

West Town SSA #29-2014 Commission Meeting Agenda November 30, 2023 at 11:00am West Town Chamber of Commerce, 1819 W. Chicago Ave.

In Attendance:

## WTCC:

- 1. Welcome and Call to Order
- 2. Public Comment:
- 3. Approval of Meeting Minutes from October 19, 2023 Review & Motion
- 4. Administration and Finance
  - a. Financial reports
    - i. Program balances to date
  - b. 2024 Commissioner Schedule
  - c. 2023 Audit Contract
    - i. Review & Motion
  - d. Street Banner Fabrication and Installation Contract
    - i. Review & Motion
  - e. Tree Bed Mulching Contract i. Review & Motion
  - f. Sidewalk Weeding Contract i. Review & Motion
  - g. Street Maintenance Contract
    - i. Review & Motion
  - h. Urban Forest Maintenance Contract
    - i. Review & Motion
- 5. Programs Report
  - a. Public Way Maintenance:
    - i. Review & Motion for approval of new banners, to be installed Winter 2024.
  - b. Pop Up Project:
    - i. We were awarded the Storefront Activation Grant, to activate two new spaces on Chicago and Grand Avenue.
    - ii. Applications for 2024 have been posted.
      - 1. Wander from the Known: tenant January 15 April 12.
      - 2. Phillip Keefe Woodworking: tenant July 15 October 12.

- c. Public Art Program:
  - i. Bloomberg Asphalt Art Grant: Did not receive a grant. Will apply again in 2024.
  - ii. 1703 W. Chicago Ave. <u>Oggi Trattoria</u> In Proposal, RFP published and proposals due 12/15.
  - iii. 745 N. Damen <u>Sprout Home</u> In Proposal, RFP published and proposals due 12/15.
  - iv. People of West Town Photos are being reshot. Completion date TBD.
  - v. 1923 W Chicago Ave. <u>Anthony Garcia Sr.</u> Installation of mural was approved 9/2023 for a total project cost of \$14,909. Final cost was \$14,977.54 (difference due to additional paint and increased lift cost). <u>Review & Motion for approval of</u> \$6,477.54 (artist + support payment of \$8,500 already paid).
- d. Security Rebate:
  - 937 N Ashland Ave. <u>SUGOi Sweets</u>. Installation of security cameras at a total project cost of \$2527.91 from preferred BID. Review & Motion for approval at 50% reimbursement payment of \$1263.96.
- e. Facade Rebate:
  - i. 746 N Damen Ave. <u>Nikki Salon</u>. Replacement of main entrance door at a total project cost of \$7895.33 from preferred BID. Review & Motion for approval at 50% reimbursement payment of \$3947.67.
  - ii. 1105 N Ashland Ave. <u>Petals & Jackets</u>. Signage for new business was approved 9/2023 for a total project cost of \$617.40 from preferred BID. Final cost was \$767.40 (difference due to the inclusion of vinyl window signage to match blade sign). <u>Review & Motion for approval at 50% reimbursement payment of \$383.70</u>.
  - iii. 1953 W Chicago Ave. <u>Netarre</u>. Facade Rebate was approved 3/2023 for a total project cost of \$37,944.89 from preferred BID. <u>Review & Motion for approval at 50% reimbursement payment (\$18,972.45) of \$15,000.</u>
- 6. Old Business
- 7. Open Comment, Discussion
- 8. Adjournment