



Alachua County, FL Special Meeting

Meeting Agenda - Final

Tuesday, March 7, 2023

5:00 PM

BoCC Special Meeting - Policy Discussion

This meeting is open to the public. This is a special meeting for the County Commission. Public comment will only be taken in the event a motion is made and seconded.

Masks for vulnerable citizens are strongly recommended

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Approval of Agenda

Items for Discussion

1. [23-0499](#) Alachua County Jail Telephone System
Recommended Action: Consider Options 1-4
Fiscal Consideration: Option 1 \$580k loss per year as a budget shortfall must be determined not including any one time capital cost for telephone systems or additional staff.
Option 2 \$375k loss per year as a budget shortfall must be determined not including any one time capital cost for telephone systems or additional staff.
Option 3 \$75k loss per year as a budget shortfall must be determined.
Option 4 \$1,675,000 loss per year as a budget shortfall must be determined. Significant capital costs for telephone systems or additional staff.
Strategic Guide: All Other Mandatory and Discretionary Services
[Inmate phone system.ppt](#)
2. [23-0502](#) Alachua County Jail Inmate Fees
Recommended Action:
 - Consider modification of certain inmate fees for indigent inmates
 - Consider Inmate Welfare Fund to offset costs for indigent inmates
 - Consider commissary commission rate reduction for indigent inmates*Fiscal Consideration:* Fiscal considerations will be based upon any modifications
Strategic Guide: All Other Mandatory and Discretionary Services
[BoCC Presentation ACJ Inmate Fees 3.7.23 .ppt](#)
3. [23-0369](#) Re-Entry Hub Presentation
Recommended Action: Approve staff recommendations on the implementation of a Pilot Re-Entry Hub including establishing a budget, personnel, and operating expenses.
Fiscal Consideration: General Fund
-One time expenses including renovations, equipment, technology, and other to be determined.
-Annual recurring expenses estimated at \$1,154,500.
Strategic Guide: Social and Economic Opportunity
[Reentry Hub Presentation 03.07.2023 Final.pdf](#)

Closing Comments

Public Comment

Commission Comment

Adjourn