

# **Chicago Park District**

# **Meeting Minutes - Final**

# **Public Hearing**

Wednesday, February 14, 2024

11:20 AM

Administration Building - Park 596 4830 S. Western Avenue, Chicago, IL 60609

### **PUBLIC HEARING**

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE INTENT OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT TO SELL NOT TO EXCEED \$26,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION LIMITED TAX PARK BONDS AND \$11,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (ALTERNATE REVENUE SOURCE)

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Chicago Park District (the "District") will hold a public hearing at 11:20 a.m. on the 14th day of February, 2024, at the Chicago Park District Administration Building, 4830 S. Western Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. The purpose of the Hearing will be to receive public comments on the proposal to sell (i) general obligation limited bonds of the District in an amount not to exceed \$26,000,000 for the payment of land condemned or purchased for park or boulevards and for the building, maintaining, improving and protecting of same, as such purposes are further enumerated in Section 20 of the Chicago Park District Act, as amended (the "Act"), and (ii) alternate revenue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$11,000,000 for the purpose of financing the acquisition, construction, improvement and expansion of recreational facilities of the District to provide for recreational programs for persons with disabilities as authorized in Section 7.06 of the Act, and for the payment of the expenses incident thereto.

Roll Call Public Hearing Adjournment

## By order of President Myetie H. Hamilton

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Myetie H. Hamilton President Sarah Gelder Secretary

## Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

#### **Roll Call**

A Roll Call was made and the following Commissioners were found to be in attendance:

Present: 5 - President Myetie Hamilton, Vice President Modesto Valle, Commissioner Jose M.

Munoz, Commissioner Andrea Telli, and Commissioner Sharif Walker

Absent: 1 - Commissioner Ashley Hemphill Netzky

## 1. REMARKS FROM THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Steve Lux, Chief Financial Officer, gave remarks on the intent of the Chicago Park District to sell not to exceed \$26,000,000 General Obligation Limited Tax Park Bonds and \$11,000,000 General Obligation Bonds, Alternate Revenue Source.

### 2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

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The Secretary stated for the record that there were no registered speakers or Written Testimony submitted.

### 3. ADJOURNED

A motion was made by Vice President Valle, seconded by Commissioner Walker, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Myetie Hamilton, Modesto Valle, Jose M. Munoz, Andrea Telli and Sharif Walker

Absent: 1 - Ashley Hemphill Netzky