



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County
Report of the Finance Subcommittee on Labor**

Monday, September 8, 2014

**9:40 AM Cook County Building, Board Room, Rm. 569
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

SECTION 1

ATTENDANCE

Present: Vice Chairman García, Commissioners Gainer, Reyes and Sims (4)

Absent: Chairman Murphy, Commissioners Butler and Fritchey (3)

PUBLIC TESTIMONY

Vice Chairman García asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code, Sec. 2-107(dd).

1. George Blakemore, Concerned Citizen

14-4246

Presented by: TRACEY LADNER, Chief, Bureau of Human Resources

Sponsored by: TONI PRECKWINKLE, President, Cook County Board

PROPOSED RESOLUTION

COALITION OF UNIONIZED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES (COUPE) COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the Illinois Public Employee Labor Relations Act (5 ILCS 315/1 et seq.) has established regulations regarding collective bargaining with a union; and

WHEREAS, a Collective Bargaining Agreement for the period of December 1, 2012 through November 30, 2016, effective the date of approval by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, has been negotiated between the County of Cook and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees (COUPE); and

WHEREAS, salary adjustments and general wage increases have already been approved and are reflected in Appendix A included in the Collective Bargaining Agreement negotiated between the County of Cook and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees (COUPE).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Cook County Board of Commissioners does hereby refer to the Finance Subcommittee on Labor for review and approval this Collective Bargaining Agreement between the County of Cook and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees (COUPE) as provided by the Bureau of Human Resources.

Legislative History: 7/23/14 Board of Commissioners referred to the Finance Subcommittee on Labor

A motion was made by Commissioner Gainer, seconded by Commissioner Reyes, that this Resolution be Recommended for Approval. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Vice Chairman García, Commissioners Gainer, Reyes and Sims (4)

Absent: Chairman Murphy, Commissioners Butler and Fritchey (3)

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Gainer, seconded by Commissioner Reyes, that this committee be adjourned. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Vice Chairman García, Commissioners Gainer, Reyes and Sims (4)

Absent: Chairman Murphy, Commissioners Butler and Fritchey (3)

SECTION 2

**YOUR COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING ACTION
WITH REGARD TO THE MATTERS NAMED HEREIN:**

File 14-4246

Recommended for Approval

Respectfully submitted,



Vice Chairman García


Secretary

*A video recording of this meeting is available at <https://cook-county.legistar.com>