPOST 18.80
NEAR BRIGGSTON, COUNTY OF LOWNDES, STATE OF GEORGIA

THIS CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") made this day of ______ 2022 ("Effective Date"), by and between the County of Lowndes, hereinafter called "County", and Valdosta Railway, L.P., hereinafter called "Railway":

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS in the interest of public safety and aiding motor vehicle traffic, Agency proposes signal upgrades and road widening to accommodate two lanes of traffic at the existing public crossing at Milepost 18.80, DOT# 866808J, hereafter called **"Project"**, located near the City of Briggston, State of Georgia by replacing the surface of such crossing with a precast concrete "tub" crossing; and

WHEREAS, the **County** is willing to undertake the expense for the Project as detailed in **Exhibit B**, except as provided in Section I.C. of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof as *Exhibit A* is a Project Print showing the type, size and location of the **Project**; and

WHEREAS, the Railway is willing to coordinate and cooperate with County to permit construction of the Project upon the terms and conditions herein stated and not otherwise; and

WHEREAS, said Project shall be constructed in accordance with full plans and full designs which shall be subject to the mutual approval of Railway and County.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, it is mutually agreed as follows:

I. Performance of Work

County and Railway will each perform various items of work as described below:

- A. WORK TO BE PERFORMED AND MATERIALS FURNISHED BY EITHER **COUNTY** OR ITS CONTRACTOR AT **COUNTY** EXPENSE.
 - Project Plans & Specifications and Construction
 Except as otherwise herein provided, furnish all plans, engineering, supervision, labor, material, supplies and equipment necessary for construction of the Project.

2. Roadway Reconstruction

Take all necessary, reasonable steps, including, without limitation, funding, for the rehabilitation of the Roadway surface in vicinity of track and crossing surface.