

# BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COOK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Cook County Building, Board Room 118 N. Clark Chicago Illinois

**Consent Agenda** 

Thursday, July 29, 2021, 10:00 AM

**Third Set** 

## 21-4425

**Sponsored by:** TONI PRECKWINKLE (President), DENNIS DEER, FRANK J. AGUILAR, ALMA E. ANAYA, LUIS ARROYO JR, SCOTT R. BRITTON, JOHN P. DALEY, BRIDGET DEGNEN, BRIDGET GAINER, BRANDON JOHNSON, BILL LOWRY, DONNA MILLER, STANLEY MOORE, KEVIN B. MORRISON, SEAN M. MORRISON, PETER N. SILVESTRI, DEBORAH SIMS and LARRY SUFFREDIN, Cook County Board of Commissioners

## PROPOSED RESOLUTION

# RECOGNIZING CHAIRMAN HILL HAMMOCK FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICES TO COOK COUNTY HEALTH

**WHEREAS,** M. Hill Hammock was appointed by Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle and approved by the Cook County Board of Commissioners to serve as a Director of the Cook County Health and Hospitals System Board effective July 17, 2013; and

WHEREAS, M. Hill Hammock's extensive background in finance and government administration have made him a valued member of the Board; and,

**WHEREAS,** M. Hill Hammock was nominated and elected by the Cook County Health Board of Directors to serve as Chairman of the Board initially in July 2014; and,

**WHEREAS,** M. Hill Hammock was again nominated and elected by the Cook County Health Board of Directors to serve as Chairman in 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020; and,

WHEREAS, in addition to serving as Chairman of the Board of Directors, M. Hill Hammock has also served as an ex-officio member of all of the Cook County Health Board's standing committees which include the committees on Audit and Compliance, Finance, Human Resources, Managed Care and Quality and Patient Safety; and,

WHEREAS, as Board Chairman, M. Hill Hammock emphasized the use of metrics to evaluate performance of the health system's finances, programs and services; and,

**WHEREAS,** under the leadership of M. Hill Hammock, Cook County Health developed and implemented two strategic plans, namely Impact 2020 and Impact 2023; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure on the Cook County Health Board, eight proposed preliminary budgets were approved by the CCH Board and submitted to the Cook County Board for consideration and inclusion in the President's Executive Budget Recommendation; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as Board Chairman, the Cook County Health Board approved the opening of new and modern facilities to better serve Cook County Health patients, specifically, the new Professional Building located on the central campus and new community health centers in Arlington

Heights, Blue Island and North Riverside, Provident Hospitals' new free standing Dialysis Center and the soon to open new community health center in Belmont Cragin; and

WHEREAS, M. Hill Hammock has provided sound advice and counsel to CCH leadership.

**NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED,** that the President Preckwinkle and the Cook County Board of Commissioners express their thanks and gratitude to M. Hill Hammock for his hard work and dedication to Cook County Health and his service to the residents of Cook County.

#### 21-4433

Sponsored by: KEVIN B. MORRISON, Cook County Board of Commissioners

### PROPOSED RESOLUTION

### A RESOLUTION HONORING BARTLETT FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT FIRE CHIEFS

**WHEREAS**, the Bartlett Fire Protection District Deputy Fire Deputy Chief Brian Becker and Battalion Chief Denice Maiz have conferred the designation of Chief Fire Officer; and

WHEREAS, Becker and Maiz were conferred by the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the designation of Chief Fire Officer is the highest fire officer certification in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the credentialing process evaluates fire professionals' training, education, community involvement, professional contributions, and future professional development goals; and

**WHEREAS,** the CFO designation program uses a comprehensive peer review model to evaluate candidates seeking the CFO credential. The program prepares individuals for future success and advanced leadership skills; and

WHEREAS, Chiefs Becker and Maiz carry out the mission of the Bartlett Fire Protection District every day to preserve lives and property in our community by providing services directed at the prevention of fires, accidents, and other emergencies while maintaining the highest standards of professionalism, efficiency, and effectiveness; and

WHEREAS, this commitment by these individuals and the District to continue professional development leads to safer communities; and

WHEREAS, the example set by these individuals demonstrates the incredible public servants in the 15th District; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Cook County Board of Commissioners do hereby

honor Deputy Chief Brian Becker and Battalion Chief Denice Maiz of the Bartlett Fire Protection District for this distinguished certification; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that suitable copies of this resolution are presented to the Bartlett Fire Protection District, Deputy Chief Brian Becker, and Battalion Chief Denice Maiz.