



**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COOK COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**Virtual Meeting**

**New Items Agenda**

**Thursday, September 24, 2020, 10:00 AM**

**Third Set**

[20-4404](#)

**Sponsored by:** TONI PRECKWINKLE (President), LARRY SUFFREDIN and JOHN P. DALEY,  
Cook County Board of Commissioners

**PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENT**

ETHICS ORDINANCE

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, that Chapter 2 ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE VII. ETHCS, DIVISION 2, Subdivision I., Sec. 2-560 through 2-570, Subdivision II., Sec. 2-571 through 2-589, Subdivision III., Sec. 2-590, Subdivision IV., Sec. 2-591 through Sec. 2-600, Subdivision V. Sec. 2-601- Sec. 2-609, Section 2-610 through Sec. 2-620; DIVISION 3., Subdivision 1., Sec. 2-621 through 2-630, Subdivision II., Sec. 2-631 through 2-of the Cook County Code is hereby amended as Follows:

**ARTICLE VII. - ETHICS**

**DIVISION 2. - CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT**

**Subdivision I. - In General**

**Sec. 2-560. - Short title.**

**Sec. 2-561. - Purpose.**

**Sec. 2-562. - Definitions.**

**Sec. 2-563. - Applicability and Acknowledgment.**

**Secs. 2-564-2-570. - Reserved.**

**Subdivision II. - Code of Ethical Conduct**

**Sec. 2-571. - Fiduciary duty.**

**Sec. 2-572. - Improper influence.**

**Sec. 2-573. - Dual employment Employees and Officials.**

**Sec. 2-574. - Receiving and soliciting gifts and favors.**

**Sec. 2-575. - ~~Reserved~~ Sexual Harassment.**

**Sec. 2-576. - County-owned property.**

**Sec. 2-577. - Use or disclosure of confidential information.**

**Sec. 2-578. - Conflicts of interest.**

**Sec. 2-579. - Representation of other persons.**

**Sec. 2-580. - Post-employment restrictions.**

**Sec. 2-581. - Interest in county business or board or commission business.**

**Sec. 2-582. - Employment of relatives.**

**Sec. 2-583. - Political activity.**

**Sec. 2-584. - Whistleblower protection.**

Sec. 2-585. - Limitations of contributions to candidates and elected officials.

Sec. 2-586. - Newsletters, brochures, public service announcements, and promotional materials.

Sec. 2-587. - Ethics Education Seminar.

Sec. 2-588. - Identity protection policy.

Sec. 2-589.- Inducement of Others

Subdivision III. - Financial Disclosure

Sec. 2-~~590~~89. - Generally.

~~Sec. 2-590. - Reserved.~~

Subdivision IV. - Board of Ethics

Sec. 2-591. - Composition and powers.

Sec. 2-592. - Confidentiality.

Secs. 2-593-2-600. - Reserved.

Subdivision V. - Sanctions for Violation

Sec. 2-601. - Employment sanctions.

Sec. 2-602. - Fines and Penalties.

Sec. 2-603. - Validity of contract.

Secs. 2-604-2-609. - Reserved.

Subdivision VI. - Requirement for Disclosure of Ownership Interest in Business Entities

Seeking County Contracts

Sec. 2-610. - Actions requiring county approval; disclosure information required when.

Sec. 2-611. - Information to be kept current.

Sec. 2-612. - Additional information authorized when.

Sec. 2-613. - Failure to comply.

Sec. 2-614. - Rulemaking authority.

Secs. 2-615-2-620. - Reserved.

**DIVISION 3. - LOBBYISTS**

Subdivision I. - In General

Sec. 2-621. - Short title.

Sec. 2-622. - Definitions.

Secs. 2-623-2-630. - Reserved.

Subdivision II. - Registration

Sec. 2-631. - Persons required to register.

Sec. 2-632. - Persons not required to register.

Sec. 2-633. - Information required of registrants.

Sec. 2-634. - Reports.

Sec. 2-635. - Duties of clerk.

Sec. 2-636. - Restricted activities.

- Sec. 2-637. - Enforcement, penalties and procedures.**  
**Sec. 2-638. - Right to petition County Officials.**  
**Sec. 2-639. - Venue.**  
**Sec. 2-640. - Lobbyist Ethics Education Seminar.**  
**Sec. 2-641. - Prohibition from lobbying activities.**  
**Sec. 2-642. - Duty to display lobbyist registration identification.**  
**Secs. 2-646-2-670. - Reserved.**

**Effective date:** This ordinance shall be in effect on December 15, 2020.

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#### **20-3460**

**Sponsored by:** STANLEY MOORE, DENNIS DEER, ALMA E. ANAYA, LUIS ARROYO JR, SCOTT R. BRITTON, BRIDGET DEGNEN, BRANDON JOHNSON, BILL LOWRY, KEVIN B. MORRISON, DEBORAH SIMS and LARRY SUFFREDIN, Cook County Board of Commissioners

**20-3460 was substituted and withdrawn at 7/30/2020 Board Meeting**

#### **PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENT**

#### **JUNETEENTH RECOGNIZED AS A COOK COUNTY HOLIDAY**

**WHEREAS,** On January 1, 1863 President Abraham Lincoln signed the Emancipation Proclamation; and

**WHEREAS,** That established that all enslaved people in Confederate states and against the Union shall be set free from slavery; and

**WHEREAS,** Many slave owners in the state of Texas did not release their slaves; and

**WHEREAS,** On June 19th, 1865, General Gordan Grainger and his troops made their way to Galveston, Texas after the surrender of General Robert E. Lee on Appotomox, Virginia. Upon General Grainger's arrival in Texas soil, he issued Generals Order No. 3; and

**WHEREAS,** This order officially declared the immediate release and freedom of the remainder of slaves located in Texas; and

**WHEREAS,** Slaves that were forcefully held captive almost three years after the Emancipation Proclamation was issued were finally pronounced freemen; and

**WHEREAS**, The year following 1865, freedmen in Texas organized the first of what became the annual celebration of "Jubilee Day" on June 19. In the ensuing decades, Juneteenth commemorations featured music, barbecues, prayer services and other activities; and

**WHEREAS**, The last of the people that were freed from slavery in Texas, made it a custom to go back to Galveston to celebrate their freedom. These former slaves pioneered and spread the celebration of Juneteenth throughout the entirety of the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, Although slaves were considered freemen, they continued to receive harsh treatment and were discriminated against by a large population of America; and

**WHEREAS**, Jim Crow Laws were placed to enforce the racial segregation of African- Americans and were often barred from participating in the celebration of Juneteenth; and

**WHEREAS**, This led to the eventual purchase of private lands, such as Emancipation Park in Houston, Texas, and the Booker T. Washington Park in Mexia, Texas for individuals to celebrate Juneteenth; and

**WHEREAS**, June 19 is now officially recognized as a ceremonial holiday in forty-seven of the fifty states, with Texas being the first to declare Juneteenth a state holiday in 1980; and

**WHEREAS**, Today, the celebration of Juneteenth is stronger than ever before, as it's been fueled by the unfortunate, but extremely impactful deaths of African -Americans, such as George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Ahmaud Arbery, and countless more victims; and

**WHEREAS**, Slavery and has had brutal impacts on African Americans and their families including but not limited to disparities in economics, healthcare, housing, the pursuit of happiness, education and the social determinants of health; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by Cook County, President and Board of Commissioners shall promote Juneteenth as a day of education partnering with organizations and community to celebrate contribution of the many African- Americans from the past and today whose families were liberated, thereby allowing them to be free today; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, that Chapter 44 HUMAN RESOURCES, ARTICLE III. VACATION AND SICK LEAVE, SEC. 44.92 of the Cook County Code is hereby amended as follows:

**Sec. 44.92. Designation of Holidays**

(a) The following days are hereby declared holidays, except in emergency and for necessary operations, for all salaried County officers and employees in the County offices, departments, or institutions:

- (1) New Year's Eve, January 1.
- (2) Martin Luther King's Birthday, Third Monday in January
- ~~(2)~~(3) Lincoln's Birthday, February 12.
- ~~(3)~~(4) Washington's Birthday, Third Monday in February 22.
- (5) ~~Good Friday, Last Friday before Easter.~~ Casimir Pulaski's Birthday, First Monday in March
- (6) Memorial Day, Last Monday in May ~~30~~.
- (7) Juneteenth, June 19.
- ~~(7)~~(8) Independence Day, July 4.
- (8)(9) Labor Day, First Monday of September.
- (9)(10) Columbus Day, Second Monday in October ~~12~~.
- ~~(10)~~(11) Veterans' Day, November 11.
- ~~(11)~~(12) Thanksgiving Day, ~~The day appointed by the Governor, or by the President of the United States~~ Fourth Thursday in November.
- ~~(12)~~(13) Christmas Day, December 25.
- (14) Floating Holiday.

(b) It is the intent of the County Board that all salaried Cook County employees be granted ~~11~~ 14 holidays, or equivalent paid days off per year.

(c) Should a certain holiday fall on a Saturday, the preceding Friday shall be set as the holiday; should a certain holiday fall on a Sunday, the following Monday shall be set as the holiday.

(d) In addition to the above, any other day or part of a days shall be considered a holiday when so designated by the County Board.

**Effective date:** This ordinance shall be in effect immediately upon adoption.

[20-4415](#)

**Sponsored by:** LARRY SUFFREDIN, Cook County Board of Commissioners

**PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENT**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, that the following provisions of the Cook County Code are hereby amended as Follows:

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE I. - IN GENERAL, Sections 2-3 and 2-7(b)**

Sec. 2-3 - Transmittal of municipal disconnection ordinances

Sec. 2-7 - Real Estate donations; approval

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE II. - PRESIDENT OF THE COUNTY BOARD**

Sec. 2-43 - Transition of office of president

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IV. - OFFICERS & EMPLOYEES, DIVISION 2. - COUNTY CLERK**

Subdivision I. - In General

Sec. 2-161. - Assumption of duties.

Sec. ~~2-201~~ 162. - Office hours.

Sec. ~~2-202~~ 163. - Tract indices.

Sec. ~~2-203~~ 164. - Judgment record.

Sec. ~~2-204~~ 165. - Property index number.

Sec. ~~2-161~~ 166. - Tax maps.

Sec. ~~2-205~~ 167. - Remote access to computerized indexing system.

Sec. ~~2-206~~ 168. - Bulk Database Index Information.

Sec. ~~2-207~~ 169. - Electronic compiled data.

Secs. ~~2-162-2-170.~~ - Reserved.

Subdivision II. - Fees

Sec. 2-171. - Duty to collect fees.

Sec. 2-172. - Clerk fees generally.

Sec. 2-173. - Cook County Clerk automation fee.

Sec. 2-174. - Vital records fees for County Clerk.

Sec. 2-175. - Clerk's legal description fee.

Secs. 2-176-~~2-200~~ 209. - Reserved

~~Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IV. - OFFICERS & EMPLOYEES, DIVISION 3. - RECORDER OF DEEDS~~

**Subdivision I. - In General**

- ~~Sec. 2-201. - Office hours.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-162]  
~~Sec. 2-202. - Tract indices.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-163]  
~~Sec. 2-203. - Judgment record.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-164]  
~~Sec. 2-204. - Property index number.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-165]  
~~Sec. 2-205. - Remote access to computerized indexing system.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-166]  
~~Sec. 2-206. - Bulk Database Index Information.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-167]  
~~Sec. 2-207. - Electronic compiled data.~~ [Moved to Division 2. Renumbered Sec. 2-169]  
~~Secs. 2-208, 2-209. - Reserved.~~  
Sec. 2-210. - Predictable recording fees.  
Sec. 2-210.1. - Emergency waiver of nonrequired fees for Transfer on Death Instruments.  
Sec. 2-211. - Exemption for County officials, departments and agencies.  
Sec. 2-212. - Exemption from recorder's fee for lien recordation in connection with the Chicago Homeowner Assistance Program.  
Sec. 2-213. - Document storage fee.  
Sec. 2-214. - GIS fee.  
Sec. 2-215. - Reserved.  
Sec. 2-216. - Internet document copy fee.  
Sec. 2-217. - Postal fee.  
Sec. 2-218. - UCC filing fee.  
Sec. 2-219. - Noncertified document copy.  
Sec. 2-220. - GIS data and map production fee.  
Secs. 2-221-2-240. - Reserved.

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IV. - OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES, DIVISION 8. - INTERNET ADVERTISING AND ASSET MANAGEMENT, Sec. 2-320 - Internet advertising, (a) and (e)**

Sec. 2-320 - Internet advertising

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE VII. - ETHICS, DIVISION 2. - CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT, Subdivision II. - Code of Ethical Conduct, Sec. 2-582 - Employment of relatives (c) and (d), and Sec. 2-585, Limitations of Contributions to Candidates**

- Sec. 2-582 - Employment of relatives  
Sec. 2-585 - Limitations of contributions to candidates

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE VII. - ETHICS, DIVISION 3. - LOBBYISTS, Subdivision I. - In General, Sec. 2-622 - Definitions**

Sec. 2-622 - Definitions



**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE VII. - ETHICS, DIVISION 3. - LOBBYISTS, Subdivision II. - Registration, Sec. 2-641 - Prohibition from lobby activities**

Sec. 2-641 - Prohibition from lobby activities

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IX. - ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS, Sec. 2-918 - Sanctions; transfer or conveyance, Subsection (a)**

Sec. 2-918 - Sanctions; transfer or conveyance

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE X. - PERFORMANCED BASED MANAGEMENT AND BUDGETING, Sec. 2-931 - Definitions**

Sec. 2-931 - Definitions

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE XII. - COOK COUNTY INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, DIVISION 1. - COOK COUNTY INFORMATION SECURITY, Sec. 2-961 - Purpose and policy**

Sec. 2-961 - Purpose and policy

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE XII. - COOK COUNTY INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, DIVISION 2. - COOK COUNTY INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CONSOLIDATION, Sec. 2-981 - Purpose and policy - CC Information technology consolidation**

Sec. 2-981 - Purpose and policy - CC Information technology consolidation

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE XIII. - ASSET MANAGEMENT AND SPACE STANDARDS, Sec. 2-1000 - Legislative findings and purpose, Subsection (a) and Sec. 2-1001 - Establishment of the Asset Management Steering Committee, Subsection (c)(14)**

Sec. 2-1000 - Legislative findings and purpose

Sec. 2-1001 - Establishment of the Asset Management Steering Committee

**Chapter 2 - ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE XVI. - CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS PROGRAM, Sec. 2-1064 - Definitions**

Sec. 2-1064 - Definitions

**Chapter 14 - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, ARTICLE IV. - CALUMET ENTERPRISE ZONE, Sec. 14-39 - Amendment to the existing enterprise zone and establishment of an Enterprise Zone**

Sec. 14-39 - Amendment to the existing enterprise zone and establishment of an Enterprise Zone

**Chapter 32 - FEES, Sec. 32-1 - Fee schedule**

Sec. 32-1 - Fee schedule

**Chapter 34 - FINANCE, ARTICLE III. - UNIFORM PENALTIES, INTEREST AND PROCEDURES, Sec. 34-88 - Liens and right to levy, Subsection (b)**

Sec. 34-88 - Liens and right to levy

**Chapter 34 - FINANCE, ARTICLE IV. - PROCUREMENT CODE, DIVISION 1, GENERAL PROVISIONS, Sec. 34-121 - Definitions**

Sec. 34-121 - Definitions

**Chapter 44 - HUMAN RESOURCES, ARTICLE II. - PERSONNEL POLICIES, Sec. 44-53 - Prohibition of discrimination and harassment, Subsection (b) and Sec. 44-58 - Sexual harassment training, Subsection (a)**

Sec. 44-53 - Prohibition of discrimination and harassment

Sec. 44-58 - Sexual harassment training

**Chapter 58 - OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS, ARTICLE II. - OFFENSES INVOLVING PROPERTY RIGHTS, Sec. 58-45 - Unlawful clouding of title, Subsection (a) and Sec. 58-46 - Unlawful filing of fraudulent lien, judgment, or encumbrance against individuals and organizations, Subsection (a).**

Sec. 58-45 - Unlawful clouding of title

Sec. 58-46 - Unlawful filing of fraudulent lien, judgment, or encumbrance against individuals and organizations.

**Chapter 58 - OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS, ARTICLE VII. - REPORT OF LOST STOLEN, DESTROYED OR TRANSFERRED FIREARMS, Sec. 58-186 - Purpose; Sec. 58-187 - Definitions; Sec. 58-189 - Report of lost, stolen or destroyed firearms, Subsection (b); Sec. 58-190 - Report of transferred firearms, Subsection (b); Sec. 58-193 - Enforcement; rules and regulations, Subsections (f) and (g).**

Sec. 58-186 - Purpose

Sec. 58-187 - Definitions

Sec. 58-189 - Report of lost, stolen or destroyed firearms.

Sec. 58-190 - Report of transferred firearms

Sec. 58-193 - Enforcement; rules and regulations

**Chapter 74 - TAXATION, ARTICLE II. - REAL PROPERTY TAXATION, DIVISION 1. - GENERALLY, Sec. 74-39 - Tax billing information form**

Sec. 74-39 - Tax billing information form

**Chapter 74 - TAXATION, ARTICLE III. - REAL ESTATE TRANSFER TAX, Sec. 74-101 - Definitions; Sec. 74-102 - Tax imposed, Subsection (b); Sec. 74-104 - Payment of a tax, Subsection (a); Sec. 74-105 - Real estate transfer declaration; Sec. 74-107 - Filing of real property transfer declaration, Subsection (a); Sec. 74-109 - Tax Stamps, Subsection (a)-(d); Sec. 74-110 - Open transactions; Sec. 74-112 - Maintaining books and records; Sec. 74-113 - Rules and regulations**

Sec. 74-101 - Definitions

Sec. 74-102 - Tax imposed

Sec. 74-104 - Payment of a tax

Sec. 74-105 - Real estate transfer declaration

Sec. 74-107 - Filing of real property transfer declaration

Sec. 74-109 - Tax Stamps

Sec. 74-110 - Open transactions

Sec. 74-112 - Maintaining books and records

Sec. 74-113 - Rules and regulations

**PART II - LAND DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCES****Chapter 102 - BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, ARTICLE II. - VACANT BUILDINGS, Sec. 102-21. - Termination, Subsections (c)(1) and (d)(1) and Sec. 102-23 - Demolition of open, hazardous, residential and commercial buildings, Subsection (3).**

Sec. 102-21 - Termination

Sec. 102-23 - Demolition of open, hazardous, residential and commercial buildings.

**Chapter 102 - BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, ARTICLE III. - BUILDING CODE, Sec. 102-103 - Rules and Definitions**

Sec. 102-103 - Rules and Definitions

**Chapter 122 - SUBDIVISION CONTROL, Sec. 122-3 - Definitions; Sec. 122-6 - Violations and penalties; Sec. 122-8 - Procedure and general requirements for subdivision plats, Subsection h. -i.; and Sec. 122-10 - Final subdivision record plats, Subsections (c) and (f).**

Sec. 122-3 - Definitions

Sec. 122-6 - Violations and penalties

Sec. 122-8 - Procedure and general requirements for subdivision plats

Sec. 122-10 - Final subdivision record plats

**Appendix A - ZONING, ARTICLE 8. - GENERAL PROVISIONS, Sec. 8.9 - Miscellaneous**

Sec. 8.9 - Miscellaneous

**Appendix A - ZONING, ARTICLE 9. - PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, Sec. 9-6 - Final Plan Approval, Subsections 9.6.1; 9.6.7; and 9.6.8**

Sec. 9-6 - Final Plan Approval

**Appendix A - ZONING, ARTICLE 11. - OFF-STREET PARKING AND LOADING SPACE, Sec. 11.2 - Off-Street Parking Space, Subsection 11.2.3 B. 4.**

Sec. 11.2 - Off-Street Parking Space

**Appendix A - ZONING, ARTICLE 14. - RULES AND DEFINITIONS, Sec. 14.2 - Definitions, Section 14.2.1**

14.2. - Definitions.

**Effective date:** This ordinance shall be in effect immediately.

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