

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
**SMALL COUNTY OUTREACH PROGRAM AGREEMENT**  
(Project Administered by County)

CM 2185

Financial Project No.: **430691-2-58-01**  
Catalog of State Financial Assistance No.: 55009

This Small County Outreach Program Agreement (this "Agreement") is made this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2015 between the STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, hereinafter referred to as the "DEPARTMENT", and Nassau County, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the "COUNTY".

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT has the authority, under Section 334.044(7), Florida Statutes, to enter into this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Small County Outreach Program has been created within the DEPARTMENT pursuant to Section 339.2818, Florida Statutes, to provide funds to counties to assist small counties in resurfacing or reconstructing county roads or in constructing capacity or safety improvements to county roads; and

WHEREAS, the COUNTY has certified to the DEPARTMENT that it has met the eligibility requirements of said Section 339.2818, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT participation pursuant to Section 339.2813(4), Florida Statutes, is a 75 percent of project costs requiring local contribution of 25 percent.

WHEREAS, a waiver or reduction of the local contribution may be authorized by the DEPARTMENT, subject to available funding, as authorized in Section 288.0656(7)(a), Florida Statutes, and the waiver of financial match requirements in Section 288.06561, Florida Statutes, where the DEPARTMENT may increase the amount of state funds for projects in eligible Rural Areas of Opportunity provided all other eligibility requirements of the Small County Outreach Program are met.

WHEREAS, the DEPARTMENT is willing to provide the COUNTY with financial assistance, under **Financial Project No. 430691-2-58-01**, for design, construction and construction engineering and inspection of Crawford Road from Old Alabama Trail to SR 200 / US 301, hereinafter referred to as the "PROJECT," in accordance with Section 339.2818, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the COUNTY by Resolution No. 2014-149 dated the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2014, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, has authorized the Chairman of its Board of Commissioners or County Manager to enter into this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, and representations contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. **SERVICES AND PERFORMANCE**

A. The COUNTY shall furnish the services with which to construct the PROJECT. Said PROJECT shall consist of the actions and services described in **Exhibit A**, attached hereto and made a part hereof. The scope of work shall clearly establish the tasks to be performed pursuant to Section 215.971, Florida Statutes.

B. The COUNTY shall be responsible for the construction of the PROJECT in accordance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations, including COUNTY'S standards and specifications. The COUNTY shall be responsible for obtaining clearances/permits required for the construction of the PROJECT from the appropriate permitting authorities. Upon completion of the PROJECT, the COUNTY shall certify to the DEPARTMENT that the PROJECT has been completed in accordance with the COUNTY'S standards and specifications.

C. The DEPARTMENT will be entitled at all times to be advised, upon request, as to the status of work being done by the COUNTY and of the details thereof. Coordination shall be maintained by the COUNTY with representatives of the DEPARTMENT.

D. The COUNTY must certify that the consultant has been selected in accordance with the Consultants' Competitive Negotiation Act (Section 287.055, Florida Statutes). Contractor must be prequalified by the DEPARTMENT pursuant to Section 337.14, Florida Statutes, and Rule Chapter 14-22, Florida Administrative Code for projects meeting the thresholds therein.

E. The COUNTY shall utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the COUNTY during the term of the contract; and shall expressly require any subcontractors performing work or providing services pursuant to the state contract to likewise utilize the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to verify the employment eligibility of all new employees hired by the subcontractor during the contract term.

F. The COUNTY shall not sublet, assign or transfer any work under this Agreement without prior written consent of the DEPARTMENT.

G. The COUNTY shall require quantifiable units of deliverables pursuant to Section 215.971, Florida Statutes. Each deliverable must be directly related to the scope of work and must specify the required minimum level of service to be performed and the criteria for evaluating successful completion of each deliverable. Said deliverables are described in Exhibit C, attached hereto and made a part hereof.

H. Notices under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be considered effective upon delivery by United States mail, facsimile, or overnight courier to the individuals listed below as follows:

**TO DEPARTMENT:**

Kim Evans, Local Program Coordinator  
Program Management – MS 2014  
1109 South Marion Avenue  
Lake City, Florida 32025

**TO COUNTY:**

Scott Herring, Public Works Director  
Nassau County Public Works  
96161 Nassau Place  
Yulee, Florida 32097

**2. TERM**

A. The COUNTY shall commence the PROJECT activities subsequent to the execution of this Agreement and shall be performed in accordance with the following schedule:

- i) Design to be completed on or before April 24, 2015.
- ii) Construction contract to be let on or before December 31, 2015.
- iii) Construction to be completed on or before December 31, 2016.

B. The COUNTY agrees to complete the PROJECT on or before **December 31, 2016**. If the COUNTY does not complete the PROJECT within this time period, this Agreement will expire on the last day of the scheduled completion as provided in this paragraph unless an extension of the time period is requested by the COUNTY and granted in writing by the DEPARTMENT prior to the expiration of this Agreement. Expiration of this Agreement will be considered termination of the PROJECT. The cost of any work performed after the expiration date of this Agreement will not be reimbursed by the DEPARTMENT.

C. This Agreement shall not be renewed. Any extension which shall be for no more than six (6) months shall be in writing and executed by both parties, and shall be subject to the same terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement.

**COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT**

A. The total estimated cost of the PROJECT is \$4,510,436.00. The DEPARTMENT will fund **\$3,382,827.00**. The COUNTY acknowledges and agrees that PROJECT funding may be increased or reduced from the total estimated cost upon determination of the construction contract award amount, funding availability and execution of a supplemental agreement. The COUNTY agrees to bear all expenses in excess of the DEPARTMENT'S participation.

B. The COUNTY shall submit one invoice (3 copies) plus supporting documentation required by the DEPARTMENT to the Project Manager, at the address stated in Paragraph 1.G for approval and processing:

- monthly
- quarterly, or
- once the PROJECT has been accepted by the COUNTY and approved by the DEPARTMENT.

C. The COUNTY'S matching participation is in the form of:

- Funds equal to 25% of the project costs plus the remaining portion of the accepted bid amount exceeding the DEPARTMENT'S participation.
- In-kind services equivalent to 25% of the project costs plus the remaining portion of the accepted bid amount exceeding the DEPARTMENT'S participation as detailed in Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_.
- Combination of funds and in-kind services equivalent to 25% of the project costs plus the remaining portion of the accepted bid amount exceeding the DEPARTMENT'S participation as detailed in Exhibit \_\_\_\_\_.
- Waiver or reduction of County's matching participation, further described in **Exhibit B**.

D. Payment shall be made only after receipt and approval of goods and services unless advance payments are authorized by the DEPARTMENT'S Comptroller under Section 334.044 (29), Florida Statutes. Any provisions for an advance payment are provided in Exhibit N/A, attached hereto and made a part of this Agreement.

E. In the event the COUNTY proceeds with the design, construction and construction engineering inspection services ("CEI") of the PROJECT with its own forces, the COUNTY will only be reimbursed for direct costs (this excludes general and administrative overhead). All costs charged to the PROJECT shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, contracts, or vouchers evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. Bills for fees or other compensation for services or expenses shall be submitted in detail sufficient for a proper preaudit and postaudit thereof. Bills for travel expenses specifically authorized in this Agreement shall be submitted on the DEPARTMENT'S Travel Form No. 300-000-01 and will be paid in accordance with Section 112.061, Florida Statutes.

F. The DEPARTMENT shall have the right to retain out of any payment due the COUNTY under this Agreement an amount sufficient to satisfy any amount due and owing to the DEPARTMENT by the COUNTY on any other Agreement between the COUNTY and the DEPARTMENT.

G. The COUNTY must submit the final invoice to the DEPARTMENT within 180 days after the final acceptance of the project.

H. Participants providing goods and services to the DEPARTMENT should be aware of the following time frames. Upon receipt, the DEPARTMENT has 5 working days to inspect and approve the goods and services. The DEPARTMENT has 20 days to deliver a request for payment (voucher) to the Department of Financial Services. The 20 days are measured from the latter of the date the invoice is received or the date the goods or services are received, inspected, and approved.

I. If a payment is not available within 40 days, a separate interest penalty at a rate as established pursuant to Section 55.03(1), Florida Statutes, will be due and payable, in addition to the invoice amount, to the Participant. Interest penalties of less than one (1) dollar will not be enforced unless the Participant requests payment. Invoices that have to be returned to a Participant because of Participant preparation errors will result in a delay in the payment. The invoice payment requirements do not start until a properly completed invoice is provided to the DEPARTMENT.

J. A Vendor Ombudsman has been established within the Department of Financial Services. The duties of this individual include acting as an advocate for contractors/vendors who may be experiencing problems in obtaining timely payment(s) from a state Agency. The Vendor Ombudsman may be contacted at (850) 413-5516.

K. Records of costs incurred under terms of this Agreement shall be maintained and made available upon request to the DEPARTMENT at all times during the period of this Agreement and for three years after final payment is made. Copies of these documents and records shall be furnished to the DEPARTMENT upon request. Records of costs incurred include the COUNTY'S general accounting records and the project records, together with supporting documents and records of the COUNTY and all subcontractors performing work on the project, and all other records of the COUNTY and subcontractors considered necessary by the DEPARTMENT for a proper audit of costs.

L. In the event this contract for services is in excess of \$25,000.00 and a term for a period of more than one (1) year, the provisions of Section 339.135(6)(a), Florida Statutes, are hereby incorporated: "The DEPARTMENT [Department of Transportation], during any fiscal year, shall not expend money, incur any liability, or enter into any contract which, by its terms, involves the expenditure of money in excess of the amounts budgeted as available for expenditure during such fiscal year. Any contract, verbal or written, made in violation of this subsection is null and void, and no money may be paid on such contract. The DEPARTMENT shall require a statement from the Comptroller of the DEPARTMENT that funds are available prior to entering into any such contract or other binding commitment of funds. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the making of contracts for periods exceeding one year, but any contract so made shall be executory only for the value of the services to be rendered or agreed to be paid for in succeeding fiscal years; and this paragraph shall be incorporated verbatim in all contracts of the DEPARTMENT which are for an amount in excess of \$25,000.00 and which have a term for a period of more than 1 year."

M. The DEPARTMENT'S performance and obligation to pay under this Agreement is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Florida Legislature.

N. A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for Category Two for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

O. An entity or affiliate who has been placed on the discriminatory vendor list may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity.

#### **4. INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE**

A. The COUNTY agrees to include the following indemnification in all contracts with contractors/subcontractors, consultants/subconsultants, who perform work in connection with this Agreement:

"The contractor/consultant shall indemnify, defend, save and hold harmless the DEPARTMENT and all of its officers, agents or employees from all suits, actions, claims, demands, liability of any nature whatsoever arising out of, because of, or due to any negligent act or occurrence of omission or commission of the contractor, its officers, agents or employees."

B. **LIABILITY INSURANCE:** The COUNTY shall carry or cause its contractor/consultant to carry and keep in force during the period of this Agreement a general liability insurance policy or policies with a company or companies authorized to do business in Florida, affording public liability insurance with combined bodily injury limits of at least \$100,000 per person and \$300,000 each occurrence, and property damage insurance of at least \$100,000 each occurrence, for the services to be rendered in accordance with this Agreement. In addition to any other forms of insurance or bonds required under the terms of the agreement, when it includes construction within the limits of a railroad right-of-way, the COUNTY must provide or cause its contractor to provide insurance coverage in accordance with Section 7-13 of the DEPARTMENT'S Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction (2010), as amended.

C. **WORKER'S COMPENSATION:** The COUNTY shall also carry or cause its contractor/consultant to carry and keep in force Worker's Compensation insurance as required for the State of Florida under the Worker's Compensation Law.

## 5. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

A. The COUNTY shall allow public access to all documents, papers, letters, or other material subject to the provisions of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, and made or received by the COUNTY in conjunction with this Agreement. Failure by the COUNTY to grant such public access shall be grounds for immediate unilateral cancellation of this Agreement by the DEPARTMENT.

B. The COUNTY shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws and ordinances applicable to the work or payment for work thereof, and shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age or disability in the performance of work under this Agreement.

C. No funds received pursuant to this Agreement may be expended for lobbying the Legislature, the judicial branch, or a state agency.

D. The COUNTY and the DEPARTMENT agree that the COUNTY, its employees, and subcontractors are not agents of the DEPARTMENT as a result of this Agreement for purposes other than those set out in Section 337.274, Florida Statutes.

## 6. COMPLIANCE WITH FLORIDA SINGLE AUDIT ACT

A. The administration of funds awarded by the DEPARTMENT to the COUNTY may be subject to audits and/or monitoring by the DEPARTMENT as described in this section, described in **Exhibit 1**.

B. **MONITORING.** In addition to reviews of audits conducted in accordance with U.S. Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") Circular A-133 and Section 215.97, Florida Statutes, as revised (see "AUDITS" below), monitoring procedures may include, but are not limited to, on-site visits by DEPARTMENT staff, limited scope audits as defined by OMB Circular A-133, as revised, and/or other procedures. By entering into this agreement, the COUNTY agrees to comply and cooperate fully with any monitoring procedures/processes deemed appropriate by the DEPARTMENT. In the event the DEPARTMENT determines that a limited scope audit of the COUNTY is appropriate, the COUNTY agrees to comply with any additional instructions provided by the DEPARTMENT staff to the COUNTY regarding such audit. The COUNTY further agrees to comply and cooperate with any inspections, reviews, investigations, or audits deemed necessary by the DEPARTMENT'S Office of Inspector General ("OIG") and Florida's Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") or Auditor General.

C. **AUDITS.** Recipients of state funds (i.e. a nonstate entity as defined by Section 215.97(2)(m), Florida Statutes) are to have audits done annually using the following criteria:

- i. In the event that the COUNTY expends a total amount of State financial assistance equal to or in excess of \$500,000 in any fiscal year, the COUNTY must have a State single or project-specific audit for such fiscal year in accordance with Section 215.97, Florida Statutes; applicable rules of the Department of Financial Services and the CFO; and Chapters 10.550 (local government entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General. In determining the State financial assistance expended in its fiscal year, the COUNTY shall consider

- all sources of State financial assistance, including State financial assistance received from the DEPARTMENT, other state agencies, and other nonstate entities. State Financial assistance does not include federal direct or pass-through awards and resources received by a non-state entity for federal program matching requirements.
- ii. In connection with the audit requirements addressed in paragraph 6.C.i, the COUNTY shall ensure that the audit complies with the requirements of Section 215.97(8), Florida Statutes. This includes submission of a financial reporting package as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes, and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental agencies) and 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General.
  - iii. If the COUNTY expends less than \$500,000 in State financial assistance in its fiscal year, an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 215.97, Florida Statutes, is not required. However, if the COUNTY elects to have an audit conducted in accordance with the provisions of Section 215.97, Florida Statutes, the cost of the audit must be paid from non-State funds (i.e., the cost of such an audit must be paid from the COUNTY's resources obtained from other than State entities).
  - iv. State awards are to be identified using the Catalog of State Financial Assistance (CSFA) title and number, award number and year, and name of the state agency awarding it.

D. OTHER AUDIT REQUIREMENTS. The COUNTY shall follow up and take corrective action on audit findings. Preparation of a summary schedule of prior year audit findings, including corrective action and current status of the audit findings is required. Current year audit findings require corrective action and status of findings. Records related to unresolved audit findings, appeals, or litigation shall be retained until the action is completed or the dispute is resolved. Access to project records and audit work papers shall be given to the DEPARTMENT, the Department of Financial Services, and the Auditor General. This section does not limit the authority of the DEPARTMENT to conduct or arrange for the conduct of additional audits or evaluations of state financial assistance or limit the authority of any other state official.

E. REPORT SUBMISSION.

- i. Copies of financial reporting packages required by paragraph 6.C of this agreement shall be submitted by or on behalf of the COUNTY directly to each of the following:
  - a. The DEPARTMENT at the following address:  
  
Florida Department of Transportation  
Office of Comptroller, MS 24  
605 Suwannee Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0405  
Email: [FDOTSingleAudit@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:FDOTSingleAudit@dot.state.fl.us)
  - b. The Auditor General's Office at the following address:  
  
Auditor General's Office  
Room 401, Pepper Building  
111 West Madison Street  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1450
- ii. Copies of reports or the management letter required by Paragraph 6.D of this Agreement shall be submitted by or on behalf of the COUNTY directly to:
  - a. The DEPARTMENT at the following address:  
  
Florida Department of Transportation  
Office of Comptroller, MS 24  
605 Suwannee Street

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0405  
Email: [FDOTSingleAudit@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:FDOTSingleAudit@dot.state.fl.us)

- iii. Any reports, management letter, or other information required to be submitted to the DEPARTMENT pursuant to this Agreement shall be submitted timely in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) and 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General, as applicable.
- iv. The COUNTY, when submitting financial reporting packages to the DEPARTMENT for audits done in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 or Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General, should indicate the date that the reporting package was delivered to the COUNTY in correspondence accompanying the reporting package.

F. **RECORD RETENTION.** The COUNTY shall retain sufficient records demonstrating its compliance with the terms of this Agreement for a period of at least five (5) years from the date the audit report is issued, and shall allow the DEPARTMENT, or its designee, CFO, or Auditor General access to such records upon request. The COUNTY shall ensure that audit working papers are made available to the DEPARTMENT, or its designee, CFO, or Auditor General upon request for a period of at least five (5) years from the date the audit report is issued, unless extended in writing by the DEPARTMENT.

## 7. TERMINATION AND DEFAULT

A. This Agreement may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT in whole or in part at any time the interest of the DEPARTMENT requires such termination. The DEPARTMENT also reserves the right to seek termination or cancellation of this Agreement in the event the COUNTY shall be placed in either voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy. The DEPARTMENT further reserves the right to terminate or cancel this Agreement in the event an assignment be made for the benefit of creditors. This Agreement may be canceled by the COUNTY upon sixty (60) days written notice to the DEPARTMENT.

B. If the Agreement is terminated before performance is completed, the COUNTY shall be paid 75% of the work satisfactorily performed for which costs can be substantiated. Within 90 days, the COUNTY shall refund to the DEPARTMENT the amount of payment received for the PROJECT which exceeds 75% of the COUNTY'S costs for the portion of the PROJECT completed.

C. If the DEPARTMENT determines that the performance of the COUNTY is not satisfactory, the DEPARTMENT shall have the option of (a) immediately terminating the Agreement, or (b) notifying the COUNTY of the deficiency with a requirement that the deficiency be corrected within a specified time, otherwise the Agreement will be terminated at the end of such time, or (c) take whatever action is deemed appropriate by the DEPARTMENT.

D. If the DEPARTMENT requires termination of the Agreement for reasons other than unsatisfactory performance of the COUNTY, the DEPARTMENT shall notify the COUNTY of such termination, with instructions to the effective date of termination or specify the stage of work at which the Agreement is to be terminated.

E. If the Agreement is terminated before performance is completed, the COUNTY shall be paid only for that work satisfactorily performed for which costs can be substantiated. Such payment, however, may not exceed an amount which is the same percentage of the contract price as the amount of work satisfactorily completed is a percentage of the total work called for by this Agreement.

## 8. MISCELLANEOUS

A. All words used herein in the singular form shall extend to and include the plural. All words used in the plural form shall extend to and include the singular. All words used in any gender shall extend to and include all genders.

B. The DEPARTMENT shall not be obligated or liable hereunder to any party not a party to this Agreement.

C. In no event shall the making by the DEPARTMENT of any payment to the COUNTY constitute or be construed as a waiver by the DEPARTMENT of any breach of covenant or any default which may then exist, on the part of the COUNTY, and the making of such payment by the DEPARTMENT while any such breach or default shall exist shall in no way impair or prejudice any right or remedy available to the DEPARTMENT with respect to such breach or default.

D. This document incorporates and includes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements, or understandings applicable to the matters contained herein, and the parties agree that there are no commitments, agreements or understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that are not contained in this document. Accordingly, it is agreed that no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representation or agreements whether oral or written. It is further agreed that no modification, amendment or alteration in the terms or conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document executed with the same formality and of equal dignity herewith.

E. If any part of this Agreement shall be determined to be invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction or by any other legally constituted body having the jurisdiction to make such determination, the remainder of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect provided that the part of this Agreement thus invalidated or declared unenforceable is not material to the intended operation of this Agreement.

F. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Venue of any judicial proceedings arising out of this Agreement shall be in Leon County, Florida, or as otherwise agreed to by the parties.

G. This Agreement shall be effective upon execution by both parties and shall continue in effect and be binding on the parties until the PROJECT is completed and accepted and payment made by the DEPARTMENT.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the COUNTY has caused this Agreement to be executed on its behalf this 25th day of November, 2014, by the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, authorized to enter into and execute same by Resolution Number 2014-149 of the Board on the 25th day of November, 2014, and the DEPARTMENT has executed this Agreement through its District Secretary for District Two, Florida Department of Transportation, this 16th day of January, 2015.

NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

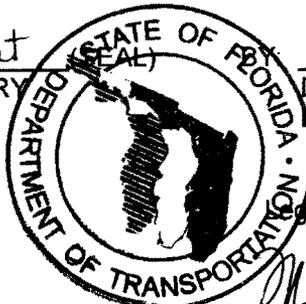
ATTEST: [Signature] (SEAL)  
CLERK

BY: [Signature]  
CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

MES  
11-26-14

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ATTEST: [Signature]  
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY



[Signature]  
DISTRICT SECRETARY  
DISTRICT TWO

District Construction/Maintenance  
Engineer Approval:

\_\_\_\_\_

Legal Review:

[Signature] 1-14-15

Availability of Funds  
Approval:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Date)

Financial Project No.: 430691-2-58-01  
Catalog of State Financial Assistance No.: 55009

**EXHIBIT "A"**  
**PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

This exhibit forms an integral part of that certain Joint Participation Agreement between the State of Florida Department of Transportation and the Nassau County Board of County Commissioners dated January 16, 2015.

**PROJECT LOCATION:**

The project is referred to Crawford Road from Old Alabama Trail to SR 200 / US 301 in Nassau County, Florida.

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION:**

The project consists of the **widening and resurfacing** as follows:

- Development of design plans;
- Bid and award;
- Construction;
- Construction Engineering and Inspection

**AGENCY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- The Agency is required to provide a copy of the signed and sealed design plans for the Department's file.
- The Agency is required to provide bid documents for Department review and approval.
- The Agency is required to send an Engineer's Estimate and scope of services.
- The Agency is required to send a preliminary schedule from the selected contractor, once available.

If Right-of-Way activities become apparent, begin coordination with the Department at once.

The Department's maximum participation is not to exceed **\$3,382,827.00**

Prior to the execution of this Agreement, a project schedule of funding shall be prepared by the Agency and approved by the Department. The Agency shall maintain said schedule of funding, carry out the project, and shall incur obligations against and make disbursements of project funds only in conformity with the latest approved schedule of funding for the project. The schedule of funding may be revised by execution of a Supplemental Agreement between the Department and Agency. The Agency acknowledges and agrees that funding for this project may be reduced upon determination of the award amount and execution of the Supplemental Agreement.

The Honorable Barry Holloway, Chair Nassau County BOCC 96135 Nassau Place, Ste. 1 Yulee, Florida 32097	STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION <b>SMALL COUNTY OUTREACH PROGRAM                  (SCOP)</b>	Financial Project ID: <b>430691-2-58-01</b>
	SCHEDULE OF FUNDING EXHIBIT "B"	Contract Number:

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Name: Crawford Road

Length N/A

Termini: from Old Alabama Trail to SR 200 / US 301

Description of Work: widening and resurfacing

TYPE OF WORK By Fiscal Year	(1) TOTAL PROJECT ESTIMATE FUNDS (100%)	(2) AGENCY FUNDS (0%)	(3) STATE & FEDERAL FUNDS (75%)
<b>Design</b> <u>2008-2009</u> <u>2009-2010</u> <u>2010-2011</u> Total Design Cost	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____
<b>Right of Way</b> <u>2008-2009</u> <u>2009-2010</u> <u>2010-2011</u> Total Right of Way Cost	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____
<b>Construction</b> <u>2014-2015</u> <u>2015-2016</u> <u>2016-2017</u> <u>2017-2018</u> <u>2018-2019</u> Total Construction Costs	\$ 4,510,436.00 _____ _____ _____ _____ \$ 4,510,436.00	\$ 1,127,609.00 _____ _____ _____ _____ \$ 1,127,609.00	\$ 3,382,827.00 _____ _____ _____ _____ \$ 3,382,827.00
<b>Construction Engineering and Inspection</b> <u>2019-2020</u> <u>2020-2021</u> <u>2021-2022</u> <u>2022-2023</u> Total Construction Costs	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____
<b>Total Cost of Project</b>	_____ \$ 4,510,436.00	_____ \$ 1,127,609.00	_____ \$ 3,382,827.00

The Department's fiscal year begins on July 1. The Department will notify the Agency, in writing, when funds are available. The Small County Outreach Program project (SCOP) statutory percentage is 75/25% as outlined in Section 339.2818, Florida Statutes. The SCOP allows for the County's 25% participation to be accomplished through payment of funds or in-kind services. **However, Nassau County is eligible for and has requested a Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI) waiver for purposes of waiving the required 25% participation requirement outlined in Florida Statutes 339.2818. The Department has granted the REDI waiver.**

## EXHIBIT 1

**FEDERAL** and/or **STATE** resources awarded to the COUNTY pursuant to this agreement should be listed below. If the resources awarded to the COUNTY represent more than one Federal or State program, provide the same information for each program and the total resources awarded. **Compliance Requirements** applicable to each Federal or State program should also be listed below. If the resources awarded to the COUNTY represent more than one program, list applicable compliance requirements for each program in the same manner as shown here:

- (e.g., What services or purposes the resources must be used for)
- (e.g., Eligibility requirements for recipients of the resources)
- (Etc...)

**NOTE:** Instead of listing the specific compliance requirements as shown above, the State awarding agency may elect to use language that requires the COUNTY to comply with the requirements of applicable provisions of specific laws, rules, regulations, etc. The State awarding agency, if practical, may want to attach a copy of the specific law, rule, or regulation referred to.

### STATE RESOURCES

<u>State Agency</u>	<u>Catalog of State Financial Assistance (Number &amp; Title)</u>	<u>Amount</u>
FDOT	55.009 – Small County Outreach Program (SCOP)	\$3,382,827.00

### Compliance Requirements

1. Allowed: per F.S. 339.2818, Department of Transportation-approved roadway projects involving repairing or rehabilitating county bridges, paving unpaved roads, addressing road-related drainage improvements, resurfacing or reconstructing county roads or in constructing capacity or safety improvements to county roads. All projects funded under this section shall be included in the department's work program developed pursuant to F.S. 339.135.
2. Per F.S. 339.2818, any county that has a population of 150,000 or less as determined by the most recent official estimate pursuant to F.S. 186.901.
3. Per F.S. 339.2818, the department shall fund 75 percent of the cost of projects on county roads funded under the program. The county's 25 percent share can be funds or in-kind services. Waiver-eligible counties may request, from the Department, a waiver of this match as part of the Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI).

**NOTE:** Section .400(d) of OMB Circular A-133, as revised, and Section 215.97(5)(a), Florida Statutes, require that the information about Federal Programs and State Projects included in Exhibit A be provided to the COUNTY.

RESOLUTION NO. 2014- 149

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND  
THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, the Public Works Director has recommended that the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, execute a Small County Outreach Program Agreement between the State of Florida Department of Transportation and Nassau County, Florida regarding the reconstruction of Crawford Road from Old Alabama Trail to US 301 in Nassau County, Florida (Financial Project ID No. 430691-2-58-01).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this 25th day of November, 2014, by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida as follows:

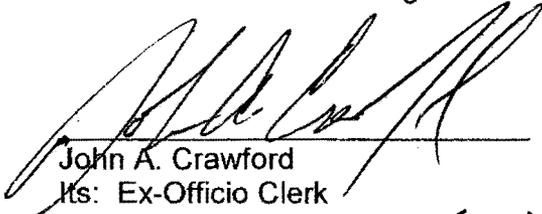
1. The Small County Outreach Program Agreement between the State of Florida Department of Transportation and Nassau County is hereby approved and the Chairman is authorized to execute said agreement.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



Pat Edwards, Chair

Attest as to Chairman's signature:



John A. Crawford  
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form ~~by the~~  
~~Nassau County Attorney~~



Mollie M. Garrett, Esq.

**A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY**  
John A. Crawford, Ex-Officio Clerk  
by: Brenda K. O'Rourke, P.C.  
EX-OFFICIO, Clerk of the Board of County Comm.  
Nassau County, Florida  
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