



RESOLUTION / ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY ADDENDUM

Title

Approving Accessibility Efforts Related to the County of Kane Website and Agendas for the Kane County Board and its Committees

Committee Flow:

Administration Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

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Budget Information:

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

Summary:

This resolution affirms the Kane County Board's commitment to accessibility and compliance with the United States Department of Justice (DOJ) final rule implementing Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) regarding web content and mobile application accessibility. The DOJ's updated regulations, issued in April 2024, require all public web content and mobile applications provided by state and local governments to meet Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) Version 2.1, Level AA compliance by April 24, 2026.

The County of Kane currently posts agenda packets for the Kane County Board and its committees on its website, including agendas, resolutions, ordinances, and supporting documentation. To comply with the new DOJ standards and ensure accessibility for all members of the public, this resolution establishes that going forward, only ADA-compliant materials such as agendas, resolutions, and ordinances will be posted online. Supporting documentation will remain available for public inspection or copying upon request in accordance with Illinois law but will not be included materials publicly posted online.

This action ensures that all posted meeting materials meet ADA accessibility requirements while maintaining full transparency and compliance with the Open Meetings Act and the Kane County Code.