

COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER REPORT FOR MAY 15TH COMMITTEE MEETING

Appointed a new Chief Deputy: Debra Phillips-she comes with over 20 years of experience.

Presently down 2 employees will be interviewing for 1 replacement this month.

The State of Illinois has implanted a statewide increase for all 102 counties for the RHSP (Rental Housing Support Program) fee. It will increase July 1st by \$9.00. The total that each document collects for the program will now be \$19.00. This program was created in 2005 to help with rental assistance. It will make my recording fee increase to \$88.00 for a single document.

Effective June 1st my recording department is implementing a new software program for our Laredo billing. Laredo is our software that our customers use to search documents online with A subscription. Our office is very excited about this move which in turn will create a lot less Paperwork because it is all electronic.

Election Office is getting close to completion, we are waiting on the plaster company to come back and once again work on the south corner of the office where there was leak.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Petersen Lee County Clerk & Recorder