

*****MEDIA ALERT & PHOTO OPPORTUNITY*****

Stamford Downtown Special Services District 30th Anniversary Annual Property Owners' Meeting & Unveiling of Newly Renovated Kiwanis Park Tuesday, June 14, 2022

WHAT: Stamford Downtown Special Services District
Property Owners' Annual Meeting & Cocktail Party
Celebrating 30 Years - 1992-2022
Unveiling of Newly Renovated Kiwanis Park
Mayor Caroline Simmons and members of the
Stamford Downtown Board will be in attendance.
This evening is sponsored by Charter Communications

WHEN: Tuesday, June 14, 2022
5:30pm: Property Owners' Meeting (Palace Theatre, 2nd Floor, 61 Atlantic St.)
6:00pm: Cocktails in Kiwanis Park as we unveil the newly renovated Park.

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Cocktails in Kiwanis Park as we unveil the newly renovated Park at 6pm.

DETAILS ABOUT STAMFORD DOWNTOWN PROPERTY OWNERS MEETING

Stamford Downtown property owners will vote to elect a slate of Commissioners for the 2022-2024 term. With several returning and one new Commissioner, the Board will then meet to adopt the operating budget for the 2022-2023 fiscal year. The proposed budget keeps the special assessment tax rate FLAT for the third year in a row.

DETAILS ABOUT KIWANIS PARK RENOVATIONS

The Kiwanis Park Placemaking Project is the first project to emanate from Stamford Downtown's newly created Public Realm Enhancement Plan. The project at Kiwanis will beautify and re-activate an underutilized space within the geographic heart of the downtown while fostering communal gathering and pedestrian connectivity between Atlantic Street and Summer Street. The project includes the creation of a communal seating area constructed from South American Hardwood. Stamford Downtown retained local muralist Lauren Clayton, Studio 162 to design and install two murals. The first forms a colorful walking path drawing pedestrians from the park's entrance at Atlantic Streets to the rear steps leading toward Summer Street. The second mural is a 3D, anamorphic representation of a marquee billboard complemented by hand prints that encourage interaction for photo opportunities. All landscaping was reimagined and replaced at the site with native plantings and trees, and festoon lighting has been strung between the four decorative light posts at the site to encourage night time use of the park.

No RSVP Required for Media Covering Event
Accredited Media are welcome. Please bring Media Credentials.

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