



# Lake County Illinois

## Legislation Text

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Joint resolution authorizing an emergency appropriation with offsetting revenue in the amount of \$20,000 to support the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Court's Self-Represented Litigant (SRL) Coordinator.

- The Illinois Supreme Court Commission on Access to Justice has awarded the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Court \$20,000 to support the work of the Court's SRL Coordinator.
- Allowable uses for these funds are:
  - Partial funding of the Self-Represented Litigant Coordinator's Salary.
  - Continuation of an early resolution program.
  - Web-site Development to Include a Chat Feature.
  - Supplies and Equipment.
- The Court has received grant funding under this program since Fiscal Year (FY) 2018. The FY 2020 grant is an increase of \$7,000.00 over the FY 2019 amount.
- This resolution authorizes an emergency appropriation of \$20,000. The grant does not require a match.

### RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Supreme Court Commission on Access to Justice has awarded the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Court \$20,000 to support the work of the Court's SRL Coordinator for the grant period of August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, the funding will be used to partially offset the salary of the SRL Coordinator, continue the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Court's early resolution program and aid in the development of a chat feature on the Court's web-site; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Board must authorize an emergency appropriation of \$20,000 to implement this grant.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by this County Board of Lake County, Illinois, that the County Board authorizes an emergency appropriation with offsetting revenue in the amount of \$20,000, to support the work of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Court's SRL Coordinator for the grant period of August 1, 2020 through July 31, 2021.

**DATED** at Waukegan, Illinois, on September 8, 2020.