



CITY OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY

MEMORANDUM

To: The Honorable Jason Ervin
Chairman, Committee on the Budget and Government Operations

From: Chris Brown
Commissioner, Chicago Public Library
Department

CC: Elizabeth Beatty
Mayor's Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

Date: October 24, 2023

Re: Request for Information from Annual Appropriation Committee Hearing

ID#: 91-01

The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department's hearing on October 19, 2023 to discuss the proposed 2024 budget.

Alderman Reilly asked for the number of 911 calls made this year. There have been 497 total calls made to date. The attached document provides this information by branch and ward.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.

Ward	Branch	911 Calls
1	West Town	2
2	Water Works	0
2	Near North	4
3	Chicago Bee	3
3	Hall	3
4	Blackstone	3
4	HWLC	42
4	King	2
5	Greater Grand Crossing	9
6	Whitney Young	2
7	Jeffery Manor	1
7	South Shore	8

8	Avalon	4
9	Pullman	9
10	Altgeld	6
10	Hegewisch	6
10	South Chicago	7
10	Vodak/East Side	5
11	Canaryville	2
11	Daley	6
11	Chinatown	8
12	McKinley Park	3
12	Back of the Yards	5
12	Brighton Park	2
13	West Lawn	5
13	Clearing	0
14	Archer Heights	2
14	Chicago Lawn	7
15	West Englewood	7
15	Gage Park	2
16	NONE	
17	Thurgood Marshall	3
18	Wrightwood-Ashburn	5
18	Scottsdale	0
19	Beverly	6
19	Mount Greenwood	1
19	Walker	4
20	Bessie Coleman	1
20	Kelly	3
20	Sherman Park	7
21	Brainerd	5
21	West Pullman	8
21	Woodson Regional	20
22	Toman	11
23	Garfield Ridge	1
24	Douglass	5
25	Little Village	5
25	Lozano	5
26	Humboldt Park	4
27	Richard M. Daley	25

27	Manning	6
27	West Loop	7
28	Legler	16
28	Little Italy	8
29	Austin	7
29	Galewood-Mont Clare	0
29	North Austin	0
31	Portage-Cragin	2
32	Lincoln-Belmont	2
32	Bucktown-Wicker Park	5
35	Logan Square	18
36	North Pulaski	8
36	West Belmont	3
37	West Chicago	4
38	Austin-Irving	1
38	Dunning	0
39	Edgebrook	2
39	Albany Park	2
39	Mayfair	7
40	Budlong Woods	2
41	Oriole Park	0
41	Roden	1
43	Lincoln Park	1
44	Merlo	12
45	Independence	1
45	Jefferson Park	16
48	Bezazian	7
46	Uptown	11
47	Sulzer Regional	8
48	Edgewater	32
49	Rogers Park	10
50	Northtown	14



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Mayor’s Office of Intergovernmental Affairs

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Re: Request for Information from Annual Appropriation Committee Hearing

ID#: 91-02

The following information is provided in response to questions posed at our department’s hearing on October 19, 2023 to discuss the proposed 2024 budget.

Alderman Reilly and Chairman Ervin asked for the number of suspensions system-wide this year, broken down by library location and ward. There have been 383 suspensions total and ward and location information is provided below. Please note that the length of suspension varies based on the infraction of our Library Use Guidelines.

As always, please let me know if you have any further questions.

Ward	Branch	Suspensions
1	West Town	2
2	Water Works	0
2	Near North	4
3	Chicago Bee	1
3	Hall	2
4	Blackstone	0
4	HWLC	7
4	King	5
5	Greater Grand Crossing	4
6	Whitney Young	0

7	Jeffery Manor	1
7	South Shore	6
8	Avalon	2
9	Pullman	1
10	Altgeld	0
10	Hegewisch	1
10	South Chicago	9
10	Vodak/East Side	5
11	Canaryville	0
11	Daley	3
11	Chinatown	22
12	McKinley Park	2
12	Back of the Yards	2
12	Brighton Park	5
13	West Lawn	0
13	Clearing	0
14	Archer Heights	4
14	Chicago Lawn	1
15	West Englewood	2
15	Gage Park	4
16	NONE	
17	Thurgood Marshall	1
18	Wrightwood-Ashburn	1
18	Scottsdale	0
19	Beverly	2
19	Mount Greenwood	1
19	Walker	0
20	Bessie Coleman	0
20	Kelly	0
20	Sherman Park	6
21	Brainerd	2
21	West Pullman	0
21	Woodson Regional	9
22	Toman	10
23	Garfield Ridge	2
24	Douglass	9
25	Little Village	16
25	Lozano	10

26	Humboldt Park	5
27	Richard M. Daley	20
27	Manning	5
27	West Loop	3
28	Legler	15
28	Little Italy	7
29	Austin	1
29	Galewood-Mont Clare	0
29	North Austin	1
31	Portage-Cragin	0
32	Lincoln-Belmont	0
32	Bucktown-Wicker Park	1
35	Logan Square	3
36	North Pulaski	16
36	West Belmont	3
37	West Chicago	6
38	Austin-Irving	1
38	Dunning	4
39	Edgebrook	3
39	Albany Park	8
39	Mayfair	12
40	Budlong Woods	2
41	Oriole Park	4
41	Roden	0
43	Lincoln Park	6
44	Merlo	13
45	Independence	1
45	Jefferson Park	11
48	Bezazian	3
46	Uptown	24
47	Sulzer Regional	3
48	Edgewater	28
49	Rogers Park	4
50	Northtown	6