

# 2021 COOK COUNTY EMPLOYEE CANDIDATE STATEMENT

FOR THE TRUSTEE ELECTION TO BE HELD OCTOBER 27, 2021

- **Candidate Name:** Chante Hall
- **Position Sought:** Cook County Employee Trustee
- **Current Job Title:** Deputy Sheriff, Department of Corrections
- **Total Years of Service:** 10 Years



**Biographical Information:** My name is Chante Hall and I have worked in the Cook County Department of Corrections within the Cook County Sheriffs Office as a Deputy Sheriff/Correctional Officer since March 2011, and I have over 10 years of service.

I served in the US Army within the Army Corps of Engineers during Operation Iraqi Freedom prior to my employment the CCSO from 2002 to 2010. I have been a loyal member of Teamsters Local 700 since my employment and have served as a Union Steward since 2018.

As a Tier 2 employee, I want to help ensure the sustainability of the Pension Fund so that our Tier 1 employees can enjoy a well-deserved pension and fight to assure that our Tier 2 employees can have a pension to look forward to in the future. I want to be a Trustee on the Cook County Pension Fund because I want to be an advocate for annuitants and future retirees. I want to serve the over 20,000 Cook County employees that pay into the pension just like I have sworn to serve and protect the citizens of Cook County. I will assist in the governance over the fund, assist in the regulation and compliance of the fund, assist with investment management of the fund, assist in post employment health coverage, I will help review and approve monthly annuity, disability, and refund cases, and assist with overall fund operations.

As a Master Mason, I served 4 years as the Secretary, and I am currently a Past Worshipful Master of Cook Lodge #7 of M.W. St. John Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M., I am the Grand Associate Patron of St. John Grand Chapter, OES., and I have also received my 33rd degree of Scottish Rite Freemasonry.