

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)

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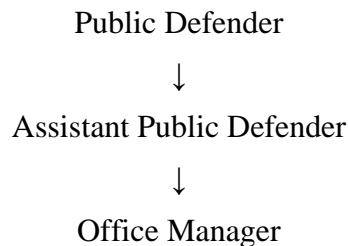
LEE COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER

This Lee County Public Defender is providing the following information in conformance with the Freedom of Information Act 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*

PURPOSE

Pursuant to 55 ILCS 5/2-5003 (a) the Lee County Public Defender is appointed to represent indigent criminal defendants in matters of criminal misdemeanors, felonies, juvenile, abuse & neglect, delinquency, extraditions, post-conviction matters and other indigent persons in matters of mental health commitment.

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



OFFICE LOCATION

The Lee County Public Defender's Office is located on the third floor of the Lee County Court Services Building, 309 South Galena Avenue, Dixon, Illinois 61021

EMPLOYEES/BUDGET

The office employees consist of one office manager, one department head, one assistant public defender and one contractual assistant public defender.

The approximate annual budget for FY19 is \$234,011.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUESTS

Any person may request information and documents by making a clear, concise request to the FOIA officer. The FOIA officer for this office is

Nikki Perez, who can be contacted at the address above or by phone at 815-284-5239. Email contact may be submitted by writing nperez@countyoflee.org.