

## CITY COUNCIL ITEM SUMMARY

MEETING DATE:	December 7, 2023
SUBCATEGORY:	Contracts/Agreements
DEPARTMENT NAME:	Public Works
AGENDA ITEM TITLE:	GA Power Utility Relocation Cost Agreement
DEPARTMENT SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:	GA Power will need to perform utility relocations to accommodate the Grassdale Road Sidewalk Project (P.I. 0016638). Georgia Power has determined that there are reimbursable locations where Georgia Power has obtained easements in 1942 establishing their "prior rights" for them to request a utility cost agreement to be signed.  Funding certifications include a requirement that utility certification be done for this project. Staff recommends the agreement be signed so that the utility certification for Grassdale Road Sidewalk Project (P.I. 0016638) can be completed, which will keep this project moving forward through the process. This cost of the agreement is to not to exceed \$190,105.00. Recently the Georgia Department of Transportation programmed the entire \$190,105.00 of this unbudgeted cost agreement into future project funding.  It appears that GDOT will fund 80% of this agreement and a 20% match will be split between Bartow County and the City of Cartersville. Therefore, the City of Cartersville may be responsible for up to \$19,010.00.  Bartow County has already signed their portion of the agreement. Public Works recommends approval by the City for our portion of the agreement.
LEGAL:	N/A