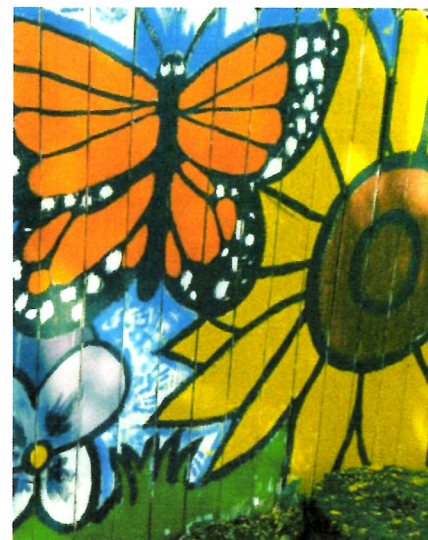




Edgebrook Sauganash Chamber of Commerce

The chamber's mission is to support the growth and development of business and the quality of life of its community.



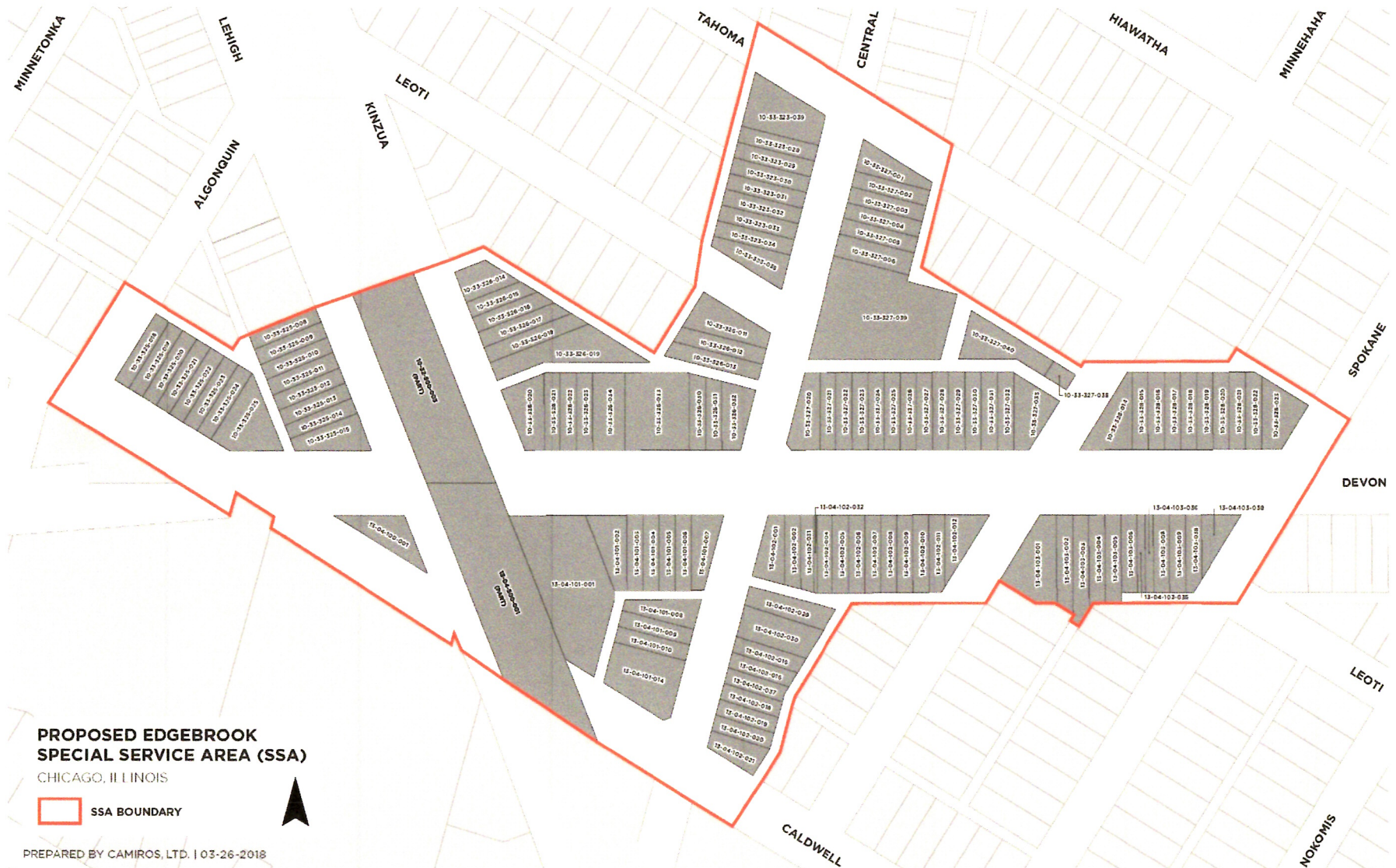
Chamber Highlights

- Field Museum Climate Toolkit
 - Fiscal agent for Boeing Grant for Eagle Scout and Gold Award projects
- Edgebrook Holiday Decorations
- North Branch Arts Supporter
 - Multi-Chamber Networking Events
 - First Friday Gallery Showings
 - \$700+ donated to Police Memorial and Ignite the Spirit charities
 - 5 “Free Fridays” for local families – New in 2018
- Mary Lou Quinn Scholarship
- Halloween Happenings
- Community Guide

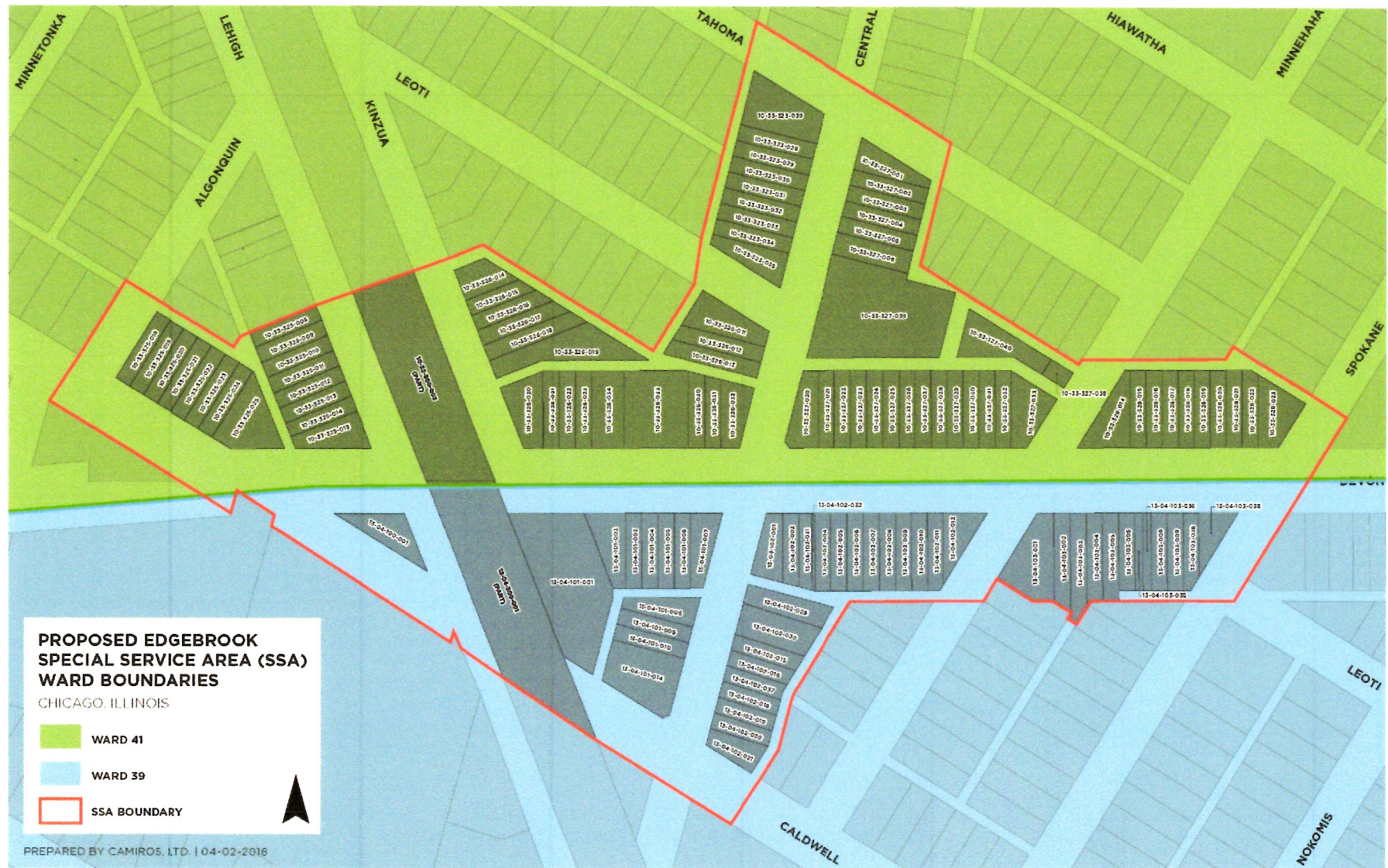
Edgebrook SSA Designation Steps

- Chamber board
- Aldermanic support – October 2017
- SSA Feasibility Study submitted to City – November 2017
- Edgebrook SSA Advisory Committee convened
- SSA vision statement
- Needs assessment to prioritize SSA programs & services
- SSA District Plan and budget
- SSA business & taxpayer outreach & input
- Taxpayer support

Edgebrook SSA Boundary Map



Edgebrook SSA Ward Map



Edgebrook SSA Designation Timeline

Going Forward

- SSA stakeholder outreach
 - Community meetings, survey & follow-up
- SSA application & designation packet due to City
 - June 15, 2018
- Support letters received from taxpayers for 20% of SSA PINs
 - June 15 – August 1, 2018
- City legislative process
 - August – December, 2018
- 2018 SSA tax levy appears on property tax bills
 - 2nd installment bills, due Summer 2019
- SSA services begin
 - Fall 2019

Preliminary Edgebrook SSA Vision

Draft for Discussion

- **Provide large scale improvements to the Edgebrook Business District to increase storefront occupancy, customer attraction and business retention.**
 - Attracting commercial development
 - Encouraging retail spending
 - Transforming and enhancing existing retail and service space