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REPORT

Department: Cook County Commission on Social Innovation

Report Title: Cook County Commission on Social Innovation: Year One Report

Report Period: 2016- 2017

Summary: The Cook County Commission on Social Innovation was established in April 2016 to seek knowledge-based, innovation-driven solutions to social problems relating to unemployment and poverty. Since July 2016, the Commission has been meeting on a regular basis as a whole and through five standing committees - Human Capital, Social Capital, Public Capital, Intellectual Capital, and Financial Capital. The attached report gives an outline of the Commission's history, an overview of the efforts made by the Commission the past year, and its current recommendations.