

2021 COOK COUNTY EMPLOYEE CANDIDATE STATEMENT

FOR THE TRUSTEE ELECTION TO BE HELD OCTOBER 27, 2021

- **Candidate Name:** David Evans III
- **Position Sought:** Cook County Employee Trustee
- **Current Job Title:** Deputy Sheriff, Department of Corrections
- **Total Years of Service:** 16 Years



Biographical Information: My name is David Evans III and I have been a Cook County Correctional Officer for over 16 years after I started out a police officer in South Suburban Cook County in the 1990's. I am seeking your vote to be Cook County Pension Board Trustee because I believe that Integrity, Transparency, and Accountability are vital to the health of our pensions, and I want to ensure that those values are present in every decision made about our retirement and disability security.

I am running for your Trustee because I have seen and heard my Cook County Brothers' and Sisters' concerns about getting their disability applications approved and extended in a timely and sensitive fashion. I want to ensure that any time you need to seek disability, that your application is treated with the utmost care and attention, and quickly resolved.

As a Cook County employee, I know the struggles we face in making ends meet when we are injured or need time off work. I'm running to make sure that you can focus on getting better and getting back to work, without all the red tape, doctor's notes, and evaluations. I am also running to be your Trustee because during this time when we are asked to give, give, give and to pay more, more, more while working longer hours and sacrificing our health and safety to COVID-19, that the disability application process runs as smoothly and efficiently as possible for those employees who need it.

Vote for me to be your Cook County Pension Board Trustee and I will fight to ensure that Integrity, Transparency, and Accountability are at the forefront of my service to you.