



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County
Minutes of the Technology and Innovation Committee**

Wednesday, July 15, 2026

1:00 PM

**Cook County Building, Board Room,
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

Issued on: 7/9/2026

ATTENDANCE

Present: K. Morrison, Aguilar, Degnen, McCaskill, Miller, Scott, Trevor and Vásquez (8)

Absent: S. Morrison (1)

Chairman K. Morrison asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code.

PUBLIC TESTIMONY

No Public Speakers

[26-1987](#)

COMMITTEE MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 6/10/2026

A motion was made by Commissioner Trevor, seconded by Commissioner Scott, to approve 26-1987. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Morrison, Aguilar, Degnen, Miller, Scott, Trevor and Vásquez (7)

Absent: Morrison and McCaskill (2)

[26-1492](#)

Presented by: F. THOMAS LYNCH, Chief Information Officer, Bureau of Technology

PROPOSED CONTRACT AMENDMENT (TECHNOLOGY)

Department(s): Bureau of Technology

Vendor: Ensono LLC, Downers Grove, Illinois

Request: Authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to extend and increase contract

Good(s) or Service(s): Mainframe and Dedicated Hosting Services

Original Contract Period: 8/1/2021 - 7/31/2024 with one (1) one-year renewal option

Proposed Amendment Type: Extension and Increase

Proposed Contract Period: Extension period 8/1/2026 - 7/31/2028

Total Current Contract Amount Authority: \$38,731,534.47

Original Approval (Board or Procurement): Board, 7/29/2021, \$22,184,453.00

Increase Requested: \$5,945,518.64

Previous Board Increase(s): 10/24/2024, \$16,547,081.47

Previous Chief Procurement Officer Increase(s): N/A

Previous Board Renewals: N/A

Previous Chief Procurement Officer Renewals: 7/30/2024, 8/1/2024 - 7/31/2025

Previous Board Extension(s): 10/24/2024, 8/1/2025 - 7/31/2026

Previous Chief Procurement Officer Extension(s): N/A

Contract Utilization: The Contract-Specific goal set on this Contract is Zero.

Potential Fiscal Impact: FY 2026 \$907,586.44, FY 2027 \$2,722,759.32, FY 2028 \$1,815,172.88

Accounts: 11000.1490.15050.540135.00000.00000 Program 15050

Contract Number(s): 2107-18733

Concurrence:

BOT concurs with this procurement.

Summary: The Bureau of Technology respectfully submits a request to amend the contract with Ensono LLC (Ensono). Amendment #4 will provide the necessary time to properly plan, coordinate, and execute the migration of hosting services to future vendor solutions while ensuring continuity of operations and minimizing operational risk. This Ensono amendment provides for the continued 24x7x365 hosting and support of two (2) private cloud hosting environments. The services covered under this amendment include the following:

- Non-Production, Production and Disaster Recovery environments are provided for the IPTS solution. The services directly support the Assessor, Clerk and Treasurer offices.
- Disaster Recovery services are provided for the Clerk of the Circuit Court's Odyssey Case Management System.

The Bureau of Technology successfully negotiated the proposed amendment, which includes a 17% rate increase over the current 2024 pricing. The negotiated rates would remain fixed for the duration of the two-year amendment term. In addition, the County will retain the flexibility to terminate services without penalty, provided a 90-day notice is given to Ensono.

This is a Sole Source Procurement pursuant to Section 34-139 of the Cook County Procurement Code.

A motion was made by Commissioner Scott, seconded by Commissioner Vásquez, to recommend for approval 26-1492. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Morrison, Aguilar, Degnen, Miller, Scott, Trevor and Vásquez (7)

Absent: Morrison and McCaskill (2)

[26-1268](#)

Presented by: THOMAS J. DART, Sheriff of Cook County

PROPOSED CONTRACT (TECHNOLOGY)

Department(s): Cook County Sheriff's Office

Vendor: Insight Public Sector, Inc. Chandler, Arizona

Request: Authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to enter into and execute contract

Good(s) or Service(s): Benchmark Employee Performance Management System

Contract Value: \$3,193,975.96

Contract period: 6/1/2026 - 5/31/2029

Contract Utilization: The contract-specific goal set on this contract was zero.

Potential Fiscal Year Budget Impact: FY 2026 \$1,013,156.53; FY 2027 \$1,063,814.36; FY 2028 \$1,117,005.07

Accounts: 11100.1217.15050.540135 - Maintenance & Subscription Services

Contract Number(s): 2517-11040

Concurrence:

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Summary: The Cook County Sherriff's Office is requesting authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to enter into and execute a contract with Insight Public Sector, Inc. Chandler, Arizona, for the continuation of utilizing the Employee Performance Management System. This system is utilized to quantify employee performance related to mission fulfilment, training engagement, and employee job performance.

This is a Comparable Government Procurement pursuant to Section 34-140 of the Procurement Code. Insight Public Sector was previously awarded a contract through a Request for Proposal process by OMNIA Partners, a national government purchasing cooperative in cooperation with Cobb County, Georgia. Cook County wishes to leverage this procurement effort.

A motion was made by Commissioner Aguilar, seconded by Commissioner Trevor, to recommend for approval as amended 26-1268. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Morrison, Aguilar, Degnen, Miller, Scott, Trevor and Vásquez (7)

Absent: Morrison and McCaskill (2)

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Scott, seconded by Commissioner Aguilar, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:

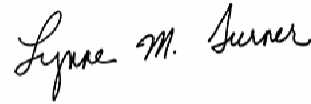
Ayes: Morrison, Aguilar, Degnen, Miller, Scott, Trevor and Vásquez (7)

Absent: Morrison and McCaskill (2)

Respectfully submitted,



Chairman



Secretary

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