



Levy County Board of County Commissioners Agenda Item Summary Form

1. **Name and Title:** Leatha Keene, Director
2. **Department:** Emergency Management
3. **Meeting Date:** Tuesday, November 4, 2025

4. **Requested Action:**

Approve Modification #1 to the Subgrant Agreement between Levy County and the Florida Division of Emergency Management.

5. **Cost & Funding Source:**

As documented by Chapter 2024-36, Laws of Florida, Section 6, Specific Appropriation 2725, the Legislature and the Governor appropriated \$10,972,471.00.00 of Fixed Capital Outlay funds for the design and construction of "Levy County EOC/911 Center Remodel.

6. **Justification of Request:**

The Modification to the Subgrant Agreement, as requested by Levy County, is as follows:

Levy County will utilize this funding to construct a new state-of-the-art Emergency Operation Center (EOC) and remodel the current EOC facility to meet the needs of the growing 911 Operations Center for the Levy County Sheriff's Office. The new state-of-the-art facility will directly benefit the well-being and safety of Levy County's emergency management team, dispatchers, citizens, and businesses, while also providing an adequate space for EOC activations, state mandated training, and exercise requirements. The construction of the new EOC will be at a separate location, not tied to the existing building for the current EOC. As a dual investment, building the new EOC and remodeling the current EOC for 911 dispatch will enhance day-to-day operations, long-term planning, and readiness for major disaster activations. Levy County is forward thinking, 20-30 years of growth, a new EOC will provide better services to all citizens and municipalities within Levy County.