

STATE OF ILLINOIS

DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE

Consolidated Emergency Response :  
Center of Cook County (CERC) ETSB : Case No. 18-C-219  
Application for 9-1-1 Consolidation Plan :

**ORDER OF THE STATEWIDE 9-1-1 ADMINISTRATOR**

**WHEREAS**, the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendations of Administrative Law Judge Daniel P. Schuering in the above-captioned case have been read and examined; and

**WHEREAS**, the record has been read and reviewed;

**WHEREAS**, the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board held a hearing on August 27, 2018 on this Request for Consolidation, at which hearing, the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board voted to recommend approval of the Request for Consolidation;

**WHEREAS**, the rulings of the Administrative Law Judge on admission of evidence and all motions are correct and hereby concurred in by the Administrator; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administrator finds that the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, as stated in the Recommended Decision, are correct, they are hereby adopted as the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law of the Administrator.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Administrator adopts the recommendations as set forth in the Recommended Decision with modifications;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that pursuant to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, as set forth in the Recommended Decision, and upon the advice and recommendation of the Statewide 9-1-1 Advisory Board, the Consolidated Emergency Response Center of Cook County (CERC) ETSB request for approval of its consolidation plan pursuant to Section 15.4a of the Emergency Telephone System Act, 50 ILCS 750/15.4a, is approved.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the CERC consolidation will be completed no later than September 15, 2018.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the CERC 9-1-1 System Service Provider will conduct a P.01 Study and if necessary a Traffic Study to determine the number of 9-1-1 trunks required to serve the CERC in advance of completing the consolidation.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the CERC will file with the Administrator a Wireless 9-1-1 Plan to include Cicero and Stickney for all Carriers no later than September 15, 2018 with an effective date no later than October 1, 2018.

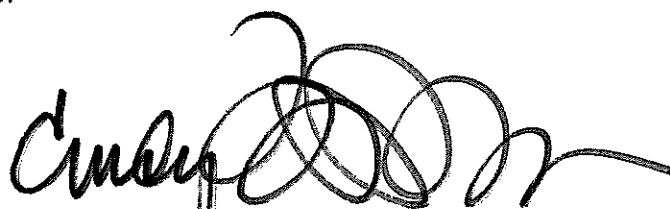
**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the CERC ETSB shall begin to receive Stickney's surcharge payments as defined in 50 ILCS 750/30 beginning October 1, 2018.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Stickney ETSB will transfer any reserve fund balance to the CERC ETSB by December 31, 2018.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Stickney will submit a close out AFR Report by January 31, 2019 that will include the reporting of surcharge and other revenue received, and expenditures made from January 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018 when the surcharge is scheduled to be transitioned to the CERC ETSB. In the event that Stickney has not submitted their close out 2018 AFR by January 31, 2019, surcharge shall be withheld until their close out AFR Reports have been filed and accepted.

This Order is a final administrative decision subject to review under the Administrative Review Law, 735 ILCS 5/3-101 *et seq.* which requires that every action to review such decision shall be commenced by the filing of a complaint and the issuance of summons in the Circuit Court within 35 days from the date that a copy of the decision was served upon the parties.

ENTERED: This 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cindy Barbera-Brelle', with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

Cindy Barbera-Brelle  
Statewide 9-1-1 Administrator  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing document were served upon all parties listed below by electronic mail on August 27, 2018.

  
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