COUNTY DEPARTMENT AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Public Works / Road	Presenter(s):	Andy Adams
Meeting Date:	Thursday, August 12, 2010	Type of Request:	Consent

Wording for the Agenda:

Approval of staff's recommendation to authorize execution of a contract with the Georgia Department of Transportation for Local Assistance Road Program (LARP) funding for resurfacing projects.

Background/History/Details:

Counties and cities submit funding requests to GDOT annually for the resurfacing of streets through GDOT's local government resurfacing program. When GDOT approves projects and appropriates funding, a contract is required between the local government and GDOT. The contract in question will provide for the resurfacing of Lee's Lake Road (2.70 miles) and a 1.89 mile segment of Sandy Creek Road from SR 74 to Adams Road.

Typically this program is designed to pay the cost for materials needed to resurface the roads. The county must provide manpower, equipment, fuel, etc. need to complete the work. The total cost of this work will depend on the Asphalt Cement Price Index at the time the work is performed, but is expected to be approximately $384,399 with the State reimbursing up to the contract amount of $176,447.49 resulting in a net cost to the County of approximately $207,951.

The county budgets funds each year for the purpose of resurfacing roads.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Approval of contract number S012474-LAR with the Georgia Department of Transportation.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Funding for asphalt is budgeted annually in the Road Department's O&M line item 10040220-531171.

Has this issue come before the Commissioners in the past?	Yes	If so, when?	Annually
Do you need audio-visual for the presentation?	No	Back-up Material Submitted?	No

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Approved by Finance	Yes	Reviewed by Legal	Yes
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	Approved by County Clerk	Yes
Administrator's Approval	Yes		

Staff Notes: