

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Abandonment of Lane Road and a portion of Sheavette Road

Regular Meeting (X)

Work Session (X)

DATE OF MEETING: November 14, 2017

Recommendation ( )

Policy/Discussion ( )

BUDGET IMPACT \$ 0

Report ( )

FUNDING SOURCE

Other ( )

( ) Annual

( ) Capital

(X) N/A

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Abandonment of Lane Rd. and a portion of Sheavette Rd.

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: The County has received a request to abandon Lane Road, the length being approximately .32 miles long and shown on the attached drawing. Additionally, the County has received a request to abandon a portion of Sheavette Road, lying between the east right of way of Old Lake Park Road and the west right of way of Lane Road, the length being approximately .73 miles long and also depicted on the attached drawing. Georgia statute requires an initial determination that the "section of the county road system has for any reason ceased to be used by the public to the extent that no substantial public purpose is served by it or that its removal from the county road system is otherwise in the best public interest." If the Board makes either or both of these determinations with respect to Lane Road and the above-referenced portion of Sheavette Road, the statute provides for notice to adjoining property owners, notice to the public by newspaper publication, and a public hearing. After the public hearing, the Board "may declare that section of the county road system abandoned."

OPTIONS: 1. Make one or both of the required determinations.  
2. Board's Pleasure.

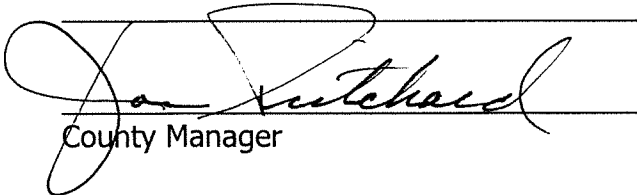
RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's Pleasure.

DEPARTMENT: Engineering

Department Head: Michael B. Fletcher  
County Engineer

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATION:

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County Manager

Action Taken By Board: \_\_\_\_\_