

## River Ecology and Governance Task Force

06/07/22

3 pm to 4:30 pm

### AGENDA

**3:00 pm**      **Welcome and Introductions**

*Please say "hello" in the chat.*

**3:05 pm**      **Task Force Goals**

*Refresher on what we are advancing together as a Task Force*

**3:10 pm**      **Case Study Presentations: How does a riverfront project happen?**

*Our second case study will focus on the Southbank riverfront as we present how it was implemented with an emphasis on regulations, permits, processes, community engagement, and funding. Take the survey to let us know which case study you want to hear next.*

**3:50 pm**      **PAS Framework Plan, USACE Programs, and Next Steps**

*Brief presentation around next steps related to Restoration Framework Plan study with information provided on other projects that were completed in Chicago and the different funding streams available.*

**4:15 pm**      **Planning and Project Updates**

*Updates on the status of projects led by government stakeholders and opportunities for the Task Force to engage.*

**4:25 pm**      **Upcoming Meeting Dates + Adjourn**

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#### Task Force Objectives

- Transforming Chicago's unique waterway system into a thriving and ecologically integrated natural asset, capable of accommodating the needs of people, requires coordinated planning, investment and management.
- Aspire to, and realize no later than 2040, inland waterways in Chicago that are inviting, productive and living, that support wildlife in-stream and on their banks, and that contribute to our city's resiliency