



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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Legislation Details

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Type:	Grant Award Renewal	Status:			Approved
File created:	9/24/2019	In control:			Board of Commissioners
On agenda:	10/24/2019	Final action:			10/24/2019
Title:	PROPOSED GRANT AWARD RENEWAL				
	Department: Cook County State's Attorney's Office				
	Grantee: Cook County State's Attorney's Office				
	Grantor: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice				
	Request: Authorization to renew grant				
	Purpose: This award will allow funding for two full-time Assistant State's Attorneys and one full-time Postconviction DNA Specialist to review postconviction DNA cases.				
	Grant Amount: \$816,325.00				
	Grant Period: 1/1/2020 - 12/31/2021				
	Fiscal Impact: None				
	Accounts: N/A				
	Most Recent Date of Board Authorization for Grant: 10/24/2017				
	Most Recent Grant Amount: \$413,419				
	Concurrences: The Budget Department has received all the requisite documents and determined the fiscal impact on Cook County, if any.				
	Summary: Requesting authorization to accept a grant renewal in the amount of \$816,325 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs for the Cook County State's Attorney Office's Postconviction DNA Program. This award will allow continued funding for one full-time Postconviction DNA Assistant State's Attorney (PDA), as well as fund one additional full-time PDA. The award will also allow funding to increase the one grant-funded part-time Postconviction DNA Specialist (PDS) to full-time. The grant-funded staff will be dedicated to work on DNA-related postconviction cases. The PDAs will review and investigate all DNA-related post-conviction cases. The PDS will provide onsite information regarding technical and non-technical DNA issues on a full-time basis in regards to postconviction cases. There is not a match requirement for this funding.				
Sponsors:					
Indexes:	KIMBERLY M. FOXX, Cook County State's Attorney				
Code sections:					
Attachments:					

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