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Berge, Chris

From: Oostenryk, Rhonda
Sent: Wednesday, September 21, 2011 11:22 AM
To: Berge, Chris; Thee, Mary
Cc: Cusack, Robert
Subject: Jail Health Professional Liability Insurance
Attachments: Insurance Renewal Health Dept 11-12.doc

Chris,

The County's current insurer (Evanston) is clear that under Sec1983 (civil rights violations) claims, plaintiff's attorney fees, if assessed to the County in a judgment, are NOT covered by this insurance and so would be the County's responsibility.

We have gotten an alternative quote from Lloyd's that contains an endorsement to include this coverage. The Lloyd's prorated quote from 10/1/11 – 6/30/12 is \$37,000 with a \$10,000 deductible.

We believe that Sec 1983 claims are important to insure since the unknown and uninsured potential is large and impacts the County's legal staff in their judgment on the potential costs in not settling a suit.

The recommendation from Todd Boyer (TGT Insurance), myself and Rob Cusack is to switch to Lloyds on October 1st.

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THE COUNTY AUDITOR'S SIGNATURE CERTIFIES
THAT THIS RESOLUTION HAS BEEN FORMALLY
APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ON

DATE

SCOTT COUNTY AUDITOR

R E S O L U T I O N
SCOTT COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

September 29, 2011

APPROVING VARIOUS INSURANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT COSTS FOR
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BE IT RESOLVED BY the Scott County Board of Supervisors as follows:

Section 1. The purchase of professional liability coverage of \$1 million for the Health Department Professional Liability from Llyod's in the annual amount of \$37,000 with a \$10,000 deductible for the aforementioned period is hereby approved.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.