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November 16, 2023

RE: Memorandum of Agreement between Cook County and Coalition of Unionized Public Employees

Dear Brothers & Sisters,

Please find the enclosed memorandum of agreement between the County of Cook ("County") and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees ("COUPE"), collectively "the parties" for the term December 1, 2020 through November 30, 2024. The parties wish to extend the term of the collective bargaining agreement by one (1) year. The term of that extension shall be December 1, 2024 through November 30, 2025. If you have any questions, please contact Business Representative John Hosty at 312-841-6337 or by email jhosty@ualocal130.org.

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James F. Coyne Business Manager

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cc: John Hosty, Local 130 Business Representative

Memorandum of Agreement between Cook County and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees

This Memorandum of Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and between the County of Cook ("County") and the Coalition of Unionized Public Employees ("COUPE"), collectively "the parties."

- 1. The County and COUPE are parties to a collective bargaining agreement that has a term from December 1, 2020 and is scheduled to expire on November 30, 2024.
- 2. The parties wish to extend the term of the collective bargaining agreement by one (1) year.
- 3. The term of that extension shall be December 1, 2024 through November 30, 2025.
- 4. Parental Leave. The collective bargaining agreement shall be amended to add a new Section 9.10 that states as follows:

Section 9.10 - Paid Parental Leave

An eligible employee shall be entitled to all benefits provided by applicable federal statute and Cook County ordinance and/or policy. Paid Parental Leave shall be considered an alternative to Maternity/Paternity Leave under Section 9.6, and an employee who chooses paid Parental Leave will not be eligible for additional Maternity/Paternity Leave.

5. Sick Pay. Section 8.2 (a) shall be amended beginning December 1, 2023 through November 30, 2025 as follows:

All bargaining unit employees, other than seasonal employees, shall be granted sick leave with pay at the rate of one (1) working day for every ether month of service, but at no time to exceed one hundred seventy-five (175) working days. Accruals will be carried out in accordance with the bi-weekly payroll system. Employees must be in a pay status for a minimum of five (5) days in a pay period to accrue time in that period. Accrued sick leave will carry over if employees change offices or departments within the County as long as there is no break in service longer than thirty (30) days.

6. Section 13.12 GPS/AVL: Effective December 1, 2023, the collective bargaining agreement shall be amended to add a new Section as follows:

Section 13.12 Global Positioning System (GPS/AVL

In order to ensure the safety of Cook County employees and to promote efficiency and economy of operations, the County may install any recording medium in any of its facilities, and Global Positioning System (GPS) and/or Automatic Vehicle Locator (AVL) on any of its vehicles and other equipment. The purpose of the recording medium, GPS, or AVL is to ensure the safe and efficient use of County resources and not for the sole purpose of disciplining its employees. However, the recording, GPS, and/or AVIL shall be in compliance with all applicable laws. The recording medium, GPS, and/or AVL shall not be used in a discriminatory or harassing manner.

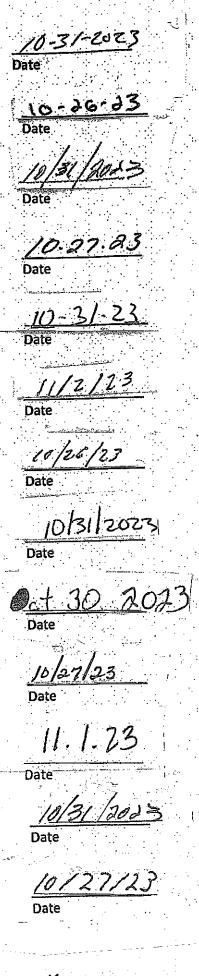
- 7. The duration of the Side Letter of Agreement regarding the seven (7) additional holidays shall be extended through November 30, 2025.
- 8. This Agreement is subject to ratification by the union membership and the Cook County Board of Commissioners. Should either the union membership or the Cook County Board of Commissioners fail to ratify this agreement, the Agreement shall be null and void.
- 9. To the extent that any provision in this Agreement and the collective bargaining agreement conflict, this agreement shall control through November 30, 2025.
- "10. Any dispute as to the application or interpretation of the Agreement shall be resolved exclusively pursuant to the respective CBAs grievance procedures.
 - 11. The Union agrees to release and hold the County harmless from any class action grievance or any other claims concerning wages or other economic terms and conditions of employment known or unknown to the parties as of the date of this agreement. The County shall not be required to respond to any such grievance.

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