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Please provide some basic information

Witness Name:	Steve Norvilas
Organization (if any):	Pleasantview Fire Protection District
City/Town:	La Grange
State:	IL
ZIP:	60525

Q2

Tell us which meeting you wish to be recorded as a witness. If you don't know the meeting or date, we can help at 312.603.6398 or cookcounty.board@cookcountyil.gov. You can also look up using the County Calendar or the Forest Preserve Calendar. Please fill out a separate form for each meeting at which you wish to speak.

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Tell us the File ID number (example 17-0000) of the item on which you are registering your position. If you don't know the number, we can help at 312.603.6398 or cookcounty.board@cookcountyil.gov. You can also look it up using the County Calendar or the Forest Preserve Calendar

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Q4

What do you want to do?

PROVIDE WRITTEN COMMENT FOR INFORMATION
ONLY (You may add written comments below)

Q5

Written Statement? You can type or copy/paste any written statement you want included in the meeting record here. If this is not enough space, or you have other attachments for distribution, please email them to cookcounty.board@cookcountyil.gov

The Pleasantview Fire District protects multiple jurisdictions in Cook County. We provide fire and EMS service to the Villages of Hodgkins, Indian Head Park, and Burr Ridge, the City of Countryside as well as a large unincorporated area of Cook County known as the La Grange Highlands. As a Fire District property tax equates to over 90% of our revenue, with limited revenue streams our financial planning can be challenging and continuous revenue is key to our success. While we plan for purchases and carry reserve funds for emergencies we will not be able to absorb a six month delay in property tax revenue. If this were to occur we would have to make difficult decisions on how to proceed. I am concerned that this would equate to service reductions for the residents we are proud to serve. I am respectfully requesting that Cook County overcomes this hurdle so the second installment can go out as scheduled. Thank you for the ability to submit testimony.

Steve Norvilas
Fire Chief
Pleasantview Fire Protection District

Q6

Submitting written testimony only

Please Indicate if you are only submitting written testimony or if you wish to address the Committee live (virtually) at the meeting.

Q7

If requesting to address the Committee live (virtually), please provide an email address and phone number (This is required to receive and an invitation to the virtual meeting).

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