

## **Chicago Park District**

## Meeting Agenda - Final

## **Budget Forum**

Tuesday, September 14, 2021

6:00 PM

Virtual Public Budget Forum, View Live Meeting (copy and paste link below into your browser) https://rebrand.ly/CPD\_Budget\_Forum\_9-14-21
OR https://youtu.be/oHagz6NKhQA

## **PUBLIC BUDGET FORUM**

To protect the public's health and in adherence with Senate Bill 2135, Article 15, Section 15-5 and the Amended Open Meetings Act 5ILCS 120 Section (7) Subsection (e), (4) and in continued adherence of the Governor's Executive Order No. 86 and Gubernatorial Disaster Proclamation filed on August 20, 2021 as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, the public budget forum for all parks throughout the city will take place on Tuesday, September 14, 2021 via an electronic platform at 6 p.m.

Click on the link below or copy and paste it into your browser to join the virtual forum: https://rebrand.ly/CPD\_Budget\_Forum\_9-14-21

You may also watch via YouTube: https://youtu.be/oHagz6NKhQA

We encourage patrons to give input and feedback on the Chicago Park District 2022 budget by speaking at the public forum OR responding to an online survey. You may provide your ideas online and sign up to speak at the Budget Forum by visiting:

www.chicagoparkdistrict.com/annual-budget-process and complete the survey titled "Budget Ideas Submission".

Submissions must be made by 10 a.m. on September 13th in order to be presented at the forum.

Questions to ask yourself are as follows:

- \* What one service or program in our parks needs more funding?
- \* How would you cut back in the event of a funding deficit?
- \* How would you spend \$100 to improve your park?

Please be sure to include your ideas in the comments section of the form. Results from the surveys will assist the Chicago Park District in its 2022 budget planning process.

The Chicago Park District relies on its patrons for input to provide quality programming and amenities that cater to each unique Chicago neighborhood. We are asking taxpayers to take advantage of this valuable opportunity to be a voice in the process and help shape their local parks. Thanks in advance for your time and input.

In compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. Section 794) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. Section 12101 et seq.), the Chicago Park District does not discriminate on the basis of disability in employment or admission/access to programs and activities.

Any person with a disability who desires special accommodations or the services of a sign language interpreter in order to attend a meeting should contact Disability Policy Officer, Larry Labiak, 504 Compliance Officer, 541 North Fairbanks Court, Chicago, Illinois 60611, at 312/742-5097 or telephone 312/747-2001 (TTY) at least 72 hours before the meeting.

Director of Budget and Management Jeffrey Shellhorn and the Budget Team General Superintendent Michael P. Kelly

- 1. OPENING REMARKS
- 2. PRESENTATION AND ADDITIONAL COMMENTS
- 3. OPEN TO PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 4. ADJOURNMENT