

**Proposal for Communications Consulting Services**

**Submitted by: Marcus Winn**

**Submitted to: Chairman of the Jackson County Legislature**

**Date: January 1, 2026**

1. *Introduction*

This proposal outlines an arrangement for professional services designed to support the effectiveness and responsiveness of the Jackson County Legislature. This engagement will serve the full Legislature, and Marcus Winn will report directly to the Chairman of the Legislature, who will serve as the primary point of contact for assignments and oversight. The objective of this engagement is to ensure the Legislature has access to professional advisory services that facilitate effective communication, thoughtful research, and informed decision-making.

2. *Scope of Services*

Consultant proposes to provide the following services:

a. **Research and Policy Support:**

The consultant can conduct policy research, provide analysis to support legislative and/or community initiatives, and can develop briefing materials, memos, and reports.

b. **Communications Strategy:**

The consultant can assist in drafting public communications to promote legislative initiatives and respond to media inquiries, and manage messaging to ensure consistent, clear, and accurate public statements on behalf of the Legislature.

c. **Legislative Meetings:**

Consultant will attend Monday Legislative Meetings and other relevant sessions as assigned to monitor proceedings, provide on-the-spot support, and ensure timely services.

3. *Term*

This proposal will cover work commencing January 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026, unless terminated earlier by either party. This time frame ensures continuity and services can be adjusted as needed throughout the period of engagement.

4. *Fee Structure*

A professional services fee of \$5,000 per month will be billed monthly for services provided under this agreement. Payment will be due upon invoicing.

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**MARY JO SPINO  
COUNTY CLERK**

5. *Consultant Qualifications*

The consultant has experience assisting policymakers, community leaders, and organizations on a range of communications, strategic planning, policy, and advisory matters.

6. *Point of Contact*

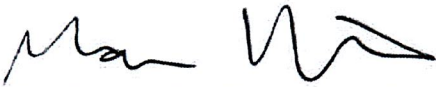
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7. *Acceptance*

If this proposal meets your expectations, please indicate acceptance below.

Submitted by:  
Marcus Winn

Acceptance:

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

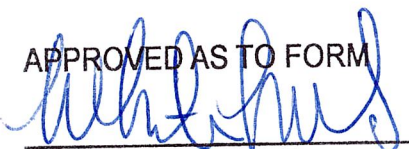
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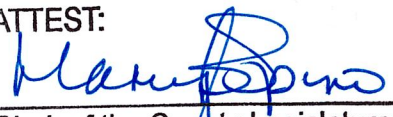
Date: January 1, 2026

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

Name, Title: Michael Abram TD

Date: 7/16/28

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
  
County Counselor

ATTEST:  
  
Clerk of the County Legislature

**REVENUE CERTIFICATE**

There is a balance otherwise unencumbered to the credit of the appropriation to which the expenditure is chargeable, and there is a cash balance otherwise unencumbered in the treasury to the credit of the fund from which payment is to be made, each sufficient to provide for the obligation of \$30,000.00 which is herein authorized.

4/21/2026  
Date

Cheryl J. Colter  
Director of Finance and Purchasing  
Account No. 001-0112-56790