

# **Lake County Illinois**

*Lake County Courthouse and Administrative Complex  
18 N. County Street  
Waukegan, IL 60085-4351*



## **Agenda Report - Final**

**Tuesday, June 4, 2019**

**8:30 AM**

**Assembly Room, 10th Floor**

**Law and Judicial Committee**

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Addenda to the Agenda
4. Public Comment
5. Chair's Remarks
6. Old Business
7. New Business

**CONSENT AGENDA (Items 7.1-7.5)**

**Approval of Minutes**

**7.1 [19-0909](#)**

**Attachments:** [L&J Minutes 5.7.19 Final](#)

**CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT**

**7.2 [19-0873](#)**

Report from Erin Cartwright Weinstein, Clerk of the Circuit Court, for the month of April 2019.

**Attachments:** [County Board Report FY19 - 04 Apr 050719](#)

**PUBLIC DEFENDER**

**7.3 [19-0955](#)**

Report from Joy Gossman, Public Defender, for the month of April 2019.

**Attachments:** [04-19 Main](#)

[04-19 Main PTR](#)

[04-19 JUV Main](#)

[04-19 JUV PTR](#)

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

**7.4 [19-0907](#)**

Joint resolution approving the re-appropriation of a Justice and Mental Health Collaboration: Planning and Implementation Grant in the amount of \$250,000 for the Lake County Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Program from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs.

- In November 2016, the County Board passed a resolution to accept a Sheriff's Office grant award in the amount of \$250,000 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs to assist with costs associated with implementing a Crisis

Intervention Training (CIT) Program.

- The goal of the grant is to coordinate Crisis Intervention Team training for 395 police officers, corrections officers, and dispatchers throughout Lake County within the grant period expiring in September 2020.
- Funds were initially emergency appropriated concurrently with the acceptance of the grant award in fiscal year 2016, but the budget appropriation was not carried over. No revenue has yet been received nor has any expense been booked in prior fiscal years.
- The grant funded training began in November 2018. Three classes have been completed with 87 public safety professions completing the course.
- Emergency re-appropriation of grant fund revenue and expense in the amount of \$250,000 must be approved in order for the Sheriff's Office to fund the training and seek grant reimbursement.

#### **COURT ADMINISTRATION**

##### **7.5     [19-0906](#)**

Joint resolution authorizing an emergency appropriation in the amount of \$45,000 in funding from the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services and the approval of the renewal of Intergovernmental Agreement No. 2018-55-024-KD for the 19th Judicial Circuit's Access and Visitation Program for state fiscal year 2020.

- The 19th Judicial Circuit receives grant funding from the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services to provide mediation services for never-married parents involved in visitation and custody-related disputes in an effort to increase child support collections from this population.
- The state would like to continue funding the 19th Judicial Circuit's program in the amount of \$45,000 for state FY 2020.
- This access and visitation grant does not require matching funds.
- From July 2017 through June 2018, this program conducted 200 mediations.

#### **REGULAR AGENDA**

##### **STATE'S ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

##### **7.6     [19-0953](#)**

Discussion on Lake County Children's Advocacy Center.

**Attachments:**   [SAO - CAC Presentation for L & J Committee June 4 2019](#)

#### **COURT ADMINISTRATION**

##### **7.7     [19-0905](#)**

Discussion on the Self-Represented Litigants Court Call.

##### **CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT**

##### **7.8     [19-0948](#)**

Ordinance approving the repeal and replacement in entirety of certain sections of Chapter 35 and 70 of the Lake County Code of Ordinances, as well as and County Board Resolution dated September 14, 2004.

- On August 20, 2018, the Illinois Legislature enacted Public Act 100-0987, the

Criminal and Traffic Assessment Act (CTAA), effective July 1, 2019.

- The CTAA, includes various provisions such as:
  - establishing a minimum fine of \$25 for certain offenses;
  - provides when any defendant is convicted, pleads guilty, or placed on court supervision for a violation of a law or local ordinance the court shall order one schedule of assessments in the case plus any conditional assessment applicable to a conviction in the case; and
  - provides that a defendant may petition the court for full or partial waiver of court assessments imposed under the Criminal and Traffic Assessment Act.
- As a result of the CTAA, Lake County's ordinance governing the fees and assessments that the Circuit Court Clerk may charge must be updated to reflect the changes mandated by the CTAA.
- Upon approval of this item and ordinance, the County of Lake, Illinois Code of Ordinances, Sections 35.15, 35.17, 35.19, 35.22, 35.23, 70.01 of the Lake County Code of Ordinances, and County Board Resolution dated September 14, 2004 will be repealed in their entireties and replaced.

**Attachments:** [Fee Ordinance - 2019 - final draft](#)

**7.9 [19-0934](#)**

Presentation on Circuit Court Clerk Finance Functions.

**Attachments:** [LJ Powerpoint-CCFinance](#)

- 8. Executive Session**
- 9. County Administrator's Report**
- 10. Members' Remarks**
- 11. Adjournment**

**Next Meeting: June 25, 2019**