## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

between

The Richmond County Sheriff's Office

And

Richmond County State Court Accountability Court and Treatment Courts

The Richmond County Sheriff's Office is providing clarity on the compliance requirements related to the Drug Abuse Treatment and Education (DATE) fund. Under the terms of the previous Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) from 2016, see attached as Exhibit "A", which was signed by Judge David Watkins and Sheriff Richard Roundtree, a 50/50 split of the DATE funding was agreed upon, with \$70,000 allocated to the Richmond County State Court Accountability Court, effective from January 1, 2016.

This Memorandum of Understanding represents a continuation and transfer of the 2016 MOU from Judge David Watkins to Judge Ashanti L. Pounds and from Sheriff Richard Roundtree to Sheriff Eugene Brantley. The parties will maintain the 50/50 split agreement, with the Richmond County State Court Accountability Court and Treatment Courts' funding being capped at \$70,000.

Ashanti Lilley Pounds

Date

Judge

Richmond County State Court

**Eugene Brantley** 

Sheriff

Richmond County Sheriff's Office



## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)**

between

The Richmond County Sheriff's Office

and

Accountability Courts

The Richmond County Sheriff's Office is clarifying compliance requirements related to the Drug Abuse Treatment and Education fund. The DATE fund has approximately \$140,000.00 and the Richmond County Sheriff's Office will do a 50/50 split with the Richmond County Accountability Court; therefore, \$70,000.00 of the funding will go to the Accountability Court, beginning January 1, 2016. The Sheriff's Office is requesting to continue the 50/50 split agreement at the cap of \$70,000.00. The funds for the Accountability Court would be capped at \$70,000.00 unless funding went below 2015 levels and the Accountability Court funds would be reduced accordingly.

Judge

David Watkins

Date 10. 28.15

Sheriff

Richard Roundtree

Date /029/5