



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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Legislation Text

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION HONORING HENRY INGRAM, WINNER OF COOK COUNTY'S INAUGURAL LGBTQ+ YOUTH ART COMPETITION

WHEREAS, the month of June is recognized as Pride Month, centering and celebrating the history, successes, stories, work, and ongoing issues of the LGBTQ+ community; and

WHEREAS, Cook County has chosen to celebrate this occasion with an art competition for young LGBTQ+ citizens and allies of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, this contest's theme was "Pride is Power" with entries intending to highlight the strength of the LGBTQ+ community against the hate and discrimination experienced by many; and

WHEREAS, the winners of this competition were selected by the LGBTQ+ identifying Cook County Commissioners: Kevin Morrison, Maggie Trevor, and Anthony Quezada; and

WHEREAS, the winners of this competition reflect the lived experiences of the LGBTQ+ community as expressed from their own points of view and whose work has resonated with the theme of the competition; and

WHEREAS, Cook County's strength is in its diversity, and the winners of this competition represent a both powerful and beautiful part of the rich tapestry that is Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Henry Ingram of Winnetka has been selected as the winner of the Cook County 2024 LGBTQ+ Youth Art Competition 18 and older category for their mixed media entry;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Cook County Board of Commissioners does hereby honor Henry Ingram for their outstanding work; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Henry Ingram's entry shall be displayed hereafter in the Cook County Building; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that suitable copies of this resolution are presented to Henry Ingram in recognition of this outstanding accomplishment.