



Board of County Commissioners

Regular Meeting

August 20, 2026

5:30 p.m.

Columbia County School Board Administrative Complex



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FY 26/27 Annual Certified Budget - Mosquito Control

- FY26/27 Florida Department of Agriculture (FDACS)- Annual Certified "Tentative" Budget form #13617 for Mosquito Control.

- **Recommended Motion:** Approval FY26/27 Florida Department of Agriculture (FDACS)- Annual Certified "Tentative" Budget form #13617 for Mosquito Control.



Bid No. 2026-N Sign Materials

- On August 6, 2026 three (3) submittals were received in response to 2026-N; all bids were determined to be qualified meeting all the required specifications.

Section	Bid Award
Section 1	Vulcan Inc.
Section 2	Vulcan Inc.
Section 3	Lightle Enterprise of Ohio, LLC.
Section 4	Vulcan Inc.
Section 5	Vulcan Inc.
Section 6	Safety Products, Inc.

- **Recommended Motion:** Award 2026-N to the Vendors/Suppliers and to approve the Service Agreement.



Creation of Project Specialist Position

- New position created to assist with the administrative side of the County's capital improvement projects from initiation to completion.
- **Recommended Motion:** Approve Project Specialist Position Description.



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North Florida Mega Industrial Park Update

➤ Update on the Status of the North Florida Mega Industrial Park

➤ **Discussion Only**



Disaster Debris Removal and Disposal Contract Amendment 2

- To Amend the Disaster Debris Removal and Disposal Contract to include Federal Compliance Provisions as required by FEMA for Reimbursement
- RFP 2020-B was awarded to CERES Environmental Services in 2020
- FEMA is requiring the County to amend the contract to add additional regulation language not required in 2020
- Approval is required for FEMA to reimburse the County for debris handling
- **Recommended Motion:** Approve Amendment to Previous Contract with Ceres Environmental



CDBG Housing Assistance Plan & Procedures Revision – Temporary Relocation

- This proposed HAP revision increases temporary relocation assistance cap
- HUD requires the County to provide temporary relocation assistance on CDBG projects (Uniform Relocation Act).
- The current allowance cap is insufficient in some cases. The relocation assistance is calculated using the homeowner's documentation of actual cost and the current cap is insufficient if the relocation gets extended due to construction issues.
- **Recommended Motion:** Approve revisions to the CDBG Housing Assistance Plan & Procedures



Libraries Grant Agreement, Certification of Hours, Free Library Service and Access to Materials

- This is an annual agreement to help fund the library and will be included in the budget
- The State Aid to Libraries grant agreement also requires a certification of hours, free library service, and access to materials
- The State just released the estimated grant amounts for FY2026-27 and Columbia County is projected at \$445,836 – The same as in the current fiscal year.
- **Recommended Motion:** Approve State Aid to Libraries Grant Agreement and certifications



BA 26-47

Hurricane Helene Grant Administration

- Changes by FEMA in the rules regarding the Category A Force Account Labor and Equipment requires our grant administrator, Synergy, to rework the documentation needed for reimbursement

From:	To:	Amount:
001-8400-584.90-99 RESERVES/CONTINGENCY/RESERVE	001-2701-525.30-49 OPERATING EXPENDITURES/OTHER CHARGES	\$100,000.00

- **Recommended Motion:** Approve BA 26-47



BA 26-48

NFMIP WWTP

- Dewberry has recently invoiced the County for work during the construction of the NFMIP wastewater treatment plant
- Construction completed in the prior fiscal year and additional funding not included in current fiscal year

From:	To:	Amount:
405-8400-584.90-99 RESERVES/CONTINGENCY/RESERVE	405-3501-535.30-31 OPERATING EXPENDITURES/ PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$32,471.00

- **Recommended Motion:** Approve BA 26-48