



# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street  
Chicago, IL

## Legislation Text

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### PROPOSED RESOLUTION

#### RESOLUTION CELEBRATING PRECIOUS BRADY-DAVIS ON HER APPOINTMENT AS A COMMISSIONER FOR THE METROPOLITAN WATER RECLAMATION DISTRICT OF GREATER CHICAGO

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis was appointed as Commissioner to the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago in July 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Brady-Davis is the first Black, transgender woman appointed to public office in Cook County; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Brady-Davis is the first transgender person to serve on a water reclamation board in U.S. history; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Brady-Davis will make decisions on land use and conservation, stormwater and wastewater management, and green infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis is a dedicated climate activist including serving as a communications director at Sierra Club; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis has been a longtime LGBTQ+ leader and activist; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis launched and led a Centers for Disease Control HIV Prevention program at Center On Halsted, a LGBTQ+ center in Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis wrote a bestselling book, *I Have Always Been Me*, detailing her life as a Black, trans woman; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis is a loving and dedicated spouse to Myles Brady-Davis and parent to two beautiful children; and

**WHEREAS**, Precious Brady-Davis is paving an inspiring and groundbreaking path in making history with her appointment; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the Cook County Board of Commissioners do hereby offer our congratulations to Precious Brady-Davis on her historic appointment; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Precious Brady-Davis.