LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Axon Renewal Contract for Animal Services

Work Session

DATE OF MEETING: June 24, 2025

BUDGET IMPACT: \$37,141.49 / Five-year contract FUNDING SOURCE:

- (X) Annual
- () Capital
- () N/A
- () SPLOST
- () TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Axon Renewal Contract

HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES:

Lowndes County Animal Services currently holds a five-year contract with Axon Enterprise, Inc. for the provision of body cameras, associated equipment, accessories, software licensing, and periodic upgrades for Animal Control Officers.

This contract is set to expire in September 2025. Axon has submitted a renewal proposal for an additional five-year term. The proposed renewal includes a 17.21% increase in cost compared to the original agreement, which Axon attributes to inflation and increased manufacturing costs.

The renewal pricing continues to include:

- Ongoing equipment upgrades
- Software licensing and support
- Necessary accessories for field operations
- Full service coverage for the five-year duration

2026- Renewal Contract Offer: \$37,141.49 (17.21 % increase from original contract from original 5-year contract)

Year 1- \$5,238.01

Year 2- \$7,975.87

Year 3- \$7,975.87

Year 4- \$7,975.87

Year 5-\$7,975.87