



SPECIAL CALLED MEETING

January 11, 2021

Immediately Following the Work Session

Albany-Dougherty Government Center
222 Pine Ave, Room 100, Albany, GA 31701

AGENDA

*To comply with the request set forth by the Chairman of Dougherty County, GA and the guidelines of the Center for Disease Control (CDC) regarding the Coronavirus (COVID19) pandemic and social distancing, **face coverings (masks) are required for all meeting participants.***

The public will also have access to the live meeting by accessing the Dougherty County Georgia Government Facebook page at facebook.com/Dougherty.ga.us or viewing the public government access channel (Channel 16).

1. Call to meeting to order by Chairman Christopher Cohilas.
2. Roll Call.
3. Additional Business.
 - a. Consider for action the recommendation to accept the list of roads to be resurfaced with the FY 2021 Local Maintenance & Improvements Grant (LMIG) funds (\$380,125.25), SPLOST VII 2021 Resurfacing Funds (\$425,000) and TSPLOST (\$2,149,249.93). The total cost estimate for 25.95 miles is \$2,954,375.18. **ACTION:**
 - b. Consider for action the Resolution providing for the submittal of applications for CDBG-MIT Planning funds and CDBG-MIT Infrastructure funding. **ACTION:**
4. Adjourn.

Individuals with disabilities who require certain accommodations in order to allow them to observe and/or participate in this meeting, or who have questions regarding the accessibility of the meeting or the facilities are required to contact the ADA Coordinator at 229-431-2121 promptly to allow the County to make reasonable accommodations for those persons.



To: LaCook
cc: J. Brown, S. Addison
M. Hendley

Russell R. McMurry, P.E.,
Commissioner
One Georgia Center
600 West Peachtree Street, NW
Atlanta, GA 30308
(404) 631-1000 Main Office

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July 22, 2020

Christopher Cohilas, Chairman
Dougherty County
P.O. Box 1827
Albany, Georgia 31703



RE: Fiscal Year 2021 Local Maintenance & Improvement Grant (LMIG) Program

Dear Chairman Cohilas:

We are pleased to announce that the Department will begin accepting applications for the Fiscal Year 2021 LMIG Program. Grants will be processed electronically through our **GRANTS (LMIG) Application System**. To begin your FY 2021 LMIG Application, please visit the Department's website at www.dot.ga.gov/PS/Local/LMIG. This site provides a link to the LMIG Application, the LMIG Application Tutorial (Manual), and to the General Guidelines and Rules and other pertinent reports. The project list will be entered directly into the LMIG Application System. Please contact your District State Aid Coordinator, Shannon Bradford, at 229-391-5438 for assistance with the online application process.

For an application to be processed, the following requirements must be met:

- A local government must be in audit compliance.
- A signed cover letter must be attached and include a completion status of the last three fiscal years' LMIG Grants.
- A signature page must include both the local government seal and the notary seal. The application website provides a blank signature page for you to download, complete and upload as an attachment.
- A local government must provide their District State Aid Coordinator with a Statement of Financial Expenditures form for Fiscal Year 2018 projects and all other prior years unless previously approved to combine funding for Fiscal Years' 2018, 2019, and 2020. The forms can be attached in the LMIG Application System if they have not already been provided to your District State Aid Coordinator.

All electronic LMIG applications must be received no later than February 1, 2021. Failure to submit applications by the deadline may result in a forfeiture of funds.

Your formula amount for the Fiscal Year 2021 Program is **\$380,125.25** and your local match is **30%**. Each local government is required to match this formula amount in accordance with Code Section 48-8-244(d).

If you should have any questions regarding the LMIG Program, please contact the Local Grants Office in Atlanta at (404) 631-1002. Thank you for your attention and cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Russell R. McMurry, P.E.
Commissioner

cc: Mr. Van Mason; Hon. Gerald Greene; Hon. CaMia Hopson; Hon. Winfred Dukes; Hon. Freddie Powell Sims; Mr. Johnny Floyd



Public Works

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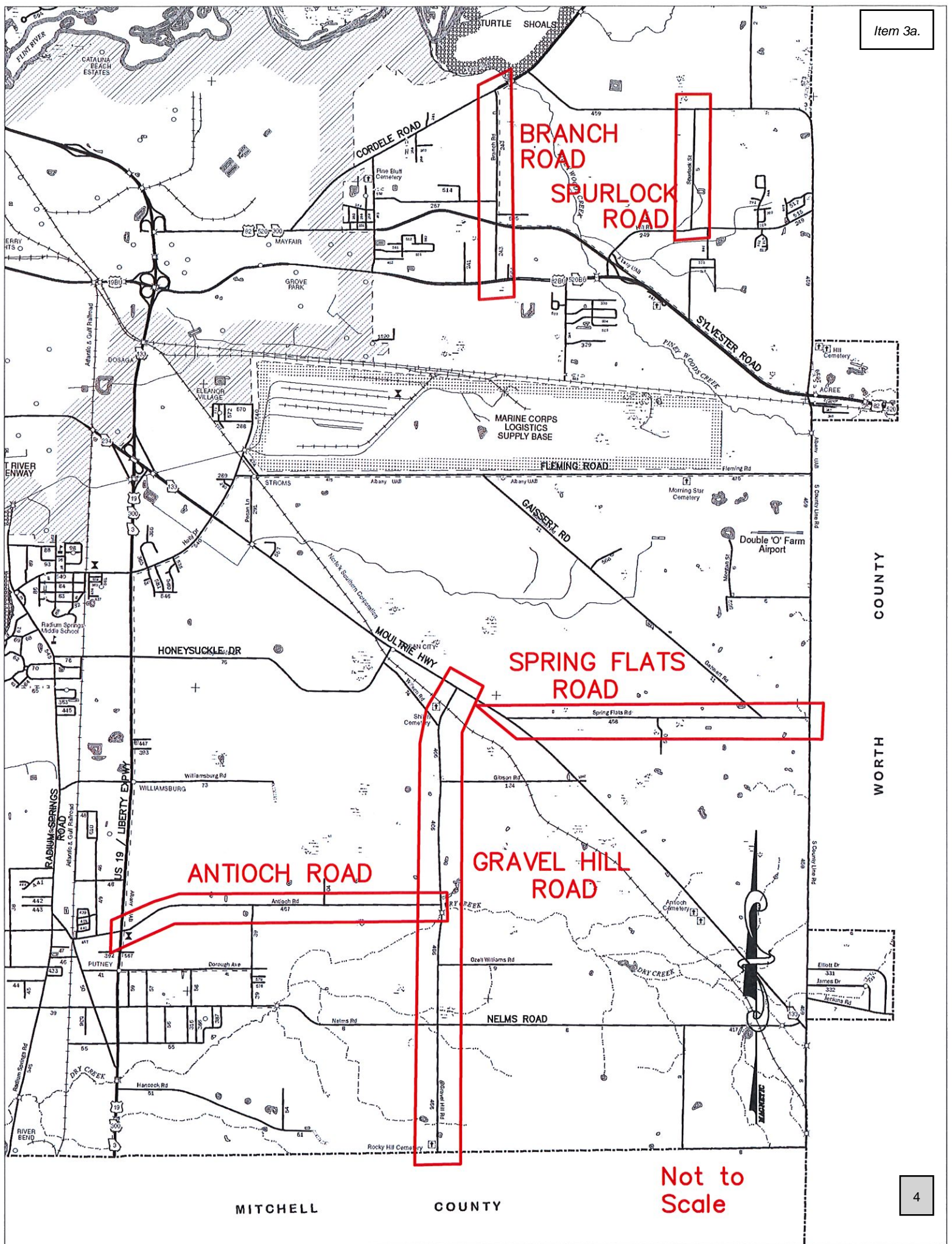
MEMORANDUM

TO: Michael McCoy, County Administrator
 FROM: Larry W. Cook, Public Works Director *LWC*
 DATE: January 7, 2021
 RE: List of FY 2021 Resurfacing Program Roads and LMIG Project

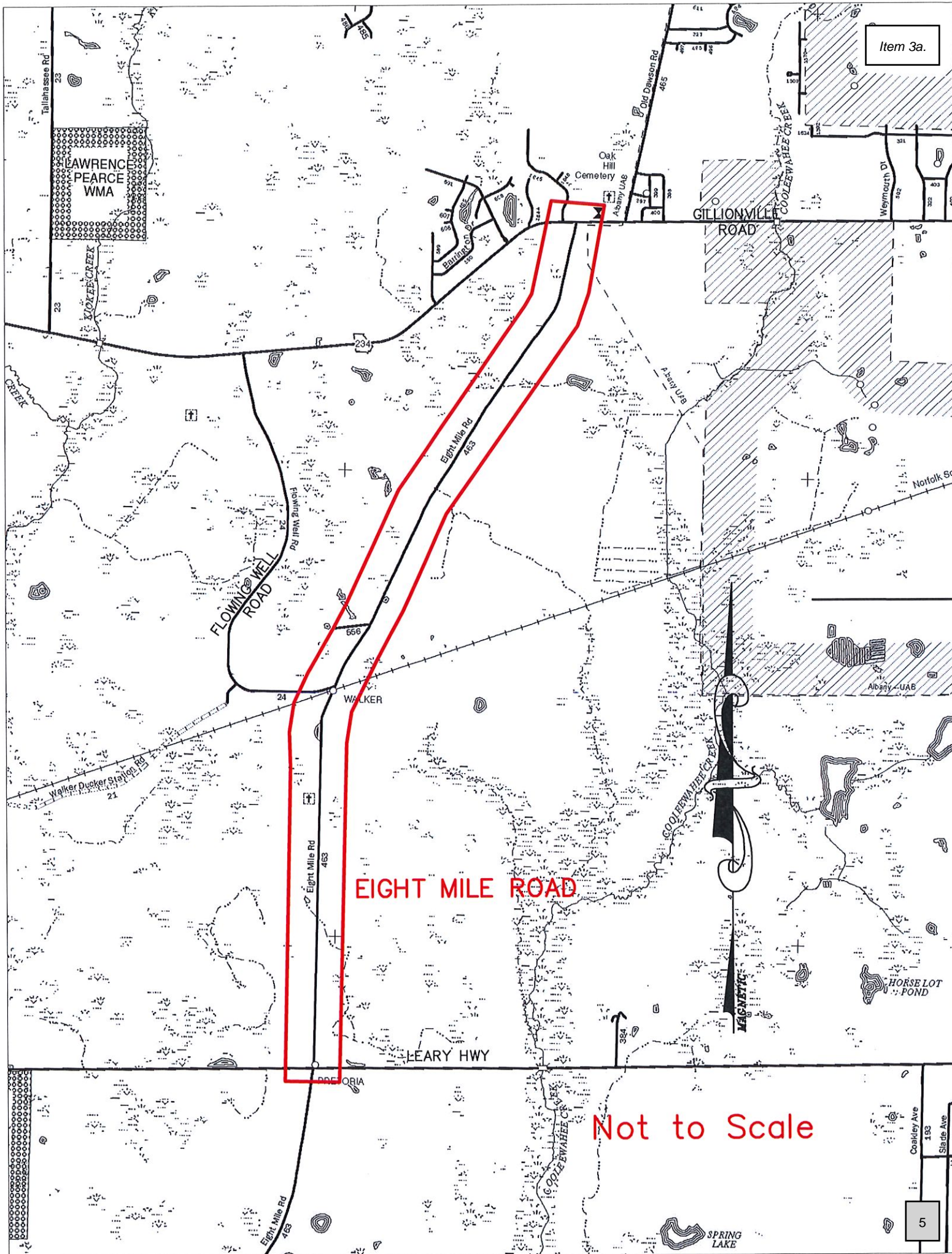
Listed below are the streets and roads recommended for review under the FY 2021 LMIG Program.

<u>2021 Road Resurfacing</u>					
District	Road	From	To	Length (MI)	Project Cost
6	Gravel Hill Rd	Moultrie Rd	Mitchell Co Line	4.81	\$ 548,587.12
6	Spring Flats Rd	Moultrie Rd	County Line Rd	3.13	\$ 356,143.92
1	Eight Mile Rd	Gillionville Rd	Leary Road	6.11	\$ 695,512.39
6	Branch Rd	Hwy 82	Cordele Rd	1.90	\$ 216,204.82
6	Antioch Rd	U.S. 19	Gravel Hill Rd	3.36	\$ 382,449.88
6	Spurlock St	Hill Rd	Harris Rd	1.25	\$ 141,750.32
2/5	Lily Pond Rd	Blue Springs Rd	Old Pretoria Rd	4.05	\$ 460,914.96
5	Lonesome Rd	Newton Rd	Vanderbilt Dr	1.34	\$ 152,811.77

Total Cost Estimate 25.95 MI \$ 2,954,375.18

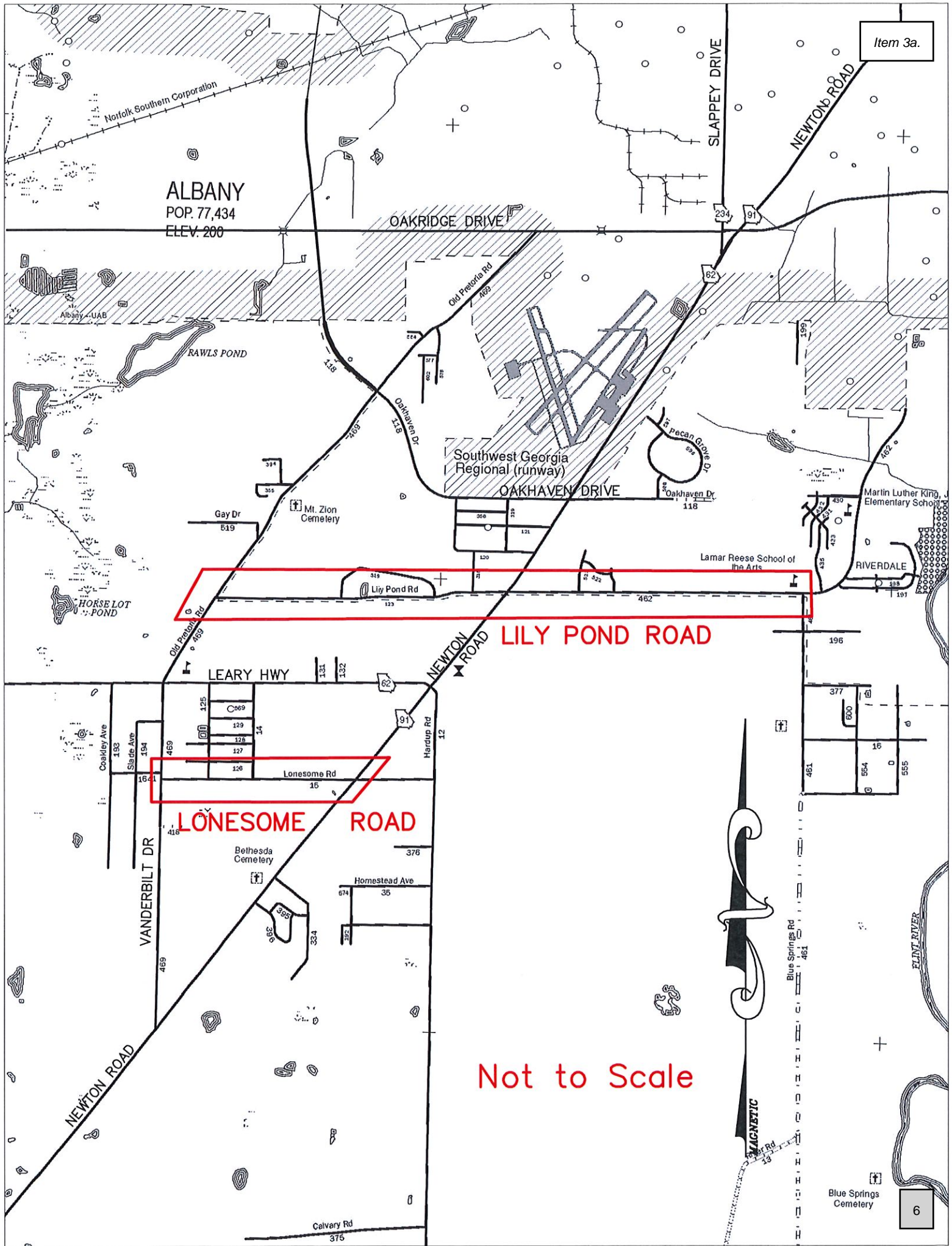


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EIGHT MILE ROAD

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Michael McCoy, *County Administrator*
W. Spencer Lee, IV, *County Attorney*

January 7, 2021

Mr. Shannon W. Bradford, District State Aid Coordinator
710 West 2nd Street
Tifton, GA 31793

RE: FY2021 LMIG Application

Dear Mr. Bradford,

This cover letter serves as notification that Dougherty County wishes to submit a 2021 LMIG Grant Application. If approved, the grant funds will be utilized for resurfacing and striping of approximately 25.95 miles of existing, County-owned roads.

Attached is a project report identifying roads that are to be included in the project with corresponding lengths and costs. Also included are the 2021 LMIG Application, Dougherty County LMIG Status Report, and location maps. The proposed project is anticipated to be let in September 2021.

Dougherty County is grateful for the opportunity to submit this application. Should you have any questions, concerns, or need any additional information, please feel free to contact our Public Works Department at 229-430-6120.

Sincerely,

Christopher S. Cohilas
Commission Chairman

Attachments: 2021 LMIG Application, Project List, LMIG Status Report, Location Maps

**GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LOCAL MAINTENANCE &
IMPROVEMENT GRANT (LMIG) APPLICATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021**
TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY. ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AFFIDAVIT AND CERTIFICATION

I, Christopher S. Cohilas (Name), the Commission Chairman (Title), on behalf of Dougherty County (Local Government), who being duly sworn do swear that the information given herein is true to the best of his/her knowledge and belief. Local Government swears and certifies that it has read and understands the LMIG General Guidelines and Rules and that it has complied with and will comply with the same.

Local government further swears and certifies that it has read and understands the regulations for the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 (O.C.G.A. § 45-12-200, et seq.), Service Delivery Strategy Act (O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et seq.), and the Local Government Budgets and Audits Act (O.C.G.A. 36-81-7 et seq.) and will comply in full with said provisions. Local government further swears and certifies that the roads or sections of roads described and shown on the local government's Project List are dedicated public roads and are part of the Public Road System in said county/city. Local government further swears and certifies that it complied with federal and/or state environmental protection laws and at the completion of the project(s), it met the match requirements as stated in the Transportation Investment ACT (TIA).

Further, the local government shall be responsible for any claim, damage, loss or expense that is attributable to negligent acts, errors, or omissions related to the designs, drawings, specifications, work and other services furnished by or on behalf of the local government pursuant to this Application ("Loss"). To the extent provided by law, the local government further agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the DEPARTMENT and the State of Georgia from all suits or claims that may arise from said Loss.

If the local government fails to comply with these General Guidelines and Rules, or fails to comply with its Application and Certification, or fails to cooperate with the auditor(s) or fails to maintain and retain sufficient records, the DEPARTMENT may, at its discretion, prohibit the local government from participating in the LMIG program in the future and may pursue any available legal remedy to obtain reimbursement of the LMIG funds. Furthermore, if in the estimation of the DEPARTMENT, a roadway or bridge shows evidence of failure(s) due to poor workmanship, the use of substandard materials, or the failure to follow the required design and construction guidelines as set forth herein, the Department may pursue any available legal remedy to obtain reimbursement of the allocated LMIG funds or prohibit local government from participating in the LMIG program until such time as corrections are made to address the deficiencies or reimbursement is made. All projects identified on the Project list shall be constructed in accordance with the Department's Standard Specifications of Transportation Systems (Current Edition), Supplemental Specifications (Current Edition), and Special Provisions.

Local Government:

(Signature)

Christopher S. Cohilas (Print)
Mayor / Commission Chairperson

(Date)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SEAL:

51201

E-Verify Number

Sworn to and subscribed before me,

This ____ day of _____, 20__.

In the presence of:

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

NOTARY PUBLIC SEAL: