

Ogden Ave/North Lawndale Community Roundtable

January 25, 2021





- 1. Introductions
- 2. NOF Awards Announcement
- 3. Roosevelt/Kostner RFP Response
- 4. Ogden RFP Pre-Bid Conference Summary



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Neighborhood Opportunity Fund SMALL GRANT PROGRAM

2020 Round 2 – Grant Applicants and Finalists



January 2021





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West Garfield Park

East Garfield Park

Humboldt Park

South Lawndale

North Lawndale

Austin

Gage Park

Ashburn

New City

Kenwood Hyde Park

> Oakland Douglas

Woodlawn

Avalon Park

Chatham

Englewood

South Shore

Hegewisch

Morgan Park

South Chicago

West Pullman

Roseland

Calumet Heights

Washington Heights

Pullman

Chicago Lawn

Washington Park

West Englewood

Grand Boulevard

Auburn Gresham

Greater Grand Crossing

West

Southwest

Southeast

Far South

Round 2 Finalists by Community Area



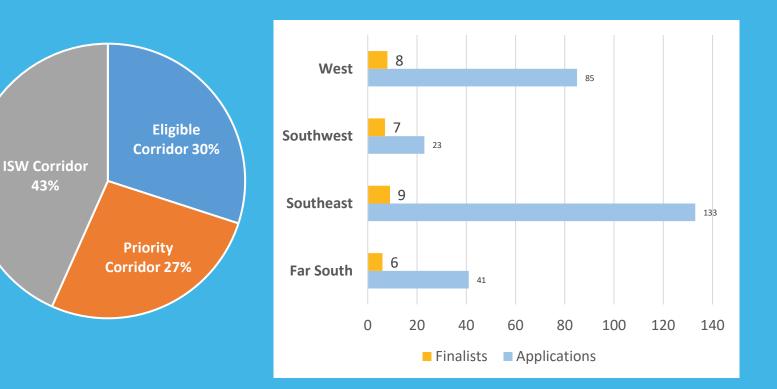


Finalists' Profile

30 Projects in 16 Wards

- Total Investment \$9.5m
- Total Grant Amount \$5.6m
- 162,000 SF of development
- 22 finalists reside in NOF QIA
- 29 finalists commit to hire locally

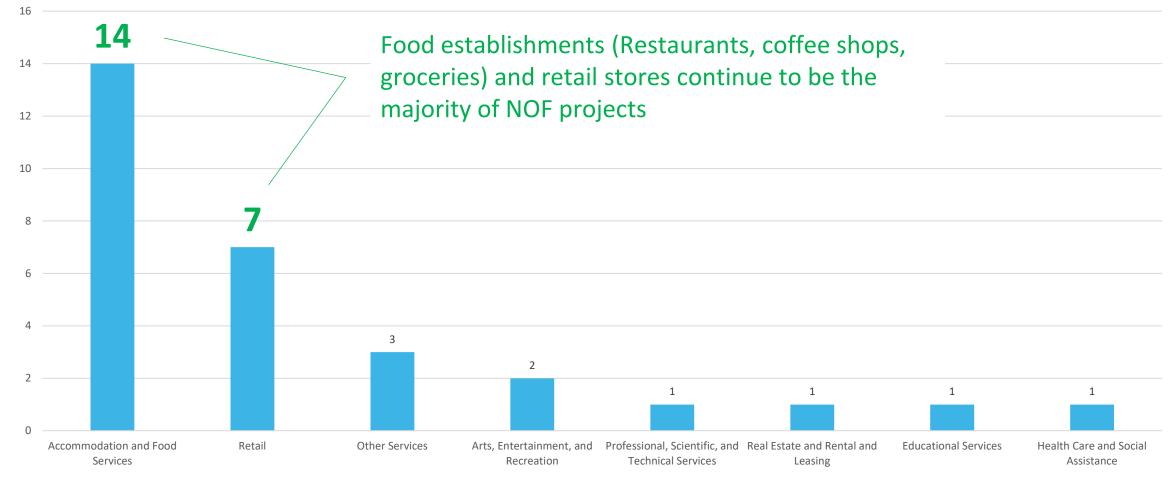






NOF – Small Grants

Finalists' Businesses





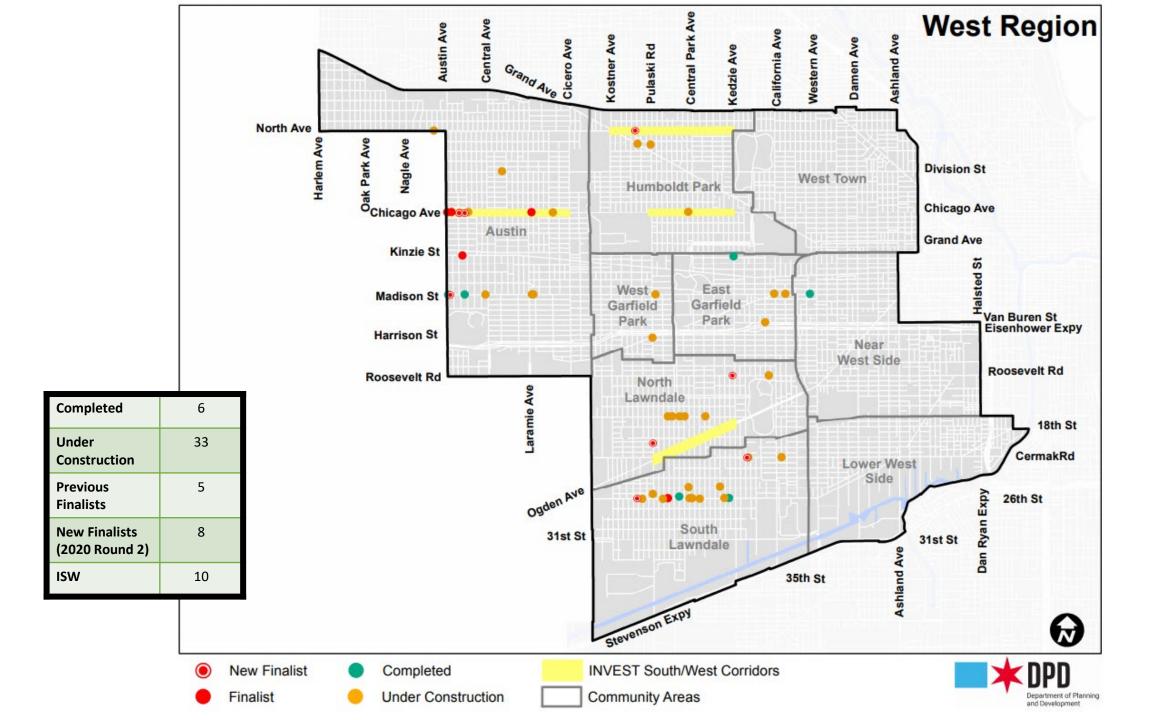


Round 2 Finalists List

anning Regio	on Business/Applicant	Project Address (Site)	ISW Corridor	Ward
Far South	Burst Into Books	11001 S. Michigan Avenue	Michigan Ave	9
	One Florence Boulevard	605 E. 111th Street	111th St	9
	JJJ Burgers	8904 S. Commercial Ave	Commercial Ave.	10
	Natural Roots Kids Hair, LLC	1851-55 E. 87th Street		8
	Rosie's Donuts	7 E. 111th Street		9
	Lior's Cafe	10500 S. Halsted		34
Southeast	Fletcher Laundry II - New Laundry World	6049 S. Halsted	63rd / Halsted	16
	Sarah Kuenyefu Collection	4410-4412 S. Cottage Grove	Cottage Grove	4
	Shrimp and More	2320 E. 79th Street	79th / Stony	7
	Cookie's Cocktail Lounge Inc	1024 W. 79th street	79th / Ashland	17
	SOAJ LLC	2313 E. 71st street		5
	Hattie Marie BBQ	825 E. 87TH Street		8
	Justice of the Pies Location	2025 E. 75th Street		8
	Front Yard Jerk Grille	74 E. 71st Street		6
	Bronzeville Wingz	4547 S. State Street		3
Southwest	Granados	1845 W. 47th st Chicago II 60609	47th / Ashland	15
	StockYards DreamCatcher Café	1824 W. 47th Street	47th / Ashland	15
	Wolf Den	1924 W. 47th Street	47th / Ashland	15
	Thrift, LLC	2517 W. 59th St.		16
	The Joint, Inc.	6902 S. W.ern Avenue		17
	Pantano's Restaurant	2523 W. 63rd Street		16
	star farm chicago	5256 S. Ashland		16
West	Soul City Studios	5851 W. Chicago Ave.	Chicago Austin	29
	Tasa Coffee	4136 W. North Avenue	North	26
	POTLUC	5811 W. Chicago Ave	Chicago Austin	29
	Delar's Unisex	4132 W. 26th Street		22
	Theatre Y	2006 S. Pulaski Rd.		24
	Quintana, Inc.	3050 W. Cermak Rd.		24
	Heritage Club	5951 W. Madison St		29
	Soule' Chicago	3210 W. Roosevelt		24







Finalist Profiles





SOULE' CHICAGO

3210 West Roosevelt Road Ward 24 Total Project Cost: \$341k NOF grant: \$250k

Buildout for a family-friendly restaurant in Lawndale.

THEATRE Y

Jay's Furniture &

May's Resale

773-557-9424

2006 W Pulaski Rd Ward 24 Total Project Cost: \$237k NOF grant: \$185k

Renovations for a theatre company

ROOSEVELT & KOSTNER RFP RESPONSES

CITY OF CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT (DPD)



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OGDEN AVENUE RFP PRE-BID CONFERENCE

Held on January 20, 2021



Implementing INVEST South/West

Seven ISW RFPs have been released to date:

August 2020

- 1. Austin
- 2. Englewood
- 3. Auburn Gresham

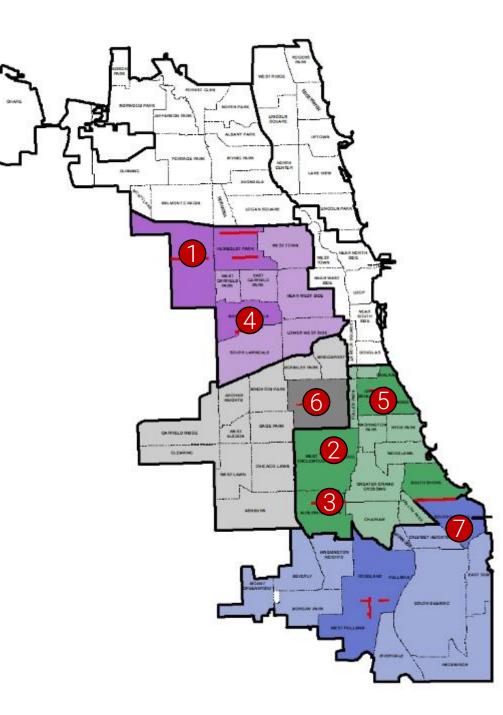
November 2020

- 4. North Lawndale
- 5. Bronzeville
- 6. New City/Back of The Yards
- 7. South Chicago

and Development

Chicago Ave & Laramie Ave 63rd & Halsted 79th & Halsted

Ogden & Homan 47th & Vincennes 47th & Justine Commercial & 89th



RFP Process and Next Steps





Conference Attendance

Attended by 55 non-City and partner staff:

- Community members
- Developers
- Planning and architecture firms
- General contractors
- Real estate and property management firms
- Non-profit organizations and foundations



North Lawndale RFP

The approximately 42,900-square-foot development site consists of seven contiguous vacant lots between Homan and Trumbull avenues, all but one of which is owned by the City.

> Due 4 p.m., Tuesday, March 30, 2021 Appendix | Appraisal | ESA Phase I | Forms

> > **Pre-Bid Conference** Jan. 20, 2021 | Video



Question & Answer

- What is the history of the community and population changes over time? What was previously on the site and what is the future vision?
- Is population decline a threat to the success of the project? Can retail succeed?
- Is the affordable housing development across the street part of the RFP site? How many units are planned? Who is the developer?
- Can the existing alley be vacated to create a larger development site? What utilities are located there?
- Are design firms that are not on the City's pre-qualified list at a disadvantage?
- Will the City conduct a Phase II environmental study for the site?
- Is the amount of commercial vs. residential development flexible?
- What is the potential to rezone with some industrial?
- What is the City doing to capture Route 66 tourism? The site could potentially be home to North Lawndale/Route 66 museum.





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