

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF COOK COUNTY Cook County Building, Board Room, 118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois

Consent Agenda

for the

Meeting of the Board of Commissioners

Wednesday, November 18, 2015, 11:00 AM

15-6472

Sponsored by: JOHN P. DALEY, County Commissioner, TONI PRECKWINKLE, President, LUIS ARROYO JR, RICHARD R. BOYKIN, JERRY BUTLER, JOHN A. FRITCHEY, BRIDGET GAINER, JESÚS G. GARCÍA, GREGG GOSLIN, STANLEY MOORE, SEAN M. MORRISON, JOAN PATRICIA MURPHY, TIMOTHY O. SCHNEIDER, PETER N. SILVESTRI, DEBORAH SIMS, ROBERT STEELE, LARRY SUFFREDIN and JEFFREY R. TOBOLSKI, County Commissioners

PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN HONOR OF MATTHEW WATERS - EAGLE SCOUT

WHEREAS, on behalf of all of the Citizens of Cook County we, the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County, wish to recognize the attainment of high honor by young Citizens of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Waters has demonstrated strong leadership abilities and has exhibited a strong sense of duty, honor, and patriotism making him a clear example of the best qualities of American youth; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Waters has completed the arduous and demanding requirements necessary to be awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT, the highest honor given by the Boy Scouts of America; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County does hereby congratulate Matthew Waters on being awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this text be spread upon the Official Proceedings of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy of the same be tendered to Matthew Waters, in commemoration of this occasion and acknowledgment of his hard work and achievement.

15-6473

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN HONOR OF FRANCIS JEROME REGAN- EAGLE SCOUT

WHEREAS, on behalf of all of the Citizens of Cook County we, the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County, wish to recognize the attainment of high honor by young Citizens of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Francis Jerome Regan has demonstrated strong leadership abilities and has exhibited a

strong sense of duty, honor, and patriotism making him a clear example of the best qualities of American youth, and

WHEREAS, Francis Jerome Regan has completed the arduous and demanding requirements necessary to be awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT, the highest honor given by the Boy Scouts of America; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County does hereby congratulate Francis Jerome Regan on being awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this text be spread upon the Official Proceedings of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy of the same be tendered to Francis Jerome Regan, in commemoration of this occasion and acknowledgment of his hard work and achievement.

15-6474

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN HONOR OF JUSTIN A. AUBIN- EAGLE SCOUT

WHEREAS, on behalf of all of the Citizens of Cook County we, the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County, wish to recognize the attainment of high honor by young Citizens of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Justin A. Aubin has demonstrated strong leadership abilities and has exhibited a strong sense of duty, honor, and patriotism making him a clear example of the best qualities of American youth; and

WHEREAS, Justin A. Aubin has completed the arduous and demanding requirements necessary to be awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT, the highest honor given by the Boy Scouts of America; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County does hereby congratulate Justin A. Aubin on being awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this text be spread upon the Official Proceedings of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy of the same be tendered to Justin A. Aubin, in commemoration of this occasion and acknowledgment of his hard work and achievement.

15-6475

Sponsored by: JOHN P. DALEY, County Commissioner, TONI PRECKWINKLE, President, LUIS ARROYO JR, RICHARD R. BOYKIN, JERRY BUTLER, JOHN A. FRITCHEY, BRIDGET GAINER, JESÚS G. GARCÍA, GREGG GOSLIN, STANLEY MOORE, SEAN M. MORRISON, JOAN PATRICIA MURPHY, TIMOTHY O. SCHNEIDER, PETER N. SILVESTRI, DEBORAH SIMS, ROBERT STEELE, LARRY SUFFREDIN and JEFFREY R. TOBOLSKI, County Commissioners

PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN HONOR OF DANIEL VINCENT KILROY- EAGLE SCOUT

WHEREAS, on behalf of all of the Citizens of Cook County we, the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County, wish to recognize the attainment of high honor by young Citizens of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Vincent Kilroy has demonstrated strong leadership abilities and has exhibited a strong sense of duty, honor, and patriotism making him a clear example of the best qualities of American youth; and

WHEREAS, Daniel Vincent Kilroy has completed the arduous and demanding requirements necessary to be awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT, the highest honor given by the Boy Scouts of America; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County does hereby congratulate Daniel Vincent Kilroy on being awarded the rank of EAGLE SCOUT; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this text be spread upon the Official Proceedings of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy of the same be tendered to Daniel Vincent Kilroy, in commemoration of this occasion and acknowledgment of his hard work and achievement.

15-6556

Sponsored by: RICHARD R. BOYKIN, County Commissioner

PROPOSED RESOLUTION

COMMENDING ALL THE PAST RECORDERS OF DEEDS AND THEIR FAMILIES FOR THEIR PUBLIC SERVICE

WHEREAS, The Cook County Recorder of Deeds accurately records, stores and maintains land records and other official documents in perpetuity for public and private use, facilitating home ownership and mortgage lending, a public duty that can be traced back to the Old Testament where Jeremiah said "...So I took the evidence of the purchase, both that which was sealed according to the law and custom, and that which was open...and in the presence of the witnesses that subscribed the book of the purchase...Thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, Take these evidences, this evidence of the purchase, both which is sealed, and this evidence which is open; and put them in an earthen vessel, that they may

continue many days..."; and

WHEREAS, Though the official minister of such land records offices have taken many titles throughout the centuries, such as recorder of deeds, registrar of titles, register of deeds, and registrar of deeds, the purpose of the office has remained the same: to provide a public registry of land so as to effectuate the ownership of property; and

WHEREAS, The Cook County Recorder of Deeds, under the leadership of Recorder Karen A. Yarbrough, has undertaken its first known effort to trace and document the history of the Cook County Recorder's office, an effort that included searches through newspaper archives, historical photo registries, and visits to warehouses holding documents over one hundred years old, and

WHEREAS, Recorder Yarbrough's staff has compiled all photos of past recorders along with historical photos relevant to the history of Chicago and Cook County, and installed a permanent display of the office's history, a display that charts the history of the Office from 1831 alongside other significant historical events both in the Chicago area and around the world, and

WHEREAS, On this day, November 18, 2015, the Recorder's Office welcomed all past living recorders - Jesse White, Carol Mosely Braun, and Eugene Moore - as well as family members of Recorder Harry "Bus" Yourell, Recorder Edmund J. Kucharski, and Recorder Joseph T. Baran, and officially unveiled the display to the public, an act to both strengthen the public record and honor those who have served in this most important role, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, commend Recorder Yarbrough and the staff of the Recorder's Office for demonstrating pride in their duties and for working to make the duties and history of the office known to more people, and to make the public's visit to the Office - whether it be to utilize office services or for research - an educational experience, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the members of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, commend all the past Recorders of Deeds and their families for their public service, and present to them each a copy of this Resolution as a token of our gratitude and esteem.