

MEETING DATE
2/21/23

CITY OF LAKE CITY

Report to Council

COUNCIL AGENDA	
SECTION	
ITEM NO.	

SUBJECT: Wetland Grant Agreement

DEPT / OFFICE: Utilities – Wastewater

Originator: Cody Pridgeon, Wastewater Director		
City Manager Paul Dyal	Department Director Cody Pridgeon	Date 2/6/23
Recommended Action: Accept the terms of the Grant Agreement		
Summary Explanation & Background: <p>Upon renewing the Permits for Kicklighter and Saint Margarets WWTPs FDEP has imposed an Administrative Order stating all Effluent disposal shall meet a total Nitrogen limit of 3 mg/l. The most cost-effective means of achieving this level of treatment is through Treatment Wetlands. In 2016 the City converted one of the 3 Sprayfield to a treatment Wetland through grant funds to achieve better nutrient removal. The Wetlands have proven to be a huge success in both nutrient removal and ease of operation but does not have the capacity to treat all of the City's Effluent. We have applied for and been awarded a grant in the amount of \$6,100,000 to convert one more of the Sprayfields to a treatment Wetland. The proposed project would be the Steedly Field which is located at the North West corner of Sisters Welcome and 242.</p>		
Alternatives: Not Accept		
Source of Funds: FDEP Grant		
Financial Impact: \$6,100,000		
Exhibits Attached: 1) Draft Grant Agreement		