



# CHICAGO PLAN COMMISSION Department of Planning and Development

Artificial Turf, Mutli-Use Field and Natural Area in Lincoln Park 141 West Diversey Parkway, 44<sup>th</sup> Ward

**Chicago Park District** 

February 21, 2020



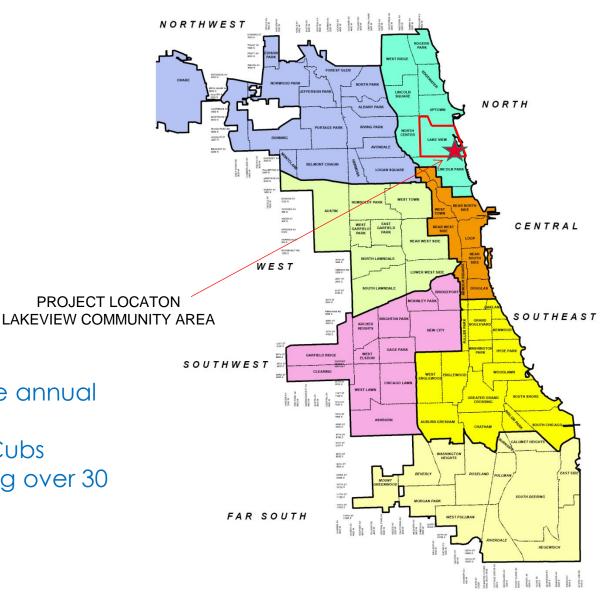
## **X** Lakeview Snap Shot

#### **Demographics:**

- 49% of residents are between the ages of 20-34
- Over 80% of the households are 1-2 people
- Median household income is \$86,119
- Over 54% of residents use transit to get to work
- Total Population is roughly 100,000

#### Cultural/Historic Context:

- Famous for its large LGBTQ population, holds the annual pride parade
- Surrounds Wrigley Field, home to the Chicago Cubs
- Home to the Belmont Theater District showcasing over 30 theatres and live performance venues
- Former home of Charlie Chaplin





## \* Applicable Lakefront Policies & Purposes

- This project will enhance and improve the surrounding landscape and continuous character of the lake shore park system while enhancing the visitor experience
- The natural area will use green infrastructure to better manage stormwater and will improve the water quality and ecological balance of Lake Michigan
- The improvements will continue the cultural, historical and recreational heritage of the park by adding a unique recreational feature while helping to maintain the scenic vistas and access to the lake
- The all-weather field and natural area will increase the diversity of recreational opportunities in Lincoln Park
- New pathways and lighting will create a more harmonious relationship between the park and the community edge



### **Project Timeline + Community Outreach**

#### LPO application filing date – 1/22/2020

#### **3 Community meetings:**

- April 23, 2019 at Nettlehorst School
- August 14, 2019 at St. Joseph's Hospital
- January 15, 2020 at St. Joseph's Hospital

#### **Project changes based on community feedback:**

- Additional geotechnical scope was undertaken to investigate causes of flooding at northern end of site
- The natural area layout and the stormwater management approach was revised to effectively address flooding concerns
- The natural area layout was revised to provide useable lawn space close to the adjacent neighborhood
- CPD confirmed that existing parking is sufficient to accommodate the new site use



## **X** Site Plan Iterations



August 2019

LINCOLN PARK DIVERSEY TURF FIELD AND NATURAL AREA

**April 2019** 



DIVERSEY ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD AND NATURAL AREA OVERALL SITE PLAN ILLUSTRATIVE DESIGNWORKSHOP

January 2020



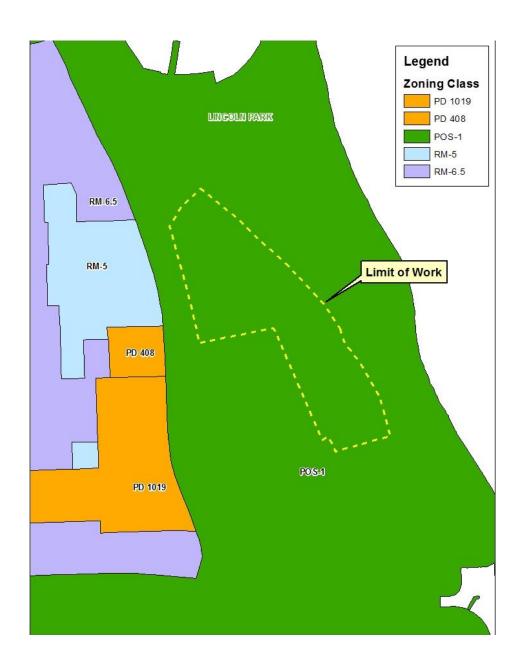
LINCOLN PARK DIVERSEY FIELD

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- Lincoln Park
- Current Zoning: POS -1
- Remain zoned as POS-1

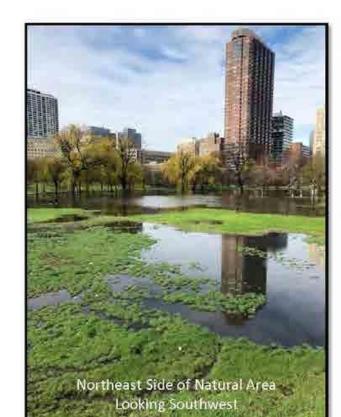


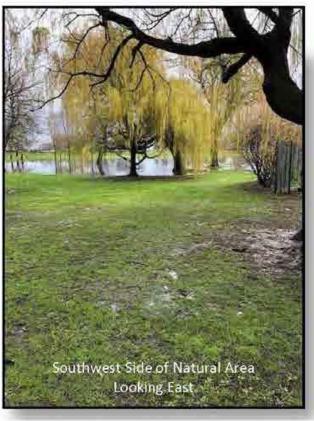














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DIVERSEY ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD AND NATURAL AREA

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OVERALL SITE PLAN ILLUSTRATIVE







ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD

ENLARGEMENT PLAN

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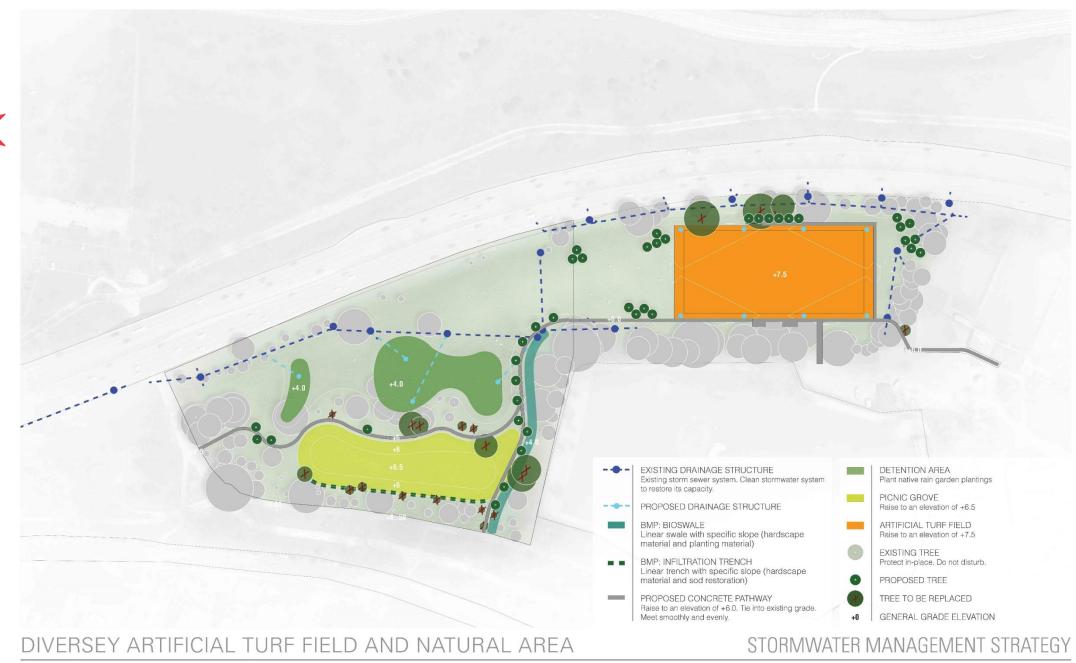




NATURAL AREA ENLARGEMENT PLAN

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## **M/WBE Goals**

- Chicago Park District MBE/WBE requirement is 25% MBE and 5% WBE
- This project exceeds the requirement with 30.55% MBE participation and 13.08% WBE participation



- DPD has determined that the Application has met the minimum requirements of Section 17-6 of the Chicago Zoning Code
- DPD found that the project was assessed and is in compliance with Policies and Purposes in Section 16-4-100 of the Lake Michigan and Chicago Lakefront Protection Ordinance