



County of Cook
Board of Commissioners
Roll Call

ORDINANCE 11-O-73
POLICY FOR RESPONDING TO ICE DETAINERS
ORDINANCE ADOPTED

ON A MOTION TO APPROVE ORDINANCE 11-O-73 CREATING A POLICY FOR THE COUNTY OF COOK IN REFERENCE TO RESPONDING TO ICE DETAINER REQUESTS.

September 7, 2011

10 YEAS		5 NAYS		1 PRESENT	
P	BEAVERS (D-4)	Y	GARCIA (D-7)	N	SILVESTRI (R-9)
Y	BUTLER (D-3)	N	GORMAN (R-17)	Y	SIMS (D-5)
Y	COLLINS (D-1)	N	GOSLIN (R-14)	E	STEELE (D-2)
N	DALEY (D-11)	Y	MURPHY (D-6)	Y	SUFFREDIN (D-13)
Y	FRITCHEY (D-12)	Y	REYES (D-8)	Y	TOBOLSKI (D-16)
Y	GAINER (D-10)	N	SCHNEIDER (R-15)		

Y = YEA
N = NAY
P = PRESENT
E = EXCUSED ABSENCE

This roll call was prepared and provided by the office of Cook County Commissioner Elizabeth "Liz" Doody Gorman as a service to her constituents.

Synopsis of 11-O-73

Sponsored by

President Toni Preckwinkle and Jesus Garcia, John Fritchey, Bridget Gainer, Joan Patricia Murphy, Edwin Reyes, Deborah Sims, Robert Steele, Larry Suffredin and Jeffrey Tobolski, County Commissioners

Proposed at the Cook County Board Meeting held on September 7, 2011

This ordinance sets the policy of the County of Cook in dealing with ICE Detainer Requests. ICE is the Immigration and Customs Enforcement agency of the Department of Homeland Security. An ICE Detainer is a written request from ICE to law enforcement agencies requesting that local or state agencies hold prisoners in their custody until ICE can interview the subject.

Effect of Ordinance:

- Requires the Sheriff to refuse to honor requests from the Department of Homeland Security, ICE division, to hold persons in custody who are suspected of immigration law violations or other crimes unless the federal government agrees to reimburse all costs associated with holding detainees.
- Prohibits ICE agents from accessing county facilities or individuals for investigative interviews or other purposes, and prohibits County employees from responding to ICE inquiries or communicating with ICE regarding individual's incarceration status or release dates while on duty. ICE may have access to individuals if they have a criminal warrant.
- Prohibits the use of County resources in compliance with ICE detainers.
- Allows for the investigation of County employees who communicate with ICE agents or comply with detainer requests. The Sheriff's Office of Professional Review shall investigate all violations of the ordinance.