



## RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ADDENDUM

### Title

**AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A MASTER INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT AND OTHER DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO PARTICIPATE IN A PURCHASING COOPERATIVE WITH AT&T, AND AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES UNDER SAID AGREEMENT BY KANE COUNTY**

### **Committee Flow:**

Administration Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

### **Contact:**

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### **Budget Information:**

Was this item budgeted? Yes	Appropriation Amount: \$300,000
If not budgeted, explain funding source: N/A	
Was this item passed through the appropriate committee? Yes	

### **Summary:**

This resolution authorizes Kane County to participate in a cooperative purchasing agreement with AT&T for telecommunications services, based on a contract awarded to AT&T by the State of Illinois. The State conducted a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP) process in 2021 for "Telecom Networks Voice and Data Services," which resulted in a contract with AT&T, offering discounted pricing for a wide range of telecom services. This contract has been extended through June 11, 2025, and allows other governmental entities, including Kane County, to purchase services at the established state contract rates. The Governmental Joint Purchasing Act (30 ILCS 525/0.01 et seq.) permits local governments to procure services under state contracts, and this process aligns with Kane County's Purchasing Ordinance. The Information Technologies Department, in need of telecom services for county offices and departments, has secured a quote from AT&T based on the available pricing under the cooperative agreement. The resolution authorizes the Information Technologies Department to execute the necessary documents to participate in this purchasing cooperative and permits the purchase of telecom services up to an amount of \$300,000 per fiscal year. This agreement will provide Kane County with cost-effective access to essential telecom services, supporting efficient operations across county departments.