

Andersonville Special Service Area #22 July 11, 2025 | 11:00AM 5706 N Clark, Chicago, IL 60640

In attendance: Mike Sullivan, Farah Essa, Marianne Candido, Xavier Zinninger

## See minutes in BOLD

- I. Welcome & introductions
  - A. Mike Sullivan called meeting to order at 11:07 AM
- II. Public Comment Period
  - A. No public present
- III. Approval of May 20, 2025 & June 3, 2025 Minutes (vote)
  - A. Xavier motion, Marianne second All approved
- IV. Budget and Financial report (vote)
  - A. Still on track, nothing to report.
- V. 2026 Final Budget (vote)
  - A. They expect, but not guaranteed that 2025 numbers will be released by August but budget is due July 15 final numbers can be updated before budget goes to council in October.
  - B. Lexie updated budget based on carryover, adjusted categories to reflect 2025 plans for public art, streetscape repairs, etc (June 3 meeting minutes)
  - C. Addition allocating ~30k to hiring a district manager (overseeing smaller district maintenance and finding future repairs - having him also spread info to businesses about SSA rebate programs
  - D. The budget will be amended after it is submitted
  - E. Xavier moton to approve 2025 Amended Budget, Marianne second All approve
  - F. Farah motion to approve 2026 Final Budget, Marianne second All approved
- VI. Service Provider (vote)
  - A. Andersonville Chamber is service provider for SSA #22
  - B. Marianne motion, Xavier second All approved
- VII. Customer Attraction



## A. Events

- 1. Past Event recap
  - a) Midsommarfest: overall, a success! lower foot traffic due to Father's Day and weather. No final wrap up on financials yet. We'll be interviewing DUFF Entertainment for 2026, Criterion is also a potential. MSF costs a lot of money, the payoff is not what it used to be.
- 2. Upcoming events
  - a) Vintage Market (moved to Winona) | July 20, August 17,
    September 21, October 19
  - b) Sidewalk Sale | July 25-27 ~40 businesses participating
  - c) Culinary Battle Royale (fundraiser with Care For Friends) | July 29
  - d) Taste of Andersonville | August 6
  - e) Arts Weekend (honoring Todd Mack) | October 3-5

## VIII. Public Way Aesthetics

- A. Flavin Electric Lightpole Outlets Estimate (vote)
  - 1. Estimate for 43 poles to get electric, without this we will not have holiday lights on light poles
  - 2. Xavier motion, Farah second All approved
- B. Patch Water Estimate (vote)
  - 1. Watering of planters through October, we've already paid for June because we needed it and didn't have time for a vote.
  - 2. Marianne motion, Farah second All approved
- IX. ACC & ASCA Updates
  - A. Farmers Market is going well in new location
- X. Next Andersonville meeting: September 16, 2025 at 9:30AM
- XI. Adjourn
  - A. Meeting adjourned at 12:20 PM