

Request for Board of Commissioners' Action

From: Faye Hughes, County Administrator Date: _____

Subject: Out of service vehicle /training area Item Number: Work Session

I have been approached by Alex Ortiz, Training Officer, City of Adel Fire Department. He is inquiring about the older cars the Sheriff is taking out of service. The Fire Department is interested in an old vehicle that doesn't have to be operable to use for training.

I spoke to Rusty McCranie, Road Superintendent. He said the Road Department has an old Crown Vic they only use occasionally. My thought was that we could replace that older car at the Road Department with one of the newer Crown Vic's from the Sheriff's office and let the Fire Department use the older one from the Road Department.

Mr. Ortiz mentioned that Chief John West and he have already been in discussion concerning joint training with the City of Adel and the County.

We also discussed the necessity for the Adel FD to find a new training grounds. They were using property that belonged to the Adel Industrial Authority. The AIA has leased that property to a business now, requiring the AFD to move.

If the City of Adel and the County plan to do joint training exercises, would the Commission Board consider allowing them to use 5 acres of the landfill property on the north side of Old Quitman Road for the joint training. This will depend on whether or not the City of Adel FD is allowed to do their training outside of the City Limits of Adel.

Motion made by _____

Second made by _____

Any discussion: _____

Votes _____ yes _____ no

Motion carried/ failed