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**John P. Daley**  
Chairman  
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**Commissioner - 11th District  
Cook County Board of Commissioners**

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Dr. John Jay Shannon  
Chief Executive Officer  
Cook County Health & Hospital System  
1900 W. Polk Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60612

Dear Dr. Shannon:

To assist the Board of Commissioners in consideration of Item #17-5572 (Executive Budget Recommendation FY18) which was referred to the Finance Committee please provide a written response to the following questions regarding the Cook County Health & Hospital System's FY18 budget recommendation. Also, please be prepared to further discuss the following questions at your Office's budget hearing:

1. How many of FTE's in the CCHHS's FY18 recommendation are in positions related to information technology? What is the total cost of these positions?
2. Can your office provide a breakdown of these positions specifically – i.e, service desks employees, field techs, server engineers, analysts, etc...?
3. How many of FTE's in the CCHHS's FY18 recommendation are in positions related to Human Resources? What is the total cost of these positions?

The consolidation of services across the County may provide an opportunity to reduce costs, increase effectiveness and streamline the County's asset base. Therefore, I ask your cooperation in providing the information requested and also your cooperation and input in any budgetary discussions on this important matter.

Thank you for your prompt response to this inquiry.

Sincerely,

John P. Daley  
Chairman, Finance Committee

cc: Toni Preekwinkle, President  
Board of Commissioners  
John Keller, Chief of Staff  
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