



# Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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Chicago, IL

## Legislation Details

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<b>File #:</b>	14-5591	<b>Version:</b>	1	<b>Name:</b>	Dental Insurance Benefits Contract Amendment - 12/1/2014 - 11/30/2015
<b>Type:</b>	Contract Amendment	<b>Status:</b>			Approved
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<b>Title:</b>	PROPOSED CONTRACT AMENDMENT				

Department(s): Risk Management

Vendor: First Commonwealth, Inc. wholly owned subsidiary of The Guardian Life Insurance Company of America, Chicago, Illinois

Request: Authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to renew and increase contract

Good(s) or Service(s): Employer-Sponsored Dental Insurance Benefits

Original Contract Period: 12/1/2011 - 11/30/2013, with two (2) one (1) year renewal options

Proposed Contract Period Extension: 12/1/2014 - 11/30/2015

Total Current Contract Amount Authority: \$24,013,382.78

Original Approval (Board or Procurement): 1/18/2012, \$8,000,000.00

Previous Board Increase(s) or Extension(s): 12/4/2013, \$16,013,382.78, Renewal 12/1/2013 - 11/30/2014

Previous Chief Procurement Officer Increase(s) or Extension(s): N/A

This Increase Requested: \$9,062,023.00

Potential Fiscal Impact: FY 2015 \$9,062,023.00

Accounts: 490-177 (899-177, 499-177)

Contract Number(s): 11-87-011B

Concurrences:

The vendor has met the Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise Ordinance.

The Chief Procurement Officer concurs.

Summary: The Department of Risk Management requests authorization for the Chief Procurement Officer to renew The Guardian Life Insurance Company contract # 11-87-011B for employee dental insurance benefits. Guardian provides dental benefits (PPO and HMO) to eligible employees and their dependents. This contract was originally awarded as a result of a Request for Proposals (RFP) in accordance with Cook County Procurement Code. It is a two-year contract with two one-year renewal options; this amendment represents the second and final option for renewal.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** DEANNA ZALAS, Director, Department of Risk Management

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:**

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
11/19/2014	1	Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass