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Glenwood Sunday Market returns with 16th Anniversary Season

23 local vendors continuing to make positive impact in community and increasing food security

Every Sunday from June 1 to October 26, 2025

CHICAGO (May 1, 2025) —The nonprofit **Rogers Park Business Alliance** (RPBA) announces 23 local vendors for the 16th anniversary season of the **Glenwood Sunday Market**, which will operate every Sunday from **June 1** to **October 26** (closed June 29 and August 17), from 9 a.m. — 2 p.m. On the southbound Glenwood Avenue between Morse and Lunt Avenues (west side of the CTA Red Line Morse stop), the market offers a variety of products ranging from meat, produce, dairy, honey, pickles, bakeries, sweets, tofu, flowers, to coffee. A ribbon-cutting will take place on opening day, <u>June 1</u>, at 8:45 a.m., with representatives from the **49**th **Ward Office** and State Representative **Kelly Cassidy** in attendance, with remarks from Rogers Park Business Alliance Executive Director **Sandi Price**.

This year's vendors include: <u>Bennett Farms</u>, <u>Bennison's Bakery</u>, <u>Blacksmith Acres LLC</u>, <u>Finn's Ranch</u>, <u>Hardin's Family Farm</u>, <u>Honey Works</u>, <u>Katherine Anne Confections</u>, <u>Kikwetu Kenya Coffee Company</u>, <u>Los Rodriguez Farm LLC</u>, <u>Lyons Fruit Farm</u>, <u>Mickii's Desserts</u>, <u>Mike & Clare's Farm</u>, <u>Milwaukee Homegrown Flowers</u>, <u>Mindful Baking</u>, <u>pHlour Bakery</u>, <u>Phoenix Bean LLC</u>, <u>Rebecca's Confections</u>, <u>Shmaltz and Vinegar</u>, <u>Stamper Cheese</u> <u>Company</u>, <u>The Urban Canopy</u>, <u>The Stick Up</u>, <u>Urban Tables INC</u>, and <u>Yang Town Farm</u>.

Glenwood Sunday Market was founded by the grassroots efforts and countless hours of work on the parts of many Rogers Park community members. Now, in its 16th year, Glenwood Sunday Market celebrates helping sustain the local food system and providing a significant revenue stream for local farmers and food producers.

As the Market's vision is to create an equitable, ethical, and secure local food system, the Food Access Program has been combating food insecurity for the past 15 consecutive seasons.

They do this by matching grants to market shoppers who lack access and financial resources to fresh local food through LINK Cards and other SNAP cards benefits. All vendors accept cash and most accept credit and debit cards. LINK Cards and other SNAP cards are also accepted at the Market, with a grant match program continuing in 2025: every \$25 LINK transaction will be matched with an additional \$25, thanks to the generous grant from LinkUp Illinois.

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 that 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 www.glenwoodsundaymarket.rpba.org.

Rogers Park Business Alliance is a nonprofit organization that has served Chicago's diverse Rogers Park neighborhood for 30 years. 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 Rogers Park Business Alliance, 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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