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Flagler County closes on westside Fire Station property

November 3, 2017 – Flagler County closed on property at the intersection of State Road 100 and County Road 305 for its future westside fire station.

A large – 12,000 square foot building with an attached 8,000 square foot lean-to area – already sits on the 25.48-acre parcel. The building will be hardened into fire station to serve western Flagler County.

Commission Chair Nate McLaughlin made the announcement Thursday during his town hall meeting in Daytona North.

“I have been working for a better solution for the westside of our county,” McLaughlin said. “I’m very proud of Flagler County staff in their persistence to improve how we provide services throughout the county.”

The total costs to acquire the property was \$625,000. The purchase also includes server free-standing structures and is fenced on several sides with chain-link. The property is almost entirely uplands.

“Every major wildfire has come from the westside of the county,” said Flagler County Fire Rescue Chief Don Petito. “It is a great asset to serve as the base for these fire-fighting operations.”

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