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AGENDA

COOK COUNTY COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Thursday, January 29, 2026

10:00 AM

This meeting will be conducted in-person on Thursday, January 29, 2026 at 69 W. Washington, 22nd Floor, Conference Room F, Chicago, IL 60602. To access this meeting virtually via Microsoft Teams, please visit:

<https://www.cookcountyl.gov/service/commission-human-rights-meetings-commissioners>.

If you wish to make a public comment, please submit notice at

<https://forms.office.com/g/CbqFVbG3WW> by 9:00 A.M. on January 29, 2026.

Written comments will be read into the record at the beginning of the meeting. Three minutes per comment will be allowed, though every effort will be made to read statements in their entirety. Written comments will be read into the record at the beginning of the meeting. Three minutes per comment will be allowed, though every effort will be made to read statements in their entirety. Authorized public speakers who are not present during the specified time for public testimony will forfeit their allotted time to speak at the meeting. Persons authorized to provide public testimony shall not use vulgar, abusive, or otherwise inappropriate language when addressing the Board. Failure to act appropriately, failure to speak to an item that is germane to the meeting, or failure to adhere to the time requirements may result in expulsion from the meeting and/or disqualify the person from providing public testimony.

Open Session¹

- A. Call to Order
- B. Statements by the General Public
- C. Agenda Approval
- D. Approval of the November 13, 2025, Regular Meeting Open Minutes
- E. Commissioners' Updates
 - a. Best wishes and special thank you, Commissioner Amber Smock!
- F. Director's Report
- G. Investigation Extension Requests - Commission Review and Vote
 - a. 2025PA00456
 - b. 2025PL00458
 - c. 2025E00406
 - d. 2025PL00470
 - e. 2025PA00473
 - f. 2025H00488
 - g. 2025E00490
 - h. 2025PL00501

- i. 2025H00439
- j. 2025E00427
- k. 2025PL00262
- l. 2025PL00278
- m. 2025E00281
- n. 2025PL00283
- o. 2025PL00285
- p. 2025H00287
- q. 2025PL00295
- r. 2025PL0494
- s. 2025PA0476
- t. 2025E0449
- u. 2025PL0441
- v. 2025E0436
- w. 2025ESL0301
- x. 2025E0299
- y. 2025PL0288
- z. 2025H0284
- aa. 2025PL0282
- bb. 2025PL0279
- cc. 2025PL0271
- dd. 2025PL0275
- ee. 2025PL0270
- ff. 2024PL0250
- gg. 2024PL0210
- hh. 2024E0177
- ii. 2025H00276
- jj. 2025PA00445

Executive Session

- H. Review of November 13, 2025, Regular Meeting Closed Minutes
- I. Intervention - Circuit Court Case No. 25L014516 - Review
- J. Administrative Hearings Order - 2023PA005 (2023PA00150) - Review
- K. 2025E00373 Request for Reconsideration - Review

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- L. Voting Regarding Executive Session Items, if any
- M. Adjourn

¹ Open sessions of the Board meeting may be recorded by members of the public with advanced permission of the Executive Director and after giving proper notice of the intent to record to all persons attending to be recorded, consistent with Board Rule 3.12.

² The Board shall enter Executive Session pursuant to subsections (c)(4), (11) of Section 2 of the Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120).