# **Staff Report**

Subject: Intergovernmental Agreement Between Effingham County & Bryan County

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**Department:** County Manager **Meeting Date:** August 15, 2023

Item Description: Consideration to approve an IGA between Effingham County &

**Bryan County** 

## **Summary Recommendation:**

Effingham County & Bryan County have reached an agreement for permanent and temporary construction easement rights for the purpose of the construction and ongoing maintenance of the Bryan County I-16 Regional Sewer Improvements Project/ I-16 Regional Force Main Improvements and related infrastructure.

# **Executive Summary/Background:**

- Bryan County has obtained permanent easements and temporary construction easements for the purpose of construction and ongoing maintenance of the Bryan County I-16 Regional Sewer Improvements Project/ I-16 Regional Force Main Improvements and related infrastructure (hereinafter referred to as the "Project").
- Bryan County shall own the Project.
- Bryan County shall have authority for approving, inspecting and permitting the Project.
- Effingham County shall provide police / law enforcement, fire protection and emergency medical services to the Properties in accordance with its normal standards and practice.
- Bryan County shall, at its sole cost and expense, design and maintain stormwater drainage measures for the easement areas.

## **Alternatives for Commission to Consider:**

- 1. Approve the Intergovernmental Agreement between Effingham County & Bryan County.
- 2. Do not approve the proposed agreement.
- 3. Provide Staff with direction.

#### **Recommended Alternative:**

Staff recommends alternative number 1 – Approve the Intergovernmental Agreement between Effingham County & Bryan County.

#### Other Alternatives:

None

**Department Review:** (list departments)

County Attorney, County Manager

#### **Funding Source:**

Bryan County

### **Attachments:**

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