

The Land Bank Authority Fund will use available resources to facilitate the return of vacant, abandoned and tax-delinquent properties to productive use thereby combating community deterioration, creating economic growth and stabilizing the housing and job market. The County Board establishes the Cook County Land Bank Authority which shall be an agency of and funded by Cook County. Revenues are derived from State and miscellaneous sources.

The Governmental Grants Fund is used to fund specific grant programs administered by the County. Revenues are obtained from Federal, State, local and private grant sources.

The HUD Section 108 Loan Program Fund was created to account for the Cook County BUILT IN COOK (HUD Section 108 Loan Guarantee Program). Funds are awarded to eligible public, private or non-profit entities to aid in the retention and creation of new jobs within Suburban Cook County. These funds are awarded as loans with terms negotiated on a per-project basis. Revenues are mainly program income related to the loans and expenditures relate to principal and interest payments to HUD.

The Erroneous Homestead Exemption Fund was created to account for the Erroneous Homestead Exemption program. The purpose of the program is to end abuse of existing erroneous homestead exemptions, stop future abuse of homesteads exemptions, and recoups lost tax district revenue. Revenues are derived from fees received related to this program.

The Sheriff Pharmaceutical Disposal Fund was created to account for the registration fees in accordance with the Cook County Safe Disposal of Pharmaceuticals Ordinance. The purpose of the program is to collect, transport, and dispose of unwanted covered drugs. Revenues are derived from fees received related to this program.

The Motor Fuel Tax Fund was established to provide for the design, construction and maintenance of streets, roads and highways. Revenues are derived from reimbursements from the State, the Federal Government, other governments and other miscellaneous sources. The revenue is derived from the County's share of the State's Motor Fuel Tax on gasoline which is restricted for road/highway construction, improvements and related debt service.

The Other Nonbudgeted Special Revenue Funds consist of miscellaneous funds established to account for all monies designated for use by programs within these funds. The programs are administered by the County, but are not included in the County's Annual Appropriation bill (Budget). The funds are categorized as nonbudgeted because they tend to be temporary in nature. Revenues are derived from Federal, State, and private sources, interest earned on investments, and other taxes.

**Generally all interest earned and miscellaneous revenue is restricted or committed to the specific activity reported in each fund.**