



# Office of the City Clerk

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## Legislation Text

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### ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, special service areas may be established pursuant to Article VII, Sections 6(1) and 7(6) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and pursuant to the provisions of the Special Service Area Tax Law, 35 ILCS 200/27-5 et seq., (the "Special Service Area Act") and pursuant to the Property Tax Code, 35 ILCS 200/1-1 et seq., as amended from time to time; and

WHEREAS, on June 30, 1982, the City Council of the City of Chicago (the "City Council") enacted an ordinance, as amended by an ordinance enacted by the City Council on March 25, 1983, as further amended by an ordinance enacted by the City Council on September 18, 1984, as further amended by an ordinance enacted by the City Council on June 14, 1995, (collectively, the "Establishment Ordinance") which established an area known and designated as City of Chicago Special Service Area Number 2 (the "Area") and authorized the levy of an annual tax not to exceed an annual rate of one and one-half percent (1.5%) of the equalized assessed value of the taxable property therein (the "Services Tax") to provide certain special services in and for the Area in addition to the services provided by and to the City of Chicago generally (the "Special Services"); and

WHEREAS, certain funds in Fund 324 ("Fund 324") in the amount of \$26,242 are available for use in connection with the Area; and

, WHEREAS, the Establishment Ordinance established the Area as that territory approximately bounded by Henderson Street on the north, George Street on the south and fronting on Central Avenue on both east and west sides; and Long Avenue on the east, Austin Avenue on the west, and fronting on Belmont Avenue on both north and south sides; and

WHEREAS, the Special Services authorized in the Establishment Ordinance included the maintenance, operation, and upkeep of an automobile parking facility and such other services as will tend to promote, assist or preserve the businesses located within, and foster commercial and economic development of, the Area; and

WHEREAS, the Establishment Ordinance provided for the appointment of the Belmont-Central Parking Commission (the "Commission") to advise the City Council regarding the amount of the Services Tax to be levied and for the purpose of recommending to the City Council: (1) a yearly budget based upon the cost of providing the Special Services; (2) an entity to serve as a service provider (the "Service Provider"); (3) an agreement between the City and the Service Provider for the provision of Special Services to the Area (the "Service Provider Agreement"); and (4) a budget to be included in the agreement between the City and the Service Provider (the "Budget") (the aforementioned items 1 through 4 shall be known collectively herein as the "Recommendations"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has heretofore prepared and transmitted to the Commissioner of the Department of Planning and Development (the "Commissioner") its Recommendations to the City Council, including the Budget attached hereto as Exhibit A and hereby made a part hereof; now, therefore

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Chicago:

SECTION 1. Incorporation of Preambles. The preambles of this ordinance are hereby

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incorporated into this text as if set out herein in full.

SECTION 2. Appropriations. There is hereby appropriated the following sums in the amounts and for the purposes necessary to provide the Special Services in and for the Area, the estimated amounts of miscellaneous income and the amounts required to be raised by the levy of the Services Tax indicated as follows:

**BELMONT-CENTRAL PARKING COMMISSION SPECIAL SERVICE  
AREA BUDGET**

For the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2018 and ending December 31, 2018.

**EXPENDITURES**

Service Provider Agreement for the provision  
of Special Services \$314,855

TOTAL BUDGET REQUEST \$314,855

SOURCE OF FUNDING Tax levy at an annual rate not to  
exceed one and one-half percent (1.5%) of the equalized  
assessed value, of taxable property within

Special Service Area Number 2 \$263,000 Fund 324 \$26,242 Carryover funds currently

available  
from prior tax years \$13,233

Late collections received by the City of Chicago attributable to the levy  
of the Services Tax in prior tax years, along with interest income  
thereon, if any \$12,380

SECTION 3. Levy of Taxes. There is hereby levied pursuant to the provisions of Article VII, Sections 6(a) and 6(l) (2) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois and pursuant to the provisions of the Special Service Area Act and pursuant to the provisions of the Establishment Ordinance, the sum of \$263,000 as the amount of the Services Tax for the tax year 2017.

SECTION 4. Filing. The City Clerk of the City of Chicago (the "City Clerk") is hereby ordered and directed to file in the Office of the County Clerk of Cook County, Illinois (the "County Clerk") a certified copy of this ordinance on or prior to December 26, 2017, and the County Clerk shall thereafter extend for collection together with all other taxes to be levied by the City of Chicago, the Services Tax herein provided for, said Services Tax to be extended for collection by the County Clerk for the tax year 2017 against all the taxable property within the Area, the amount of the

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Services Tax herein levied to be in addition to and in excess of all other taxes to be levied and extended against all taxable property within the Area.

SECTION 5. Service Provider Agreement. The Commissioner, or a designee of the Commissioner (each, an "Authorized Officer"), are each hereby authorized, subject to approval by the Corporation Counsel as to form and legality, to enter into, execute and deliver a Service Provider Agreement as authorized herein with Belmont-Central Chamber of Commerce, an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, as the Service Provider, for a one-year term in a form acceptable to such Authorized Officer, along with such other supporting documents, if any, as may be necessary to carry out and comply with the provisions of the Service Provider Agreement. The Budget shall be attached to the Service Provider Agreement as an exhibit. Upon the execution of the Service Provider Agreement and the receipt of proper documentation the Authorized Officer and the City Comptroller are each hereby authorized to disburse the sums appropriated in Section 2 above to the Service Provider in consideration for the provision of the Special Services described in the Budget. The Department of Planning and Development shall promptly make a copy of the executed Service Provider Agreement readily available for public inspection.

SECTION 6. Enforceability. If any section, paragraph or provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, < paragraph or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. Conflict. This ordinance shall control over any provision of any other ordinance, resolution, motion or order in conflict with this ordinance, to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 8. Publication. This ordinance shall be published by the City Clerk, in special pamphlet form, and made available in her office for public inspection and distribution to members of the public who may wish to avail themselves of a copy of this ordinance.

SECTION 9. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect 10 days after its passage and publication.

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## EXHIBIT A Budget

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# Exhib A Budg Special Service Area # 2

Service Provider Agency: Belmont-Central Chamber of Commerce

## 2018 BUDGET SUMMARY

Budget and Services Period: January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018

CATEGORY	2017 Levy	Estimated Loss Collection	Carry Over	TIF Rebate Fund # 324	Estimated Late Collections and Interest	Total All Sources 2018 Budget
	Collectable Levy					
1.00 Customer Attraction	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
2.00 Public Way Aesthetics	\$160,164	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$12,380	\$172,544
3.00 Sustainability and Public Places	\$11,780	\$12,380	\$13,233	\$26,242	\$0	\$63,635
4.00 Economic/ Business Development	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
5.00 Safety Programs	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
6.00 SSA Management	\$17,399	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,399
7.00 Personnel	\$61,277	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$61,277
Sub-total	\$250,620	\$12,380				
GRAND TOTALS	Levy Total \$263,000		\$13,233	\$26,242	\$12,380	\$314,855

## LEVY ANALYSIS

Estimated 2017 EAV: \$28,156,660

Authorized Tax Rate Cap: 1.500%

Maximum Potential Levy lin\$422,350

Rate Cap:

Requested 2017 Levy Amo\$263,000

Estimated Tax Rate to Generate ; -, .

2017 Levy:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

CITY OF CHICAGO

RAHM EMANUEL  
MAYOR

October 11,2017

TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY  
OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of the Commissioner of Planning and Development, I transmit herewith ordinances authorizing a scope of services, budget and management agreement for various Special Service Areas.

Your favorable consideration of these ordinances will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Mayor

CHICAGO November 8, 2017

**To the President and Members of the City Council:**

**Your Committee on Finance having had under consideration**

An ordinance authorizing the imposition of a tax levy, the approval of the 2018 budget, and the approval of the Service Provider Agreement for Special Service Area Number 2.

02017-7031 Amount to be levied: \$263,000

Having had the same under advisement, begs leave to report and recommend that your Honorable Body pass the proposed Ordinance Transmitted Herewith

**This recommendation was concurred in by (afwva voce voteo  
of members of the committee with dissenting vote(s)T**

**(signed**

**Respectfully submitted**  
**Chairman**