

SOUTH EAST LAKEVIEW NEIGHBORS (SELVN)
General Meeting
June 13, 2022
Second Unitarian Church,
656 West Barry Street, Chicago, IL

SELVN Meeting Minutes at selvn.org

MINUTES

1) WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS, President Jan Sumrall.

- a) The meeting was a virtual meeting. Board members were introduced for the benefit of new members/attendees.
- b) The June SELVN General Meeting was called to order by President Sumrall at 7:04 p.m. with 6 board members, 1 guest speaker and 5 members/non-members.

2) OFFICE OF CONGRESSMAN MIKE QUIGLEY – ILLINOIS FIFTH DISTRICT – UPDATE –
Congressman Quigley

- a) Congressman Quigley has been attending SELVN Meetings and providing updates since 1982. Congressman Quigley joined the virtual meeting from his office in Washington, D.C.
- b) Service work with the community is the most important work in his office. Since people are planning on traveling, his office continues to receive a lot of calls regarding the issuance of passports.
- c) Congressman Quigley is working on the infrastructure program. The following is a general list of some of the programs that will be funded: (i) 14 Billion will be allocated among the CTA, Pace and Metra; (ii) 1.3 Billion will go toward bridge repair; (iii) 9 Billion will go to highway repair; and (iv) 1.7 Billion will go to clean drinking water. Additional funds will go to the Lincoln Park Zoo, the Night Ministry, the Lincoln Park Conservatory, and local museums. In addition, funds will go toward 1,000 bullet proof vests for Police Officers.
- d) Congressman Quigley is continuing his work on (i) gun violence by working on a bill which will address closing gun show loopholes; and (ii) support to the Ukraine.
- e) If anyone needs help or assistance, they can reach out to Congressman Quigley and his staff using his website at <https://Quigley.house.gov/contact>.

3) GENERAL UPDATE – Jan Sumrall.

- a) Storefronts. Several of the storefronts on Broadway and Clark continue to show signs of work in the spaces and/or coming soon signs. See below.
- b) Kafe Korzo – 2935 North Broadway. Coming soon.

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- c) Mini Donut Factory – 3151 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- d) Real Good Stuff Co. – 3135 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- e) CRMD Ice Cream Parlor – 2951 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- f) Now Spa – 3122 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- g) La Borra Café – 2916 North Broadway. The coming soon sign has been removed and replaced with a for lease sign.
- h) Yango's Grill – 2845 North Broadway. Currently closed. From all appearances, it is hard to tell if it is permanently closed or under renovation.
- i) Dine Out on Broadway. The next Dine Out on Broadway will be July 8-10. Thereafter, Dine Out on Broadway will be held one weekend in August and again in September. See the Lakeview East Chamber of Commerce website for the dates and times and the participating restaurants.
- j) AIDS Garden. The AIDS Garden officially opened June 2, 2022.
- k) Early Voting. Starting June 13, 2022, Merlo Library will be available for early voting. Also, a Ballot Box will be located at Merlo Library to drop off ballots.
- l) Pride Fest. Pride Fest is June 18 and June 19.
- m) Pride Parade. The Pride Parade is June 26.
- n) 19th Police District Twitter Account. The 19th Police District has a Twitter Account. Daily postings include alerts, general activities, and events.
- o) Chicago Alternative Policing (CAPS). An officer from the CAPS Office is available to come to a resident's home, rental and/or condominium building or commercial business to provide a security assessment and safety tips. If you are interested in a security assessment, please reach out to CAPS.019district @chicagopolice.org. or call (312) 744-0064.
- p) Lakeview East Chamber of Commerce. The website includes general information regarding events, local specials, restaurants, and stores that are open, as well as suggestions to help local businesses. The website is www.lakevieweast.com
- q) Alderman Tunney Newsletter. Alderman Tunney's Office circulates a weekly newsletter every Thursday. The newsletter includes general updates, alerts, and events (i.e., neighborhood events, construction updates, donation drives, etc.). You can subscribe to the newsletter by signing up through Alderman Tunney's website.

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- r) Re-Define Lake Shore Drive. All of the particulars of the Project, including exhibits, are posted on www.northdusablelakeshoredrive.org. In addition, there is a link on the website to sign up for the newsletter.

4) 44th WARD UPDATE – Alderman Tom Tunney/Calvin Cottrell - Alderman Tom Tunney's Office.

- a) Outdoor Movies. Hawthorn School will be showing outdoor family movies this summer. See Alderman Tunney's website for the title of the movies and the dates.
- b) Pride Parade. See Alderman Tunney's website for the parade route and street closures.
- c) General and Construction Updates. See Alderman Tunney's Weekly Newsletter for additional general updates, events, construction updates and street cleaning, etc., in the area.

1) NEW BUSINESS.

- a) None.

2) ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- a) Next meeting will be Monday, July 11, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.
- b) Next CAPS Meeting will be a virtual meeting on Monday, August 8, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

3) MEETING ADJOURNMENT.

- a) The meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jan Sumrall – President, SELVN