

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY

FOR SCHLEY COUNTY

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 City of Ellaville, Georgia

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SCHLEY COUNTY  
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25 WATER SERVICE DELIVERY  
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County: Schley Service: Agricultural Extension Services

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- yes  no

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Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

Schley County General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: Contracting Parties: Effective and Ending Dates:  
None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes  no

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<u>Schley County</u>	<u>User Fees</u>
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County: Schley Service: Animal Control Services

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes  no

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Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund</u>
<u>City of Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

Previously, Schley County provided animal control services with the unincorporated area of Schley County and Ellaville provided a separate service for animal control within its municipal limits. The strategy in effect now is that Schley County has contracted with the City of Ellaville for the City to provide small animal control services county-wide and for Schley county to provide large animal control services for the incorporated as well as the unincorporated areas.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

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<u>None</u>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

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Local Government or Authority:                      Funding Method:

Schley County	General Funds
Ellaville	General Funds

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: Intergovernmental Contract for Ad Valorem Tax Rollback	Contracting Parties: Schley County & Ellaville	Effective and Ending Dates: 10/01/99-indefinite
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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint Resolution between the City of Ellaville and Schley County, Georgia effective 10/01/99.

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- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.) Schley County and Ellaville
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes  no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

Schley County General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: Contracting Parties: Effective and Ending Dates:

None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes  no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

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**County:** Schley      **Service:** Emergency Medical Services

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, **attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement** (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, **attached an implementation schedule** listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

Schley County      General Fund User Fees

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:      Contracting Parties:      Effective and Ending Dates:  
None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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County: Schley Service: Fire Protection

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.) Schley County
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Funds</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Funds</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: <u>Intergovernmental Contract for Tax Rollback</u>	Contracting Parties: <u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	Effective and Ending Dates: <u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>
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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

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**County:** Schley      **Service:** Health and Mental Health Services

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

Schley County      General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:      Contracting Parties:      Effective and Ending Dates:  
None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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**County:**        Schley                    **Service:**    Indigent Defense

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes                     no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

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Local Government or Authority:                    Funding Method:

Schley County    General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>None</u>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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**County:** Schley      **Service:** Jail Facilities/Services

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

Schley County      General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>Intergovernmental Contract For Use of Schley County Jail</u>	<u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	<u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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County: Schley Service: Jail Facilities/Services

*SEE Attached Revision*

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

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Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

Schley County      General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

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County: Schley Service: Law Enforcement

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area). Law enforcement is provided county-wide by the Sheriff's department. Opting for enhanced service, the City of Ellaville funds and staffs the police department to serve its corporate limits.

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

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3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:      Contracting Parties:      Effective and Ending Dates:

None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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County: Schley Service: Library

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

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Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

Schley County	General Fund
Ellaville	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>Intergovernmental Contract for Ad Valorem Tax Rollback</u>	<u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	<u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

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County: Schley Service: Library

*SEE REVISED ATTACHMENT*

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:
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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:
- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Schley County	General Fund
Ellaville	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?
- The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
Intergovernmental Contract for Ad Valorem Tax Rollback	Schley County & Ellaville	10/01/99-indefinite

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?
- Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
 Phone Number: 912/924-1900 Date Completed: 10/01/99

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County: Schley Service: Parks and Recreation

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

- Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.) Schley County
- Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes  no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

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3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>Intergovernmental Contract for Ad Valorem Tax Rollback</u>	<u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	<u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes  no

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County: Schley Service: Parks and Recreation

*SEE Attached Revision*

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

- Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.) Schley County
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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:

Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: <u>Intergovernmental Contract for Ad Valorem Tax Rollback</u>	Contracting Parties: <u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	Effective and Ending Dates: <u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>
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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes     no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

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County: Schley Service: Residential Land Use

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

- Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
- Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes  no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

Schley County	General Fund
City of Ellaville	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

Previously, Schley County provided animal control services with the unincorporated area of Schley County and Ellaville provided a separate service for animal control within its municipal limits. The strategy in effect now is that Schley County has contracted with the City of Ellaville for the City to provide small animal control services county-wide and for Schley county to provide large animal control services for the incorporated as well as the unincorporated areas.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: Contracting Parties: Effective and Ending Dates:  
None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes  no

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**County:**            Schley            **Service:**    Road and Right of Way Maintenance

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes                     no

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>None</u>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes     no  
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County: Schley Service: Senior Citizens Center

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes  no

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Local Government or Authority: Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name: <u>Intergovernmental Contract for Tax Rollback</u>	Contracting Parties: <u>Schley County &amp; Ellaville</u>	Effective and Ending Dates: <u>10/01/99-indefinite</u>
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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
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County: Schley Service: Senior Citizens Center

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1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes       no

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Fund &amp; User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

The strategy will change the previous arrangement such that residents of the incorporated area of Ellaville will receive an ad valorem tax rollback on their county property taxes pursuant to the intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville for this service.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

Joint resolution between Schley County and the City of Ellaville.

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**County:**            Schley            **Service:**    Solid Waste Collection/Building

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.) Schley County and Ellaville
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes                     no

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Local Government or Authority:                    Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>User Fees/Insurance Premium Refund</u>
<u>City of Ellaville</u>	<u>User Fees</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:                    Contracting Parties:                    Effective and Ending Dates:

None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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**County:** Schley      **Service:** Tax Appraisal/Assessment

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

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Local Government or Authority:      Funding Method:

Schley County      General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:      Contracting Parties:      Effective and Ending Dates:  
None

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

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**County:** Schley                      **Service:** Voter Registration/Elections

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- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area).

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified:

- yes                       no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attached an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority:                      Funding Method:

<u>Schley County</u>	<u>General Funds</u>
<u>Ellaville</u>	<u>General Funds</u>

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties:	Effective and Ending Dates:
<u>None</u>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

None

7. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
Phone Number: 912/924-1900                      Date Completed: 10/01/99

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes     no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

**SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY  
SUMMARY OF SERVICE DELIVERY ARRANGEMENTS**

**Instructions:**

**Make copies of this form and complete one for each service listed on page 1, Section III. Use exactly the same service names listed on Page 1. Answer each question below, attaching additional pages as necessary. If the contact person for this service (listed at the bottom of the page) changes, this should be reported to the Department of Community Affairs.**

**County:** Schley      **Service:** Water/Sewage

1. Check the box that best described the agreed upon delivery arrangements for this service:

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Local Government or Authority:

Funding Method:

City of Ellaville

General Funds/User Fees

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County: Schley

1. What incompatibilities or conflicts between the land use plans of local governments were identified in the process of developing the service delivery strategy?

The City of Ellaville has zoning ordinances which are enforced within its municipal limits by the City. Schley County has no such zoning ordinances within the unincorporated area.

2. Check the boxes indicating how these incompatibilities or conflicts were addressed:

- amendments to existing comprehensive plans
- adoption of a joint comprehensive plan
- other measures (amend zoning ordinances, add environmental regulations, etc.)

*Note: If the necessary plan amendments, regulations, ordinances, etc. have not yet been formally adopted, indicate when each of the affected local governments will adopt them.*

If "other measures" was checked, described these measures:

Schley County determined that it did not need to establish zoning regulations and ordinances at this time.

3. Summarize the process that will be used to resolve disputes when a county disagrees with the proposed land use classification(s) for areas to be annexed into a city. If the conflict resolution process will vary for different cities in the county, summarize each process.

See attached.

4. What policies, procedures and/or processes have been established by local governments (and water and sewer authorities) to ensure that new extraterritorial water and sewer service will be consistent with all applicable land use plans and ordinances?

Not applicable to Schley County, since Schley County does not provide water or sewage service. It is further not applicable to the City of Ellaville since Schley County does not have zoning regulations/ordinances in effect. The City of Ellaville does not intend to move its current water or sewage service outside of its municipal limits.

5. Person completing form: Russ F. Barnes  
Phone Number: 912/924-1900 Date Completed: 10/01/99

6. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service strategy?  yes  no  
If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

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## **AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICES**

Agricultural Extension Services are provided county-wide by employees of University of Georgia. Schley County pays a supplement to the University of Georgia for these services, and the funding is provided from the County General Funds.

## **ALCOHOL LICENSING**

Alcohol License are issued in the unincorporated areas of Schley County by the Schley County Board of Commissioners. Funding for the licenses is derived from User Fees. Alcohol Licensing in the City of Ellaville is also issued through the Mayor and City Council of Ellaville and funding for licenses derives from User Fees.

## **ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES**

Schley County and the City of Ellaville each provide animal control services. Funding is derived from General Funds and User Fees. Schley County has an animal control ordinance in effect for large animals and also enforces the dangerous dog ordinance. The City of Ellaville has much broader services for its residences.

## **BUILDING INSPECTION**

Inspection of new construction and enforcement of various codes are undertaken in unincorporated Schley County by one individual under contract with Schley County for that purpose. Funding is derived from User Fees. Building inspection and code enforcement in Ellaville is provided by staff employed by that City and funded from the General Funds.

## **CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

Both Schley County and the City of Ellaville contract with the Chamber of Commerce to provide funding. Chamber services are provided county-wide, and funding is provided from the County and City General Funds. Pursuant to inter-governmental contract, residents of the City of Ellaville receive a roll-back on their county taxes for the Chamber of Commerce.

## **CORONER SERVICES**

The Schley County Coroner signs death certificates and is responsible for the body of the deceased until it is claimed and initiates an investigation if foul play is suspected in a death. The Coroner is an elected position, thus the individual filling the position is a County

employee. The service area of the Coroner is county-wide. The position is funded from the County General Funds.

## **DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CHILDREN SERVICES**

The Schley County office of Department of Family and Children Services reaches significant portion of the county population. In addition to providing monthly support checks to those qualified, it assists applicants seeking assistance for Medicaid and the USDA Food Stamp Program, assist low income persons with utility and medicine payment, makes food bank referrals, provides child protection services, provides a foster care parents program, and assists in adoptions. Those working in the office are State employees and the service area is county-wide. Funding for the office is derived from the State and the County General Funds.

## **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

The Schley County Emergency Management Agency is charged with developing mitigation activities that either prevent the occurrence of an emergency or reduce the community's vulnerability in ways that minimize the adverse impact of a disaster situation or other emergency. The agency is staffed by county employees and volunteers and the geographic service is county-wide. Funding from this agency is from the County General Funds with a supplement from the Georgia Emergency Management Agency.

## **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

Emergency Medical Services are provided by Schley County Emergency Medical Services. The service area is county-wide. The service is funded through User Fees as well as from the County General Fund.

## **FIRE PROTECTION**

Fire protection for Schley County is provided through a joint effort between the City of Ellaville and Schley County and jointly funded General Funds. Schley County funds the day-to-day operations of fire protection. In the event any capital improvements are needed, the City of Ellaville and Schley County share equally in the costs of said improvements.

## **HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

Health and Mental health Services are provided to Schley County residents through the

State of Georgia. Schley County supplements this service through funds from its General Funds.

## **INDIGENT DEFENSE**

Schley County provides indigent defense for those otherwise unable to afford legal defense. The geographic area is county-wide and funding is from the General Funds.

## **JAIL FACILITIES/SERVICES**

The local jail is operated by the Schley County Sheriff's Department. The local jail is designed to incarcerate local prisoners, as well as, to house state prisoners on a temporary basis. Jail activities are primarily funded by the County General Funds, however the County receives a portion of the expenses related to housing state prisoners. The geographic service area is county-wide.

## **JUDICIAL/COURTS**

Schley County supports the Superior Court, Juvenile Court, Probate Court and Magistrate Court. The county is part of the Southwestern Judicial Circuit which includes Schley, Sumter, Stewart, Webster, Lee and Macon Counties. A portion of the expenses associated with these courts is derived from User Fees. The County's General Fund pays Schley County's portion of the District Attorney's salary and provides bailiffs for the Courts. In addition, the County General Funds are used to provide Court Reporters on a per diem basis and on a per page basis for transcripts for criminal cases. The geographic service area is county-wide.

## **LAW ENFORCEMENT**

Schley County is served by three law enforcement offices. The Schley County Sheriff's Department, the Ellaville Police Department and the Georgia State Patrol. The Schley County Sheriff's Department provides law enforcement to the unincorporated county. The department also provides communication services for the Ellaville Police Department and provides offices for the Police Department. The department also pays all utility bills for said offices except telephone services. In addition, the department also provides backup services for calls made within the City of Ellaville. Ellaville maintains a full-time police department to provide a higher level of service to areas included in its corporate limits. Funding for the Sheriff's Department is largely derived from County General Funds; however, some funding is derived from fees, fines and forfeitures. Funding for the Ellaville Police Department is derived from the City General Funds. The Sheriff's department is manned by county employees. The Ellaville Police Department is manned by city employees.

## **LIBRARY**

The Schley County Library is located within the incorporated area of Ellaville, Georgia. Funding is derived from the County General Funds and from the City General Funds. In addition, pursuant to intergovernmental contract between Schley County and the City of Ellaville, residents of Ellaville receive a rollback on their county taxes for the Schley County Library.

## **PARKS AND RECREATION**

Both the City of Ellaville and Schley County share in the upkeep and maintenance of park facilities for Schley County residents. Also, the City and County participate in a joint summer program and have appointed a board consisting of one representative from the County and one representative from the City and one at-large member to establish services and programs for recreation. Funding is derived from both the City General Funds and County General Funds and city residents receive a rollback on their ad valorem taxes for recreation and parks services pursuant to intergovernmental contract.

## **RESIDENTIAL LAND USE PLAN**

The City of Ellaville has zoning ordinances which are enforced within its municipal limits by the City. Funds are derived from the City General Funds. Schley County has no such zoning ordinances within its unincorporated area.

## **ROAD AND RIGHT OF WAY MAINTENANCE**

Schley County provides road and right of way maintenance for all county owned and maintained highways and roads within the unincorporated area of Schley County. The City of Ellaville provides the same services for the City owned streets and roads within its municipal limits. Funding is derived from County General Funds and City General Funds and the services are performed by county employees in the unincorporated areas and City employees in the incorporated areas.

## **SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER**

The Senior Citizens Center for Schley County provides a gathering place for those individuals age sixty or over. In addition to providing opportunities for participation in arts and crafts activities, health screenings, and information and referral programs, transportation is also provided to participants along with congregate meals (served at the center) and home-delivered meals (for the homebound). Funding for the Senior Citizens

Center is derived from the County General Funds and City General Funds. In addition, city residents receive a rollback on the ad valorem tax bill pursuant to intergovernmental contract between the City of Ellaville and Schley County for the Senior Citizens Center.

## **SOLID WASTE COLLECTION/DISPOSAL**

Schley County contracts with Solid Waste Management Authority for solid waste collection and disposal within the unincorporated area of Schley County. Solid waste is transported to a disposal station located outside of Schley County. Funding for the services is derived from an insurance premium refund as well as User Fees for citizens in the unincorporated area of Schley County. The City of Ellaville also contracts with Solid Waste Management Authority for solid waste collection and disposal within the municipal limits of the City of Ellaville. Funding is provided from User Fees.

## **TAX APPRAISAL/ASSESSMENT**

The Tax Assessor's Office is responsible for appraisal of property, ensuring that new buildings are placed on the tax roll and a value is provided, preparing official tax maps for the County, sending tax assessments to property owners, and keeping track of all personal property (inventory and equipment). Functions of the office are undertaken by Tax Assessor and Clerk, who are both county employees, and Tax Appraiser, who is an independent contractor under contract with the County. The service area is county-wide. Funding for the office and the Tax Appraiser is provided from the County General Funds.

## **TAX COLLECTION**

Tax Commissioner is responsible for collecting all appropriate taxes in Schley County. In addition, the Tax Commissioner is responsible for recording intangibles, issuing motor vehicle tag and titles, reporting timber sales, and issuing mobile home location permits. The Tax Commissioner's office is staffed by county employees and the service area is county-wide. Funding for the department is provided from the County General Funds. The City of Ellaville also collects taxes. Funding for this department is provided from the City General Funds.

## **VOTER REGISTRATION/ELECTIONS**

The Voter Registration in Schley County is done through the County Registration Department to ensure that county voter registration is carried out in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. In addition to registering county citizens to vote, registration information is updated, registration lists are purges, monthly registration reports are forwarded to the Secretary of State, applications for absentee ballots are processed, absentee ballots are tallied, and voter data after primary and general elections are

recorded. Efforts are carried out by county employees and the service area is county-wide. Funding for the department is provided from the Schley County General Funds.

Both Schley County and the City of Ellaville conduct their own elections. City of Ellaville uses the County Board of Registrars, voting machines and polling places for their elections.

## **WATER/SEWAGE**

The City of Ellaville provides water and sewage service to its residents within its municipal limits. Funding is derived from General Funds as well as User Fees.

**SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY  
DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS  
(See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (4) C)**

**The City of Ellaville and Schley County Board of Commissioners hereby agree to implement the following process for resolving land use disputes over annexation, effective July 1, 1998.**

- 1. Prior to initiating any formal annexation activities, the City will notify the county government of a proposed annexation and provide information on location of property, size of area, and proposed land use or zoning classification (s) (if applicable) of the property upon annexation.

Within 30 working days following receipt of the above information, the county will forward to the city a statement either: (a) indicating that the county has no objection to the proposed land use for the property; or (b) describing its bona fide objection (s) to the city's proposed land use classification, providing supporting information, and listing any possible stipulations or conditions that would alleviate the county's objection (s);

- 2. If the county has no objection to the city's proposed land use or zoning classification, the city is free to proceed with the annexation. If the county fails to respond to the city's notice in writing within the deadline, the city is free to proceed with the annexation and the county loses its right to invoke the dispute resolution process, stop the annexation or object to land use changes after the annexation.
- 3. If the county notifies the city that it has a bona fide land use classification objection (s), the city will respond to the county in writing within 30 working days of receiving the county's objection(s) by either: (a) agreeing to implement the county's stipulations and conditions and thereby resolving the county's objection (s); (b) agreeing with the county and stopping action on the proposed annexation; (c) disagreeing that the county's objection (s) are bona fide and notifying the county that the city will seek a declaratory judgment in court; or (d) initiating a 30-day (maximum) mediation process to discuss possible compromises.
- 4. If the city initiates mediation, the city and county will agree on a mediator, mediation schedule and determine participants in the mediation. The city and county agree to share equally any costs associated with the mediation.

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5. If no resolution of the county's bona fide land use classification objection (s) results from the mediation, the city will not proceed with the proposed annexation.
  
6. If the city and county reach agreement as described in step 3 (a) or as a result of the medication, they will draft an annexation agreement for execution by the city and county governments and the property owner(s).

Regardless of future changes in land use or zoning classification, any site-specific mitigation or enhancement measures or site-design stipulations included in the agreement will be binding on all parties for the duration of the annexation agreement. The agreement shall become final when signed by the city, the county and the property owner(s).

This annexation dispute resolution agreement shall remain in force and effect until amended by agreement of each party or unless otherwise terminated by operation of law.

**CITY OF ELLAVILLE:**

By: *Isaiah Palmer*  
Mayor

Attest: *Kelley Newcomb*  
Clerk 6-8-98

**SCHLEY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:**

By: *John H. [Signature]*  
Vice-Chairman

Attest: *Frances [Signature]*  
Clerk 6-9-98

STATE OF GEORGIA  
COUNTY OF SCHLEY

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**INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONTRACT  
BETWEEN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
OF SCHLEY COUNTY, GEORGIA,  
AND THE CITY OF ELLAVILLE, GEORGIA  
PROVIDING FOR AD VALOREM TAX ROLLSBACKS  
PURSUANT TO THE PARTIES' SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY**

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This Contract entered into effective the day and year hereinafter set out by and between **The Board of Commissioners of Schley County, Georgia** (hereinafter referred to as "Schley County") and **The City of Ellaville, Georgia** (hereinafter referred to as "City of Ellaville") relating to certain ad valorem tax rollbacks in connection with the Service Delivery Strategy approved by the parties hereto.

**W I N E S S E T H:**

**WHEREAS**, Schley County and the City of Ellaville are presently involved in establishing a Service Delivery Strategy between and among the local governmental bodies of Schley County, Georgia pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et. seq.; and

**WHEREAS**, as required by the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 36-70-23, each of the parties hereto have identified all local government services presently provided or primarily funded by each of the parties, and a description of the geographic area in which such identified services are provided by the parties hereto, and a description of the source of funding for each such service; and

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**WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 36-70-24** requires, among other things, that the Service Delivery Strategy of the parties ensure that the cost of any service which Schley County provides primarily for the benefit of the unincorporated area of the County shall be borne by the unincorporated area residents, individuals, and property owners who receive the service; and

**WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 36-70-24** further provides that when Schley County and one or more municipalities jointly fund a County-wide service, the County's share of such funding shall be borne by the unincorporated area residents, individuals, and property owners who receive the service; and

**WHEREAS,** there are various government services that are jointly funded by Schley County and the City of Ellaville, and the parties desire that the funding for such services comply with O.C.G.A. § 36-70-24 in that the County's share of the funding for such services shall be borne by the unincorporated area residents, individuals, and property owners who receive such service; and

**WHEREAS,** the parties hereto have agreed that the best way to ensure compliance with such provisions in connection with their Service Delivery Strategy shall be for the County to provide for an ad valorem tax rollback to City of Ellaville ad valorem property taxpayers in an amount equal to such taxpayers' share of the County contributions to services jointly funded by the City of Ellaville and Schley County; and

**WHEREAS,** such jointly funded services to which this Contract applies are more particularly set out on Exhibit "A" hereto; and

**WHEREAS,** in furtherance of their agreement and in furtherance of the

requirement that a local government Service Delivery Strategy be established pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et. seq., the parties do hereby enter into this Intergovernmental Contract ; and **WHEREAS**, both parties to this Contract are governmental entities under the laws of the State of Georgia and are authorized to enter into intergovernmental contracts for joint services, for the provision of services, or for the joint and separate use of facilities or equipment pursuant to Article 9, Section 3, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution of the State of Georgia of 1983.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the premises, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

1. The parties agree that the local services more particularly set out on Exhibit "A" to this Contract, which is incorporated into and made a part of this Contract, are those services which, at the present time, are funded by both Schley County and the City of Ellaville in varying amounts depending on the annual budgets approved for the respective parties to this Contract.

2. The parties agree that Schley County shall provide to the property taxpayers paying ad valorem taxes on taxable real and personal property located within the City limits of the City of Ellaville an annual County ad valorem tax rollback in an amount which shall be calculated in accord with Paragraph 3 hereof. The amount of such rollback shall appear as a credit on each such ad valorem tax bill submitted by Schley County to owners of taxable real and personal property located within the City limits of the City of Ellaville.

3. The amount of such rollback shall be determined on an annual basis at the time the County's annual budget is approved, shall be based upon the annual budgeted expenditure of general fund revenue by the County for each governmental service listed on Exhibit "A" hereto (and for such service or services added to Exhibit "A" pursuant to Paragraph 6 hereof) in such budget and shall be determined as follows:

A. Calculate the percentage of the total County tax digest which is attributable to taxable real and personal property located within the City limits of the City of Ellaville;

B. Determine the total amount of general fund revenue budgeted for expenditure by the County for each service listed on Exhibit "A" hereto (and for any such service or services added to Exhibit "A" pursuant to Paragraph 6 hereof);

C. Multiply the dollar amount determined in subsection (B) hereof by the percentage calculated in subsection (A) hereof;

D. The amount determined in subsection (C) hereof shall be the total rollback or credit to be given to City ad valorem taxpayers, represented as a dollar figure;

E. The County shall determine the millage rate that such dollar figure represents with respect to the relevant County tax year;

F. The millage rate determined in subsection (E) hereof shall be the millage rate which is rolled back or credited against each City property taxpayer's County ad valorem tax bill for the relevant County tax year;

G. In the event that the budgeted amount determined in subsection (B) hereof is increased or decreased by amendments to such budget during the County's fiscal year, then the increased expenditures shall be added to the budgeted expenditures

and the decreased expenditures shall be subtracted from the budgeted expenditures for the next fiscal year when the rollback amount is determined for the next relevant County tax year.

4. Such ad valorem tax rollback shall be initially implemented as to ad valorem taxes due and payable in connection with the year 2000 tax digest and for each year thereafter.

5. The parties hereto, or their designated representatives, shall be required to meet on or before September 1 of each calendar year, beginning with the calendar year 2000, for the purpose of reviewing the respective parties' contributions for the services listed on Exhibit "A" hereto.

6. The parties agree that if the parties begin jointly funding any governmental service in the future that is a County-wide service, then such service shall be deemed to be added to the list provided in Exhibit "A" hereto and shall be treated, for all purposes, in the same manner as the other services listed on Exhibit "A" hereto with respect to this Contract.

7. This Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties hereto, and no modification of this Contract shall be binding unless the same is reduced to writing and signed by all parties to this Contract; provided, however, that pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-70-28, the parties shall review and revise, if necessary, the terms of this Contract. No representation, promise, or inducement not included in this Contract shall be binding upon any party hereto.

8. This Contract shall continue in full force and effect unless and until the same is modified in accord with the terms hereof, and this Contract shall be binding upon

the respective parties hereto, as well as their successors in office for the maximum length of time as may be now or hereafter authorized under the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

9. Both parties warrant and covenant to each other that their respective governing bodies have approved this Contract at a meeting held in accord with Georgia law, and that the signatures of the persons below, acting in their representative capacities with respect to each party, are authorized by the governing body of each party to this Contract.

10. Both parties agree that they will take such action, including the approval of necessary or appropriate ordinances or resolutions, and including, but not limited to, the establishment of special tax districts, as may be required by the Georgia Constitution and by State Law in order to implement the provisions and the intent of this Agreement.

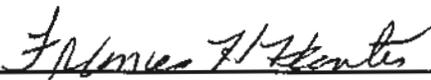
11. This Contract is governed by the laws of the State of Georgia.

12. Time is of the essence with respect to the provisions of this Contract.

SO AGREED and made effective as of the 29 day of Oct., 1999.

**THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF  
SCHLEY COUNTY, GEORGIA**

BY:   
Johnny Lightner, Vice-Chairman

ATTEST:   
Frances Hunter, Clerk

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CITY OF ELLAVILLE

BY: *Hughes Palmer*  
Hughes Palmer, Mayor

ATTEST: *Kelley Newcomb*  
City Clerk

## EXHIBIT "A"

1. Chamber of Commerce
2. Fire Protection
3. Library
4. Parks and Recreation
5. Senior Citizens Center

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**STATE OF GEORGIA**

**COUNTY OF SCHLEY**

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**INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONTRACT  
BETWEEN THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
OF SCHLEY COUNTY, GEORGIA,  
AND THE CITY OF ELLAVILLE, GEORGIA  
RELATING TO THE USE OF THE SCHLEY COUNTY, JAIL**

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This Contract entered into effective the day and year hereinafter set out by and between **The Board of Commissioners of Schley County, Georgia** (hereinafter referred to as "Schley County") and **The City of Ellaville, Georgia** (hereinafter referred to as "City of Ellaville") relating to the housing of prisoners of the City of Ellaville in the Schley County Jail.

**W I N E S S E T H:**

**WHEREAS**, Schley County and the City of Ellaville are presently involved in establishing a service delivery strategy between and among the local governmental bodies of Schley County, Georgia pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et. seq.; and

**WHEREAS**, at present, Schley County, through the Schley County Sheriff's Department, houses prisoners arrested by law enforcement officers of the City of Ellaville, which prisoners are either awaiting releaser upon bond, awaiting pre-trial procedures, awaiting trial, or convicted of violations of local Ordinances of the City of Ellaville; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Ellaville does not have a suitable facility to house such prisoners in safe and sanitary conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, Schley County, through the Schley County Sheriff's Department, has

been charging the City of Ellaville the sum of Three Thousand Three Hundred Seven Dollars and Sixty-Four Cents (\$3,307.64) per month to house such prisoners, use dispatchers and jailers; and

**WHEREAS**, as a consequence of the service delivery strategy statute and a review of services provided by Schley County and the City of Ellaville required by O.C.G.A. § 36-70-20, et. seq., it has been determined that County taxpayers who are residents of the City of Ellaville are subject to double taxation to the extent that such County taxpayers pay county ad valorem taxes for the support of the Schley County Jail and also pay City of Ellaville ad valorem taxes to the City of Ellaville, which taxes are used, in part, to pay the per diem fee referred to above; and

**WHEREAS**, O.C.G.A. § 36-70-24 requires that, where feasible, such double taxation should be eliminated as part of the service delivery strategy and approved by local governments; and

**WHEREAS**, Schley County has determined that it will have sufficient funds to provide such jail services to the City of Ellaville for its prisoners without the necessity of paying the Three Thousand Three Hundred Seven Dollars and Sixty-Four Cents (\$3,307.64) per month charge which now results in double taxation to the ad valorem taxpayers of the City of Ellaville; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties hereto desire to enter into an Intergovernmental Contract with respect to the matters herein set out; and

**WHEREAS**, both parties to this Contract are governmental entities under the laws of the State of Georgia and are authorized to enter into intergovernmental contracts for joint services, for the provision of services, or for the joint and separate use of facilities or equipment pursuant to Article 9, Section 3, Paragraph 1 of the Constitution of the State

of Georgia of 1983.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the premises, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

1. (A) That Schley County, acting through the Sheriff's Department of Schley County, shall, and does hereby, agree to accept prisoners arrested by law enforcement officers of the City of Ellaville, as jail space is available, for incarceration in the Schley County Jail where such prisoners are either awaiting release upon bond, awaiting pre-trial procedures, awaiting trial, or convicted of violations of local Ordinances of the City of Ellaville.

(B) In the event that jail space is not available for incarceration of such prisoners in the Schley County Jail, Schley County agrees to accept such prisoners and make all necessary arrangements to transport and transfer such prisoners to another jail facility outside of Schley County which has space available for such prisoners. Schley County shall pay all costs associated with transporting such prisoners to such other jail facility and shall also pay all costs and expenses charged by such other jail facility for housing such prisoners. The other jail facility to which such prisoners are transported and transferred shall be selected by the Sheriff of Schley County, or his designee, in his sole and absolute discretion.

2. That there shall be no charge by Schley County to the City of Ellaville for providing the services contemplated by the terms of this Contract. In addition, the parties agree that Schley County shall assume all obligations with respect to the payment for medical services, dental services, psychiatric services, and other similar services provided to any prisoner housed in the Schley County Jail on behalf of the City of Ellaville during

the time that such prisoner is under the custody or under the control of the Schley County Sheriff's Department.

3. That the cost of all transportation of prisoners from the City of Ellaville to and from the Schley County Jail shall be borne by the City of Ellaville.

4. That the City of Ellaville shall continue to have liability insurance in amounts deemed appropriate by the governing body of the City of Ellaville insuring the City of Ellaville and its officers and agents as to any liability incurred while such prisoners are in the custody of the City of Ellaville.

5. That Schley County shall continue to have liability insurance in amounts deemed appropriate by the governing body of the Schley County insuring Schley County and its officers and agents as to any liability incurred while such prisoners are in the custody of Schley County.

6. That subject to the provisions of this Contract, nothing herein shall be deemed or construed to limit the ability or authority of the Sheriff of Schley County to manage the day to day operations of the Schley County Jail and to operate the jail in such manner as may be required by law.

7. This Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties hereto related to this subject matter, and no modification of this Contract shall be binding unless the same is reduced to writing and signed by all parties to this Contract. No representation, promise, or inducement not included in this Contract shall be binding upon any party hereto.

8. This Contract shall continue in full force and effect unless and until the same is modified in accord with the terms hereof, and this Contract shall be binding upon the respective parties hereto, as well as their successors in office for the maximum length

of time as may be now or hereafter authorized under the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

9. Both parties warrant and covenant to each other that their respective governing bodies have approved this Contract at a meeting held in accord with Georgia law, and that the signatures of the persons below, acting in their representative capacities with respect to each party, are authorized by the governing body of each party to this Contract.

10. This Agreement supercedes and nullifies the existing Contract between the parties hereto dated May 25, 1997, relating to the use of the Schley County jail by the City of Ellaville.

11. This Contract is governed by the laws of the State of Georgia.

12. Time is of the essence with respect to the provisions of this Contract.

**SO AGREED** and made effective as of the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1999.

**THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF  
SCHLEY COUNTY, GEORGIA**

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

*Johnny Lighter*  
**Johnny Lighter, Vice-Chairman**

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**COMMUNITY AFFAIRS**

Jim Higdon  
COMMISSIONER

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable W.C. Holt, Chairman  
Schley County Commission

Honorable Hughes Palmer  
Mayor, City of Ellaville

FROM: Jim Higdon  
Commissioner

DATE: November 30, 1999

SUBJECT: Verification of Service Delivery Strategy

In accordance with the provisions of the Service Delivery Strategy law, we have determined that your strategy includes the necessary components and addresses the mandatory criteria identified in the law; and therefore, we are pleased to verify your strategy as meeting the requirements of the law.

It is our belief that preparing and implementing a service delivery strategy will assist communities in providing services to their citizens more effectively and efficiently. The benefits of your efforts can be maximized by using your strategy as a reference and management tool as you and other local governments make decisions concerning the provision of local services.

Please remember that the Service Delivery Strategy law states that "projects which are inconsistent with a strategy will be ineligible for state funding and permits." Therefore, prior to seeking future state grant, loan or permit assistance for local service improvements, you should ensure that such requests for assistance are consistent with the locally agreed upon service delivery strategy.

Also, keep in mind that local governments are required to revise their approved strategy when any one of the following conditions are met:

1. In conjunction with the update of your local government's comprehensive plan;
2. Whenever the service delivery or revenue distribution arrangements are changed (e.g., whenever the local governments within the County decide to change how a service is provided or funded); or
3. In the event of the creation, abolition or consolidation of local governments.

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With local governments such as Schley County and the City of Ellaville preparing and carrying out rational service delivery strategies, Georgia's citizens can look forward to effective and efficient delivery of local services in the future. We commend you for your hard work and dedication and look forward to working with you in the future.

JH/kdd

cc: Senator George Hooks  
Representative Bob Hanner  
Jerry Griffin, ACCG  
Jim Calvin, GMA  
Bobby Lowe, Executive Director  
Middle Flint RDC