

## Lake County Illinois

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**Title:** Joint resolution authorizing an intergovernmental agreement between the CenCom E9-1-1 Joint

Emergency Telephone System Board (CenCom JETSB) and Lake County for use of the Lake County Emergency Telephone System Board's (LC ETSB's) Solacom Guardian 9-1-1 call handling system.

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- This Agreement arises under the Emergency Telephone System Act (50 ILCS 750/1 et seq.) and is between the County of Lake, a county existing under the Counties Code (55 ILCS 5/1-1001 et seq.) and acting through LC ETSB and the CenCom E9-1-1 Joint Emergency Telephone System Board ("CenCom JETSB"), an entity formed through an intergovernmental agreement under 50 ILCS 750/15.4. This Agreement shall be effective under the provision below specifying its effective date.
- The LC ETSB Solacom Guardian 9-1-1 call handling system provides Next Generation 9-1-1 capable call handling in a shared environment enabling efficient processing of 9-1-1 calls and system redundancy in accordance with the Lake County ETSB's Vision Statement.

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, the Emergency Telephone System Act authorizes both the LC ETSB and the CenCom JETSB to operate 9-1-1 emergency telephone systems in certain geographic areas within Lake County, Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, the LC ETSB operates a call handling system called "Guardian 9-1-1 Call Handling" made by Solacom, which is a subsidiary of Comtech Telecommunications Corp.

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The LC ETSB's system consists of servers running Solacom software, which are redundantly installed at two locations within Lake County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Guardian 9-1-1 Call Handling system is a Next Generation 9-1-1 system that processes incoming emergency and non-emergency calls for service, and also allows for outbound call processing; and

**WHEREAS**, in conjunction with equipment that CenCom JETSB will independently procure, CenCom JETSB would like to use the LC ETSB's Guardian 9-1-1 Call Handling system for call answering purposes and is willing to pay for the costs incurred to facilitate its use of that system; and

**WHEREAS**, this Agreement memorializes the terms and conditions under which this joint venture will occur; and

**WHEREAS**, Lake County and the CenCom JETSB are authorized by the Illinois Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/1 *et seq.*, to enter into intergovernmental agreements, ventures and undertakings, to perform jointly any governmental purpose, or undertaking, either of them could do singularly.

**NOW, THEREFORE NOW IT BE RESOLVED**, in consideration of the foregoing and the covenants contained in the Agreement, the parties agree that the CenCom JETSB shall be allowed to utilize the Solacom 9-1-1 system.

**DATED** on December 10, 2019.