2020 Benches on the Avenue

Sponsorship Opportunities

The Village of Tinley Park is proud to present the Benches on the Avenue public art project. This program has been a huge success in generating local resident and tourist interest as well as promoting an appreciation of the arts. Once again the handcrafted wooden benches will be placed along Oak Park Avenue in Downtown Tinley from mid-May to October. Each bench will be sponsored by a local business or individual who will take possession of the bench after October.

The bench is six feet long, includes attached flower boxes and features one-of-a-kind artwork based on the theme “Around the World.” Each bench will highlight a colorful, three-dimensional, child- and family-friendly design portraying travel destinations, vacations spots and/or iconic landmarks. Artists will be submitting sketches in February and, upon review by a selection committee, winning sketches will be selected. In April, sponsors will be contacted and given the opportunity to choose a design from the winning sketches in the order sponsorships were received. For more information about the Benches on the Avenue public art project, please visit TinleyPark.org\Benches.

This program is the perfect opportunity to market your business or organization to tens of thousands of residents and visitors throughout the summer season. The introductory sponsorship price is $695.00 through April 1st; sponsorships will increase to $895.00 after April 1st. There are many advantages of this very exciting opportunity. Each bench sponsor receives:

- A plaque recognizing your company as a sponsor is affixed to your sponsored bench;
- Your business will be included in the widely distributed Benches on the Avenue brochure; and
- Benches on the Avenue sponsors are featured on the Village’s website (TinleyPark.org), and Facebook page (Facebook.com/VillageofTinleyPark).

Benches will be sold on a first-come, first-choice basis. Reserve your bench today by completing the attached order form and returning it with your check. If desired, sponsors may partner with fellow business owners to share the cost of the bench. We are proud to once again offer this exciting project for sponsors and artists and to showcase beautiful Downtown Tinley. For further information regarding this project, please contact Joanne Carroll at 708-444-5031 or jcarroll@tinleypark.org.
SPONSORSHIP FORM

I, the undersigned, hereby order under the Terms of the Agreement that follows a bench to be created and exhibited in the 2020 Benches on the Avenue public art program.

Name: ______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Business (if applicable): ______________________________________________________________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: __________________________________________________________________________________________________

Work Phone: ___________________________  Cell Phone:____________________________

Email: _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Signature:____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Cost Per Bench:
$695.00 before April 1, 2020  _____ Quantity of benches
$895.00 after April 1, 2020  _____ Quantity of benches

Total Due $_________________  

In past years, some sponsors have chosen to donate their bench at the end of the season. In order to expedite pick-up of the benches, please indicate your preference for your bench.

☐ I will be picking up my bench in October
☐ I would like to donate my bench

The Village of Tinley Park reserves the right to determine the placement of all benches along Oak Park Avenue.

Make checks payable to: Village of Tinley Park

Send order form with payment to: Village of Tinley Park
ATTN: Joanne Carroll
16250 S. Oak Park Avenue
Tinley Park, IL  60477