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Title: PROPOSED PAYMENT APPROVAL

Department(s): Office of the Chief Judge, Circuit Court of Cook County

Action: Approve payment of \$26,101.00 to Moor Law Office, P.C., pursuant to 18-cv-1948 and 18-cv-4366

Payee: Moor Law Office, P.C.

Good(s) or Service(s): Legal fees

Fiscal Impact: \$26,101.00

Accounts: 11100-1440-10155-521044, legal fees

Contract Number(s): N/A

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Although the county or the state routinely pays such litigation expenses, both the Cook County State's Attorney and the state have represented they will not approve payment in these matters. As such, it is proposed that the settlement costs be paid from funds appropriated in the budget of the JTDC.

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