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September 15, 2014

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Honorable Michael G. Nerheim
Lake County State's Attorney's Office
18 North County Street
Waukegan, IL 60085

Dear State's Attorney Nerheim:

As you were previously notified, the Board of Governors of the Office of the State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor voted to increase county contributions for FY15 for counties over 30,000 population at its recent July quarterly meeting. This became necessary due to our Agency's ever-increasing caseload, operational expenses, and the State's severe fiscal constraints.

Again, I wish to stress the fact that this decision was made only after a very complete and careful analysis of our Agency's projected budgetary needs. **This is the first increase in county contributions since 2000.**

By statute, all county contributions are based on the population of participating counties. **The amount due from your county is listed on the enclosed statement.**

In consideration of your contribution, our Agency is ready to serve you in the following areas:

1. Handling criminal and civil appeals;
2. Serving as Special Prosecutor in conflict cases or in cases where there is the appearance of a conflict;
3. Providing specialized service to assist in research, trial, and appeal of drug cases with a particular emphasis on asset tracking and forfeiture;
4. Assisting in the trial and appeal of tax objection cases;
5. Assisting in labor matters arising under the Illinois Public Relations Act; and
6. Providing comprehensive trial advocacy and specialized legal training programs for prosecutors to comply with MCLE credit requirements.

For you use and convenience, I am enclosing a sample resolution for presentation to your County Board. When the enclosed resolution is approved, or one similar to it, kindly return a fully executed copy to our Office.

Thank you again for your participation in our Program and for your active support of our Agency. Please let me know whenever I can be of service.

Looking forward to working with you in the upcoming year.

Very truly yours,


Patrick J. Delfino
Director

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STATEMENT

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Lake County Courthouse
18 North County Street, 4th Floor
Waukegan, Illinois 60085

COLLECTION OF COUNTY MATCHING FUNDS DECEMBER 1, 2014 - NOVEMBER 30, 2015

County fiscal year December 1, 2014, through November 30, 2015. County contribution for participation in the State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor's Program.

AMOUNT DUE: \$42,000.00

Make check payable to State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor's County Fund and remit to:

Gloria Mundy
Chief Fiscal Officer
State's Attorneys Appellate Prosecutor
725 South Second Street
Springfield, Illinois 62704

PLEASE NOTE: A signed resolution must be sent. The resolution serves as your contract with the Agency and must be kept by the Agency for auditing purposes.

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE FOR COUNTY CONTRIBUTIONS ONLY ... do not add payment for labor or special prosecution charges.

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