

INTERGOVERNMENTAL SERVICE AGREEMENT

This Intergovernmental Service Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between the Baldwin County Commission (hereinafter "County") and the City of Loxley, Alabama (hereinafter "City"), as follows:

RECITALS

Whereas, County is the duly formed governing body in and for Baldwin County, Alabama, and City is an incorporated municipality of the State of Alabama; and

Whereas, County and City are authorized under Alabama law to control, manage, supervise, regulate, repair, maintain and improve (hereinafter collectively "control") certain public roads inside their respective jurisdictions; and

Whereas, County and City wish to partner together to perform a traffic study on County Road 68 (Buc-ee's Boulevard) at Buc-ee's and surrounding area (hereinafter "Project"); and

Whereas, County and City acknowledge and agree that the Project is situated inside current County maintained right-of-way; and

Whereas, the Project has an estimated cost of \$25,000; and

Whereas, County and City agree to provide funding for the Project and agree to equally split all costs for the Project; and

Whereas, County and City agree that any overruns on the Project shall be approved by both parties and that cost shall be split equally.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants contained herein, the sufficiency of which being hereby acknowledged, County and City do hereby agree as follows:

1. **Recitals:** The recitals set out above are incorporated into this Agreement, as though the same were set out in full in this paragraph.
2. **Purpose:** The parties acknowledge and agree that the purpose of this Agreement is to provide for a traffic study on County Road 68 (Buc-ee's Boulevard) at Buc-ee's and surrounding area.
3. **County Remains Owner of Right-of-Way:** The County, at all times, including during the effective term of this Agreement and beyond, shall retain exclusive responsibility for and control over the road portions within the Project Limits. The City shall obtain no rights, responsibilities or control over the road portions as a result of this Agreement or the duties and/or obligations contained

anywhere herein either during or following the effective term of this Agreement. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to require or result in the City assuming responsibility for any public streets inside the Project Limits.

4. **No Joint Ownership of Property:** The parties acknowledge and agree that they will not jointly acquire, own or otherwise come into joint or common possession of any property as a result of or in relation to this Agreement.
5. **Inapplicability to Roads Not Expressly Identified:** The parties acknowledge and agree that this Agreement does not address or affect, and that the parties do not intend by this Agreement to address or affect, the responsibility for or control of any road or road portion not expressly identified and depicted herein.
6. **Financing and Budgeting:** Each party shall be responsible for financing the obligations undertaken by that party hereunder, and shall not be responsible for financing, or in any other manner contributing to, the costs or expenses of the obligations undertaken by the other party unless expressly identified herein.
7. **Approval and Effective Date:** This Agreement shall become effective upon the date of full execution by both parties ("Effective Date").
8. **Term:** The term of this Agreement shall be for twelve (12) months from its Effective Date. This document may be amended only upon written approval by the Parties hereto, and any such amendment shall be approved by the same method by which this original Agreement has been approved by the Parties.
9. **Services to be Performed by City:**
 - A. Assist the County by providing funding to cover 50% of the Project Cost.
 - B. Promptly remit payment within 30 days of the receipt of invoice.
10. **Services to be Performed by County (the Project):**
 - A. Comply with all necessary local, State and Federal rules, regulations and laws applicable to the Project and this Agreement.
 - B. Enter into a contract to carry out the Project
 - C. Remit invoice to the City for 50% of the project cost within 30 days of Project completion; and
11. **Termination and Notice:** Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party may terminate this Agreement, with or without cause, upon written notice to the other party. A party's said notice shall be deemed effective, and the Agreement deemed terminated thirty (30) days after the date such notice is mailed by certified mail to the other party. In the event of termination by either party, the County and City shall be responsible for all costs incurred by the County through the date of receipt of the requisite termination notice. All notices provided for herein shall be sent as follows:

To City: City of Loxley
P.O. Box 9
Loxley, Alabama 36551

To County: Baldwin County Commission
312 Courthouse Square, Suite 12
Bay Minette, Alabama 36507

12. **Indemnity:** City accepts the improvement, work, property, product and services of the County as a result of the Project in its "WHERE IS", "AS IS", condition and acknowledges that the County has made no representation or warranty to City as to, and has no obligation for, the condition of the improvements, work, property, product and services of the County. City assumes the risk of any latent or patent defects or problems that are or may be contained in the improvements, work, property, product and services of the County or City. City agrees that the County shall not be liable for any injury, loss or damage on account of any defects or problems. City for itself and City Representatives waive and release the County from any claims for injury to persons or damage to the personal property by reason of the condition of the improvements, work, property, product and services of the County or otherwise.

Furthermore, to the fullest extent allowed by law, City shall defend, indemnify and hold County harmless from and against any and all demands, actions and claims of any description whatsoever, for property damage, personal injury (including death), breach of contract, actions in trespass and any and all other claimed losses, injuries or damages of any kind, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees and costs, arising out of, relating to, or resulting from, any and all acts or omissions in relation to the obligations hereunder, including without limitation, the execution and delivery of the Agreement, the County's obligations in Section 10 of this Agreement, and the conception, funding, financing, planning and design of this Agreement and the Project.

All guarantees, duties, representations, assurances, without limitation, contained within this Agreement shall survive and exist beyond the date of termination or expiration of this Agreement, and time, or the lapse thereof, shall not be used for or argued as a defense for the City against the same.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed to limit or modify the laws of Alabama as the same may apply to the County or City or in any way diminish any immunity, absolute or qualified, to which the County and City are otherwise entitled by law.

13. **Entire Agreement:** This Agreement represents the entire and integrated agreement between County and City and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This Agreement may be amended only by written instrument signed by the parties.

14. **Both Parties Contributed Equally to the Agreement.** This Agreement shall not be construed more strictly against one party than against the other merely by virtue of the fact that it may have been prepared by counsel for one of the parties, it being recognized that both County and City have contributed substantially and materially to the preparation of this Agreement.
15. **Failure to Strictly Enforce Performance:** The failure of either party to insist upon the strict performance of any of the terms, covenants, agreements and conditions of this Agreement shall not constitute a default or be construed as a waiver or relinquishment of the right of a party to thereafter enforce any such term, covenant, agreement or condition, but the same shall continue in full force and effect.
16. **Assignment:** Neither this Agreement nor any interest herein shall be assigned, transferred or otherwise encumbered without a prior written agreement providing for such assignment, transfer or other encumbrance signed by the parties.
17. **Choice of Law:** The parties acknowledge and agree that this Agreement shall in all respects be governed by the laws of the state of Alabama, including, without limitation, all issues relating to capacity, formation, interpretation and available remedies, without regard to Alabama conflict of law principles.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date of full execution below.

COUNTY:
BALDWIN COUNTY



Charles F. Gruber / 08/01/2023
CHARLES F. GRUBER / DATE
CHAIRMAN

Roger H. Rendleman / 08/01/2023
ROGER H. RENDLEMAN / DATE
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

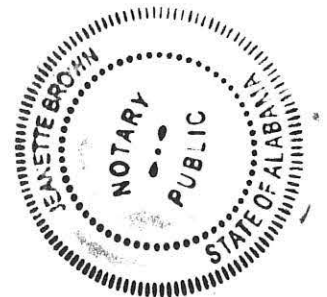
STATE OF ALABAMA)
COUNTY OF BALDWIN)

I, Jeanette Brown, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, hereby certify that CHARLES F. GRUBER, and ROGER H. RENDLEMAN, whose names as Chairman and County Administrator of the Baldwin County Commission, respectively, are signed to the foregoing instrument and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this date that, being informed of the contents of said instrument, they executed the same voluntarily with full authority to do so for and as an act of the Baldwin County Commission.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 15th day of August, 2023.

Jeanette Brown
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: _____ My Commission Expires:
August 31, 2026



CITY:
THE CITY OF LOXLEY

M. Teal
MAYOR RICHARD TEAL

7-31-23
/Date

ATTEST:

Melissa Lawrence / 7-31-23
MELISSA LAWRENCE /Date
CITY CLERK

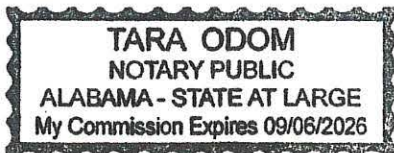
STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF BALDWIN

I, Tara Odom, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, hereby certify that RICHARD TEAL, and MELISSA LAWRENCE, whose names as Mayor and City Clerk of CITY OF LOXLEY respectively, are signed to the foregoing instrument and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of this instrument, they executed the same voluntarily with full authority to do so for and as an act of the City of Loxley, Alabama.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 31st day of July, 2023.

Tara Odom
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 09/06/2026





TRAFFIC STUDY ON COUNTY RD 68 (BUC-EES BLVD) @ BUC-EE'S AND SURROUNDING AREA

