

Staff Report

Subject: Approval of the Intergovernmental Agreement by and between the Georgia Department of Corrections and Effingham County Prison for GED Testing for Offenders

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Item Description: Consideration to Approve the Intergovernmental Agreement by and between the Georgia Department of Corrections and Effingham County Prison for GED Testing for Offenders

Summary Recommendation: Staff recommends approval.

Executive Summary/Background:

- The purpose of this Agreement is for the Department to provide GED® testing services for offenders at Effingham County Prison
- Effingham County is responsible for paying for test booklets for content area tests at a rate of \$46.00 per test content area per tester no later than thirty (30) days after invoice receipt. For computer tests, the cost per test is \$46.00 per content area, and if the individual does not pass, to retake the test will be \$26 per content area.
- The agreement has 14-day termination clause.
- The agreement will be effective July 1, 2023 and will run through June 30, 2024.

Alternatives for Commission to Consider

1. Board approval to renew the Intergovernmental Agreement by and between the Georgia Department of Corrections and Effingham County Prison for GED Testing for Offenders.
2. Do not renew

Recommended Alternative: 1

Other Alternatives: 2

Department Review: Purchasing & Prison

Funding Source: Operating Budget for Prison

Attachments: Intergovernmental Agreement by and between the Georgia Department of Corrections and Effingham County Prison for GED Testing for Offenders