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## 19TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT ADULT PROBATION OFFICER HONORED

Nineteenth Judicial Circuit Adult Probation Officer Deborah Norman was the recipient of the Illinois Probation and Court Services Association 2018 (IPCSA) President's Award. Norman was presented the award by IPCSA President Mark Krueger at the Fall Conference in Champaign, Illinois.

Krueger stated, "I have been impressed with Deborah's commitment to IPCSA for several years, and have witnessed her incredible work ethic, her loyalty, honesty, dedication, sense of humor, and passion in our field." He continued by saying Norman maintains a high level of professionalism, has thoughtful insight, is committed to IPCSA, and to the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit.

Norman is a 1998 graduate of Western Illinois University. She began her career with Lake County Adult Probation on December 14, 1998, after a successful internship with Cook County Social Services. She was promoted to Senior Probation Officer in 2007 and became a Principal Probation Officer in 2010. She received the IPCSA Distinguished Service Award in 2007 and was named the 19th Judicial Circuit's Employee of the Month in August of 2008.

"Deborah is a committed professional whose passion is evident in the service she provides to her probationers and co-workers alike. She holds probationers accountable while giving them every opportunity to succeed. Deborah is a wealth of knowledge, and a reliable resource for her co-workers. She is an invaluable member of our team," said Rosemarie Gray, Director of Adult Probation.

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