

**GORDON COUNTY, GEORGIA  
MEMORANDUM**

To: Board of County Commissioners  
From: Martin Vaughn  
Subject: Repair Bulldozer for Chert Mine  
Date: February 13, 2017

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The Gordon County Board of Commissioners accepted sealed written Bids from qualified vendors to repair a bulldozer for the Chert Mine. Bid documents were prepared and sent to potential bidders. The Bid was posted on the county's web site, posted upon the State of Georgia procurement web site and advertised in the Calhoun Times on January 28 and February 4, 2017. The deadline to submit the sealed bids was 2:00 p.m. February 8, 2017. County staff opened the bids received at that time in a public opening. Below is the response:

<b>Bidder</b>	<b>Repair Cost</b>
<b>TEC (Calhoun, GA)</b>	<b>\$37,208.13</b>
<b>Yancy Brothers (Calhoun, GA)</b>	<b>\$39,200.78</b>
<b>Borders Equipment (Forsyth, GA)</b>	<b>\$44,487.22</b>
<b>*Did not bid all parts of the repair</b>	
<b>*Flint Equipment Co. (Atlanta, GA)</b>	<b>\$31,405.29</b>

**RECOMMENDATION**

After reviewing the acceptable bids the recommendation is to award the bid to TEC in the amount of \$37,208.13. The bid is the lowest bid meeting all the requirements. A budget amendment will be need for made for the Chert Fund – R&M Machinery in the amount of \$40,000.00. The staff believes there is the possibility of encountering other issues related to the bulldozer repair.