



RESOLUTION

Supporting Fair Hiring Plan for Cook County Board of Review

WHEREAS, the Hanover Township Board of Trustees does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, each property assessment complaint filed in the county of Cook must be reviewed by each of the Board's three commissioners and their staffs; and

WHEREAS, the Board appeal volume has increased to 250,000 per year from 180,000 only a few years ago; and

WHEREAS, the County Board in recognition of the increased work flow for the Board of Review, has authorized 16 new positions to support the Commissioners in their equal workloads; and

WHEREAS, Board Chairman Dan Patlak has proposed, through his Fair Hiring Plan resolution, that the new positions be distributed among the Commissioners, to achieve equitable assessment review resources for each Commissioner; and

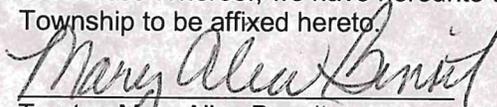
WHEREAS, fair and equitable distribution of resources among commissioners at the Board of Review complements fair adjudication of all appeals by those three commissioners; and

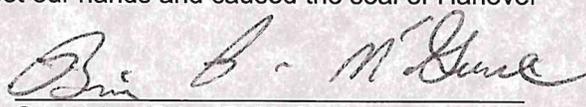
WHEREAS, the hiring of these new analysts must take place in accordance with the Illinois Open Meetings Act in a timely fashion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Hanover Township Board of Trustees, Cook County, Illinois, express its support for Chairman Patlak's Fair Hiring Plan resolution, and urges the Board of Review to adopt Patlak's Fair Hiring Plan forthwith.

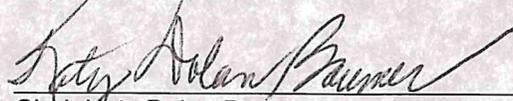
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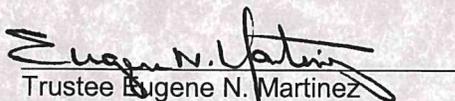
In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto to set our hands and caused the seal of Hanover Township to be affixed hereto.

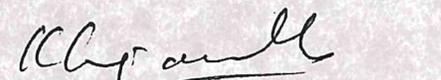

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