



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

Consent Agenda

Tuesday, November 14, 2017, 9:00 AM

Third Set

17-9978

Sponsored by: TONI PRECKWINKLE (President), Cook County Board of Commissioners

PROPOSED RESOLUTION**HONORING PASTOR EARL GRANDBERRY SR. AND TRUE ROCK MINISTRIES**

WHEREAS, Pastor Earl Grandberry Sr., the Founding & Senior Pastor of True Rock Ministries, has been the Pastor for 34 years and has made significant contributions to the African-American community and to the residents of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Pastor Grandberry's family, his wife of 47 years Pastor Clarice Grandberry and their children and grandchild, provides spiritual leadership and serve both the church and the community; and

WHEREAS, Senior Pastor Earl Grandberry Sr. and True Rock Ministries, with the help of God, provide programs that ensure a safe place for children and youth, encourage seniors to active and healthy lifestyles, offer couples classes for married and engaged couples and have a singles program of joy in the service of the Lord; and

WHEREAS, this Thanksgiving, True Rock Ministries will feed 1,000 families, 100 veterans, feed and clothe the homeless, and pass out toys to children.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President and the Cook County Board of Commissioners, on behalf of the residents of Cook County, recognize Earl Grandberry Sr. and True Rock Ministries for their essential contribution to the health and viability of Cook County.

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION**HONORING MASONIC TEMPLE PRINCE HALL**

WHEREAS, Prince Hall Freemasonry is the oldest, continually-active, African-American fraternal organization within the State of Illinois and has made significant contributions to the African-American community and to the residents of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, the fraternity, named after Prince Hall, an African-American abolitionist, is dedicated to making good men better through service to mankind and are celebrating the 300 year anniversary of the establishment of Freemasonry in England; and

WHEREAS, Masonic Temple Prince Hall has fought for the abolition of slavery and justice for all

citizens beginning with its founder, Prince Hall, 150 years ago; and

WHEREAS, Masonic Temple Prince Hall has a tradition of feeding the needy during Thanksgiving season; and

WHEREAS, on Thursday, November 24, 2017, 4th Ward Alderman Sophia King will join Masonic Temple Prince Hall in celebrating 20,000 meals served over 50 years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President and the Cook County Board of Commissioners, on behalf of the residents of Cook County, recognize Masonic Temple Prince Hall for their essential contribution to the health and viability of Cook County.