

## Board of Commissioners of Cook County

118 North Clark Street Chicago, IL

## **Legislation Text**

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## PROPOSED RESOLUTION

## A RESOLUTION HONORING DR. ANUJA GUPTA

WHEREAS, the month of May is recognized as Asian Pacific American Heritage Month; and

WHEREAS, Cook County celebrates the vast contributions made by Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders in our communities; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Anuja Gupta a physician and real estate developer based in Chicago, IL; and

WHEREAS, after practicing as a Cardiologist in Chicago for 10 years she recently switched to pursue a fulltime career in real estate development; and

WHEREAS, she currently serves as the Managing Partner of Verandah Retirement Community, a \$43 Million senior living facility in Schaumburg township, in the 15<sup>th</sup> District, designed to uniquely serve both Indian and American lifestyles; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gupta was the recipient of the Cook County Asian Leadership Award 2019 & 2018, and The Daily Herald Influential Women in Business Award 2018; and

WHEREAS, she is the cofounder of the Women's Empowerment Campaign Chicago (WE), a networking and empowerment platform for Indian & Southeast Asian women entrepreneurs in the Chicagoland; and

WHEREAS, she is also the cofounder of the Voice of Indian-American Voters (VIA) a non-partisan platform for civic engagement. Her other notable accomplishment includes being a board member of the ISKCON temple; and

WHEREAS, she attributes her professional accomplishments to grit & tenacity that help her overcome successively bigger obstacles. Her personal motto is to keep challenging herself to be more impactful; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Gupta is married to Dr. Gaurav Kapoor and has one daughter; and

WHEREAS, Cook County's strength is in its diverse leaders helping their communities and that is evident with Dr. Gupta; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that we, the Cook County Board of Commissioners do hereby honor Dr. Anuja Gupta for the outstanding work she does in Cook County; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Dr. Anuja Gupta.