

## Staff Report

**Subject:** Coastal Regional Commission Area Agency on Aging Meal Contract #2026-08  
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**Department:** Finance  
**Meeting Date:** 9/2/25  
**Item Description:** Consideration to approve Coastal Regional Commission (CRC) Area Agency on Aging (AAA) Contract #2026-08 for FY 2026.

### Summary Recommendation:

Staff recommends approval of the CRC AAA Contract #2026-08 for the provision of services and meals to our elderly population.

### Executive Summary/Background:

Each year the County renews a contract with Coastal Regional Commission of Georgia Area Agency on Aging to be the provider of Aging Services meals to our Senior Citizens in Effingham County. This funding source plays a significant role in the County's ability to serve warm meals to the elderly population of Effingham County.

1. The contract provides federal and state funding to serve congregate and home-delivered meals.
2. The contract shows:
  - A total funding budget, from all sources, of \$260,896.
  - Federal funding of \$135,859.
  - State funding of \$86,394.
  - Required match of \$15,983.
  - Program income and other local funding of \$22,660.

### Alternatives for Commission to Consider:

1. Approve the CRC AAA Contract #2026-08.
2. Do not approve CRC AAA Contract #2026-08.
3. Provide Staff with Direction

### Recommended Alternative:

Staff recommends Alternative number 1 – Approve the CRC AAA Contract #2026-08.

**Other Alternatives:** N/A

**Department Review:** Finance

**Funding Source:**

Funding is as noted from Federal and State funding. Required match is included in the FY 2026 Budget.

**Attachments:**

CRC Contract #2026-08 documents