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West Town Art Walk Returns to Celebrate Art in All Forms Through Virtual and In-Person Experiences

Self-Guided Art Tours, Gallery Exhibitions and More Announced for West Town's Art Event of the Year, September 25 – October 3

CHICAGO (September 2020) – The [West Town Chamber of Commerce](#) is bringing the 10th Annual West Town Art Walk to consumers as a "hybrid" event this Fall with in-person and virtual experiences from September 25 through October 3, 2020. Guests are invited to celebrate art in all forms – visual, musical, culinary, design, and more – through a mix of socially distanced in-person experiences as well as new virtual elements – all hosted by West Town small businesses.

The free event will feature ten days of art openings and happenings, a self-guided public art walking tour of #WestTownMurals, and local business specials. New this year, guests can also enjoy virtual exhibitions, gallery tours, artist talks, and exclusive behind the scenes content on @WestTownChicago's Instagram. Patrons can peruse the participating businesses and galleries, as well as their specials and events, at www.westtownartwalk.com.

Established in 2011, the West Town Art Walk pays homage to the neighborhood's diverse community and rich culture. The Chamber is committed to creating thoughtful opportunities for guests, residents, and businesses to engage with Chicago's eclectic and unrivaled art scene. The West Town Public Art Program has commissioned more than 30 temporary and permanent murals since 2015 and will continue to bring engaging art programming and opportunities to explore this vibrant neighborhood, including the annual West Town Art Walk.

For more information, visit www.westtownartwalk.com @WestTownChicago; #WestTownArtWalk: Facebook, Instagram, Twitter.

About West Town Chamber of Commerce:

The West Town Chicago Chamber of Commerce (WTCC) is a 501 C6 non-profit organization with over 200 small business members. The Chamber's mission is to strengthen its business community so that West Town Chicago continues to be a destination for shopping, dining, professional services, nightlife, and culture. The WTCC is a small business development center providing programs and services for businesses located within the Chamber service area in West Town Chicago: from Division Street to Hubbard, and Halsted Street to Kedzie Avenue.

The West Town Chamber of Commerce fosters community and economic development by empowering businesses with information, networking opportunities, marketing, and other programming. The Chamber extensively promotes the unique elements of the West Town

neighborhoods and strives to engage the public through the organization of special events that highlight existing businesses and attract consumers and new businesses to the West Town area. The Chamber serves as a channel through which members can cultivate a diverse, symbiotic, and growth-oriented community. Visit www.westtownchamber.org for more information.

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