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## Glenwood Sunday Market returns to Rogers Park for 16<sup>th</sup> season with a new Market fundraiser to support Food Access Program

Market runs Sundays from June 1 to October 26
Fundraiser takes place on May 9

CHICAGO (April 4, 2025) — The nonprofit **Rogers Park Business Alliance** (RPBA) is proud to announce the 16<sup>th</sup> season of its **Glenwood Sunday Market** (GSM), <u>Sundays from June 1 to October 26 (closed June 29 and August 17), from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.</u> The Market will take place in the outdoor Glenwood Alfresco area on the southbound Glenwood Avenue between Morse and Lunt Avenues, to the west of the CTA Red Line Morse stop. New this year, the Glenwood Sunday Market will host a **Spiral Into Spring – A Flourishing Soiree** fundraiser on <u>May 9 from 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. at The Rhapsody Theater (1328 W. Morse Ave.)</u> to help raise money for its Food Access Program. More information about the market and fundraiser can be found at <u>glenwoodsundaymarket.rpba.org</u>.

This year, the Glenwood Sunday Market will host the **Spiral into Spring – A Flourishing Soirée** fundraiser to support its Food Access Program. For 15 consecutive seasons, the Program has been combating food insecurity by matching grants to market shoppers who lack access and financial resources to fresh local food through LINK Cards and other SNAP cards benefits. Fundraiser guests will have the opportunity to contribute to the program during a paddle raise, a raffle, and a silent auction. Throughout the event, attendees will learn about the impact of the Market while enjoying local entertainment. General Admission tickets are \$75, which include entrance, appetizers catered by Glenwood Sunday Market vendor <u>Urban Tables</u>, and a complimentary drink with additional drinks available for purchase. VIP tickets are \$125 including access to an after-party held at <u>Rogers Park Social</u> (6920 N Glenwood Ave.) <u>from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m.</u> for more light bites and two complimentary drinks. Tickets for **Spiral into Spring – A Flourishing Soirée** fundraiser can be purchased at <u>RPBA.org</u>.

At the 2025 Market, every \$25 LINK transaction will be matched with an additional \$25, thanks to the generous grant from LinkUp Illinois and donations. All vendors accept cash, and most accept credit and debit cards. The 2025 Glenwood Sunday Market vendors will be announced later in the spring, and donations to the Market can be made at <a href="mailto:glenwoodsundaymarket.rpba.org">glenwoodsundaymarket.rpba.org</a>.

**Glenwood Sunday Market** is a program of the nonprofit Rogers Park Business Alliance, with a vision to create an equitable, ethical, and secure local food system. Composed entirely of farmers and food artisans who work within 200 miles of Rogers Park, GSM's mission is to make sustainable, regionally produced foods accessible to the whole community. Glenwood Sunday Market is committed to economic, environmental, and social sustainability in Rogers Park, the city and region. For more information, visit glenwoodsundaymarket.rpba.org.

## **About Rogers Park Business Alliance**

Rogers Park Business Alliance is a nonprofit organization that has served Chicago's diverse Rogers Park neighborhood for more than 30 years, providing services in both English and Spanish to a broad community. RPBA works to cultivate and sustain a thriving economic environment in Rogers Park, serving businesses and residents with a variety of public events and business initiatives. RPBA programs include the GROW/PROGRESANDO entrepreneurial training program, the Illinois Small Business Development Center at RPBA, annual Best of Rogers Park awards, Chalk Howard Street Festival, Taco Crawl, and the Glenwood Sunday Market farmers market. For more information, visit RPBA.org.

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