

SOUTH EAST LAKEVIEW NEIGHBORS (SELVN)
General Meeting
May 9, 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 May SELVN General Meeting was called to order by President Sumrall at 7:05 p.m. with 8 board members, 0 guest speakers and 6 members/non-members.

2) 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.
- c) Mini Donut Factory – 3151 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- d) Real Good Stuff Co. – 3135 North Broadway. Coming soon.
- e) La Borra Café – 2916 North Broadway. The coming soon sign has been removed and replaced with a for lease sign.
- f) Piccolo Sogno Cafe – Clark and Wellington. Coming soon.
- g) Dine Out on Broadway. Dine Out on Broadway is back this year starting May 14-15 and thereafter one weekend in June, July, August, and September. See the Lakeview East Chamber of Commerce website for the dates and times and the participating restaurants.
- h) Crime Forum. SELVN'S sister organization, East Lake View Neighbors, hosted the third virtual Crime Forum on April 26, 2022. Representatives from the Mayor's Office, Chicago Police Department, States Attorney's Office, State Senator's Office, State Representative's Office and Alderman's Office participated in the Crime Forum. There were approximately seventy-four (74) residents that virtually attended the Crime Forum. The Crime Forum will be posted on the East Lake View Neighbors website.
- i) North DuSable Lake Shore Drive – Public Life Study. A resident can sign up to be a community researcher this summer to help the North DuSable Lake Shore Drive project team better understand how people use the lakefront. A SELVN Announcement will be

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circulated with the particulars of the project and how to sign up to be a community researcher.

- j) Congressman Quigley's Office. Mark Solock from Congressman Quigley's Office mentioned that Congressman Quigley has been very busy. Congressman Quigley has been focused on the Ukraine crisis. Congressman has also been very busy working on the infrastructure projects and allocating funds for public transportation and safety issues.
 - k) Woogms Parade. Liz Cohen mentioned that the Woogms Parade will kick off on Memorial Day, May 30, 2022, from Wellington and Pine Grove at 11:00 a.m.
 - l) 19th Police District Twitter Account. The 19th Police District has a Twitter Account. Daily postings include alerts, general activities, and events.
 - m) 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.
 - n) 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
 - o) 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.
 - p) 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.
- 3) 44th WARD UPDATE** – Alderman Tom Tunney/Calvin Cottrell - Alderman Tom Tunney's Office.
- a) Tree Program. The Forestry Division has been removing dead trees as well as planting new trees throughout Lakeview. The ask was for residents to water the newly planted trees.
 - b) Gas Main Work. Peoples Gas is performing gas main work on Diversey from Pine Grove to just west of Clark Street.
 - c) Early Voting. Early voting will start at the Super Site (downtown at Lake and Clark) May 19, 2022.

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- d) Illegal Parking. Liz Cohen mentioned that vehicles were parking in no parking areas on Waterloo Court and not being ticketed. Calvin responded that he would put in a request to have the area monitored and vehicles ticketed.
- e) 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, June 13, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.
- b) Next CAPS Meeting will be a virtual meeting on Monday, June 13, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.

3) MEETING ADJOURNMENT.

- a) The meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jan Sumrall – President, SELVN