

SECOND CONSENT CALENDAR AGENDA

**Meeting of the Forest Preserve District of Cook County Board of Commissioners
County Board Room, County Building
Tuesday, November 12, 2013, 10:00 A.M.**

PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS

CONSENT CALENDAR #2

Transmitting a Communication dated November 12, 2013 from
Timothy O. Schneider, County Commissioner

HONORING ARLINGTON ANGLERS FISHING CLUB

WHEREAS, the Arlington Anglers Fishing Club is a fishing club based in Cook County for fishing enthusiasts, the club helps to educate others about the sport of fishing; and

WHEREAS, the Arlington Anglers Fishing Club was founded in 1974 with eight members, today there are seventy members consisting of both boaters and non-boaters, and

WHEREAS, they hold regular monthly meetings at Cabela’s in Hoffman Estates, at regular meetings they host professional anglers to speak and educate its members; and

WHEREAS, the club takes trips to local lakes and rivers like the Chain of Lakes and the Mississippi River and also overnight trips to Wisconsin and Minnesota, on fishing trips the boaters are encouraged to take the non-boaters on these fishing trips; and

WHEREAS, the club is a multi-species and family oriented fishing club, the club promotes fishing, strives to improve members fishing skills and sponsors and volunteers at various fishing outings; and

WHEREAS, they encourage children to participate in fishing events and promotes the practice of “Catch and Release” fishing; and

WHEREAS, on September 28, 2013 the Arlington Anglers volunteered at Commissioner Timothy O. Schneider’s fishing derby, they measured and kept track of the different fish caught to determine the winners in different categories; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, Commissioner Timothy O. Schneider and the Board of Commissioners of the Cook County Forest Preserve District would like to offer a deep appreciation for their contribution to Commissioner Schneider’s fishing derby; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the official proceeding of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy of this resolution be tendered over to the Arlington Anglers.

CONSENT CALENDAR #3

Transmitting a Communication dated November 12, 2013 from

TIMOTHY O. SCHNEIDER, County Commissioner

RECOGNIZING CABELA'S – HOFFMAN ESTATES STORE

WHEREAS, in 2007 Cabela's a specialty retailer with a focus in outdoor gear, opened in Hoffman Estates, located in the 15th District in Cook County; and

WHEREAS, the Hoffman Estates location is a 185,000 square foot mega store that includes a taxidermy museum, dioramas, aquariums, a 26 foot high conservation mountain, a fudge shop and meeting spaces for events and local clubs; and

WHEREAS, Cabela's partners with organizations that are dedicated to wildlife conservation efforts, including The American Sportfishing Association, Quail Forever, The Bass Federation and Sportsman for Fish and Wildlife are just a few of the conservation partners Cabela's works with; and

WHEREAS, Cabela's gives back locally by working with local municipalities and the Cook County Forest Preserve District (CCFPD); and

WHEREAS, Cabela's participated in several of the CCFPD Master Plan meetings; and

WHEREAS, Cabela's has hosted several events at the Crabtree Nature Center in Barrington, including the "Explore the Forest" and many other Leave No Child Inside events at the CCFPD; and

WHEREAS, for the past three years Cabela's has been a sponsor of Commissioner Timothy O. Schneider's Fishing Derby; and

WHEREAS, this year the Fishing Derby was held on September 28, 2013, Cabela's provided bait participants, prizes for the smallest and largest fish caught in various categories and gave each child under eleven participating a fishing pole; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of the Forest Preserve District of Cook County recognizes Cabela's and its generous contributions to Cook County and the Forest Preserve District of Cook County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the official proceedings of this Honorable Body, and a suitable copy is tendered to Cabela's, Hoffman Estate location.