

A scenic photograph of a pond at Garfield Park Conservatory. The pond is filled with numerous lily pads, some of which are showing vibrant autumn colors like red, orange, and yellow. In the background, there is a lush green lawn and a dense line of trees with foliage in various shades of green, yellow, and red, indicating the fall season. A blue sky with scattered white clouds is visible above the trees. On the left side of the pond, a small glass-enclosed walkway or bridge is partially visible.

**GARFIELD PARK
CONSERVATORY ALLIANCE**

ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT

2023-2024

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THANK YOU

Dear Friends,

The Garfield Park Conservatory Alliance (GPCA) celebrated 26 years strong in 2024. Founded in 1995 out of a grassroots effort to save the Garfield Park Conservatory, the largest cultural institution on the West Side, which had fallen into disrepair and was in danger of being closed. A founding principle of the Alliance was that a revitalized Conservatory should use its resources to positively impact the quality of life for residents of Garfield Park.

GPCA remains dedicated to providing educational, cultural and enriching experiences for Garfield Park, Chicagoans and all who visit. We have engaged with children, families, and visitors of all ages and abilities with relevant programming highlighting the unique and extraordinary relationships between plants and people in a place like no other in the world.

In 2024, we welcomed 323,260 visitors to the Conservatory & Gardens. This positions the Conservatory & Gardens as one of the top 10 most visited Chicago cultural institutions. This 24% increase over pre-pandemic visitor traffic shows us that the demand is high for connecting with nature across our 12 acres of indoor and outdoor gardens in Garfield Park.

We hope you enjoy this recap of the 2024 activities and programs. As we look ahead, we are thrilled to move forward with major capital improvements including the reopening of the new \$10M Elizabeth Morse Genius Children's Garden in the fall of 2025, completion of the grant funded renovations to the Conservatory's lobby and completion of the outdoor Child Wild Garden in 2026. Bringing these investments to the gardens helps enhance the wellness of the Garfield Park community and makes Chicago a more equitable and sustainable city.

Together, we can shine as a sparkling jewel on the West Side and become the most inclusive campus for nature education in the nation. Thank you for being part of our future and celebrating the power of nature here under glass and in the ten acres of outdoor gardens. We are beyond grateful for our community. Thank you to all our supporters, partners, volunteers, and visitors for helping us grow and embracing a new chapter here in the gardens.

With sincere gratitude,



Jennifer Van Valkenburg
President & CEO, Garfield Park Conservatory Alliance

2024-2026 Strategic Plan Goals

GARFIELD PARK
CONSERVATORY
ALLIANCE 

Guiding the strategic vision of the Garfield Park Conservatory Alliance's mission to change lives through the power of nature.

1

No Longer a Hidden Gem

Successfully complete construction of 3 major projects (EMG Children's Garden; Child Wild Exploration Garden; Lobby Refresh) and ensure operations, staff, programs, fundraising, and marketing support growth of annual attendance from 325,000 to 500,000 by 2028.

2

The Most Inclusive Campus for Nature Education

Be the nation's most inclusive campus for nature education through the accessibility and inclusivity of public engagement and nature education programs to ensure everyone feels welcome and has an equitable experience.

3

Commitment to Community

Implement the recommendations of our Community Engagement Logic Model by establishing a Community Advisory Board, Youth Advisory Council, Web Community Corner and Complimentary Community Membership.

4

Build the Alliance

Invest in staff, board members and volunteers, leaning into the organization's culture of creativity, inclusivity, accountability and efficacy.

5

Build a Long Range Master Plan

With input from all stakeholders, review existing Campus Framework Plan and establish new master plan to support continued growth in visitation and programming as well as advance investment in East Garfield Park.

2024 Milestones

CAPITAL INVESTMENTS

EMG CHILDREN'S GARDEN

Construction is underway on the indoor EMG Children's Garden and we expect to re-open in the fall of 2025! Thank you for your patience over the last few years as we have worked to bring this \$10M project to fruition. The outpouring of trust and generous support has been inspiring. The new incredible, accessible EMG Children's Garden will bring vital resources to the community including:

- Year-round, indoor state-of-the-art nature play space
- ADA accessible spiral ramp
- Dedicated space for those with sensory processing disorders plus low-sensory visiting hours
- Community hours for West Side families, Member hours
- A new slide and epic climber, specifically designed for us, plus a new toddler area and Art & Nature Gallery
- Free nature education programming
- A new family restroom
- A welcoming, engaging environment that inspires curiosity and fosters the next generation of nature champions - and so much more!



CHILD WILD EXPLORATION GARDEN

Construction for the upcoming Child Wild Garden is underway, slated to open in 2026! Designed for children ages 0-16 and caregivers, complementing the indoor EMG Children's Garden and the outdoor Play & Grow Garden. Together, these three intentional spaces will help us become the most inclusive campus for nature education in the US.

COMMUNITY AT THE CONSERVATORY

ACCESSIBILITY

Our commitment to inclusivity shines brighter each year and we are thrilled to be KultureCity Sensory Inclusive Certified! Now, our trained staff can provide sensory bags which are available to borrow during your visit. KultureCity is a leading nonprofit dedicated to making spaces more accessible for individuals with sensory needs. Together, we're enhancing experiences to be more welcoming for all.



URBAN AGRICULTURE RESOURCES

The **Train the Trainer** workshop series, piloted in 2023, helps 10 local gardeners (8 participants plus 2 mentors) share knowledge and support community gardens across the city. 100% of participants shared they increased their content knowledge and confidence in leading others in: garden planning, growing seedlings, building raised beds, amending soil, direct sowing, and transplanting seedlings.



We grew, harvested and donated 1,713 pounds of produce - 21% more than 2023! Donation partners include the Garfield Park Community Council's Neighborhood Market, Breakthrough Fresh Market and West Humboldt Farmers Market. We also propagate and donate seedlings to help other community-based organizations jumpstart their seasonal growing operations.

COMMUNITY ADVISORY BOARD

We welcomed a new cohort of our Community Advisory Board (CAB). CAB launched in June of 2022 and is comprised of 10 dedicated individuals who live, work or own businesses on the West Side of Chicago. They work in tandem with GPCA's Community Engagement Manager to ensure community input is infused with all our work.



URBAN ROOTS

TEEN ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE PROGRAM



“ [Urban Roots] made me realize that I’m capable of doing things that I thought I wasn’t capable of before, like leadership. This program really helped bring that side of me out. ”

- a student who joined the program in summer 2024

IN 2024:

18

students enrolled
per session

7

students completed
additional internships (5
greenhouse and 2
beekeeping interns)

7

served on the first Youth
Advisory Council to develop
more teen-focused opportunities
at the Conservatory

-
- 100% reported opportunities for leadership development
 - 93% reported strong and positive relationships with adults at the Conservatory
 - 80% reported increased their knowledge of plant and environmental science
 - 87% reported greater awareness of the benefits of nature to their physical health & fitness, mental health, and emotional well-being
 - 80% reported a stronger connection to nature and environmental justice issues
 - 80% reported an increase of knowledge and skills to pursue green/environmental career paths
 - 80% reported an increase in social capital

URBAN ROOTS

TEEN ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE PROGRAM

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Urban Roots Environmental Justice Program for West Side Teens engages local high school students in paid job skills training at the Conservatory, STEAM education centered on plants and conservation, social emotional learning, and leadership development. Throughout the program we focus on building resilient young people through positive and lasting relationships with nature and work to broaden their awareness of environmental justice issues and how to advocate for change.

The West Side has one of the city's highest jobless rates for youth ages 16-24 (54.5%), underscoring the need to provide young people with practical experience and skills needed to enter and succeed in the workplace.

Urban Roots is offered in 3 sessions throughout the year: a six-week summer intensive (120 hours of programming) in which students gain significant hands-on urban agriculture training in our outdoor gardens, and fall and spring after-school programs (42 hours of programming each) that immerse students in a STEAM curriculum that prepares them to provide tours and interpretation of the Conservatory to the visiting public, while exploring a range of topics. Urban Roots creates a safe, supportive environment for young people to build community and engage in social-emotional development and impactful learning opportunities.



..... 2024 ATTENDANCE

323,260

Total 2024 Visitors to the
Garfield Park Conservatory
& Gardens

24%

Increase from 2019
(pre-pandemic)

50

Welcomed visitors from
all 50 US states



40%

Chicago Visitors

6%

West Side Visitors



OUR IMPACT - BY THE NUMBERS

.....

16,208

participated in
free family
programs

18

Urban Roots
Environmental
Justice Teens
employed

12,597

School children
served on field
trips

8%

increase in overall
engagement of
youth & families
from 2023 to 2024

1,441

People served
at Community
Outreach
Events

6,459

Total volunteer
hours served by
205 volunteers

4,330

Adults served with
nature education
programs,
workshops and
events

12%

increase in adult
program
participation from
2023 to 2024

1,713

lbs of produce
donated; 21%
more than 2023's
harvest

10,000+

Tulip bulbs given
to the community
and members

2,500

Daffodils planted in
Garfield Park

3

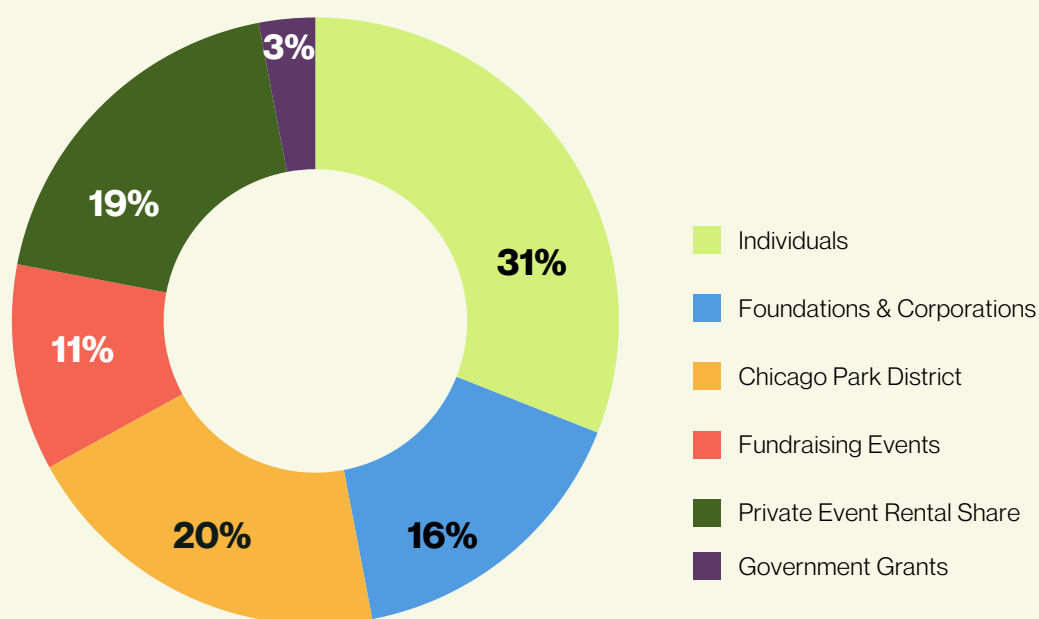
Annual Flower Shows
(Spring, Summer,
Winter) with
educational
interpretation



Financials

July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024

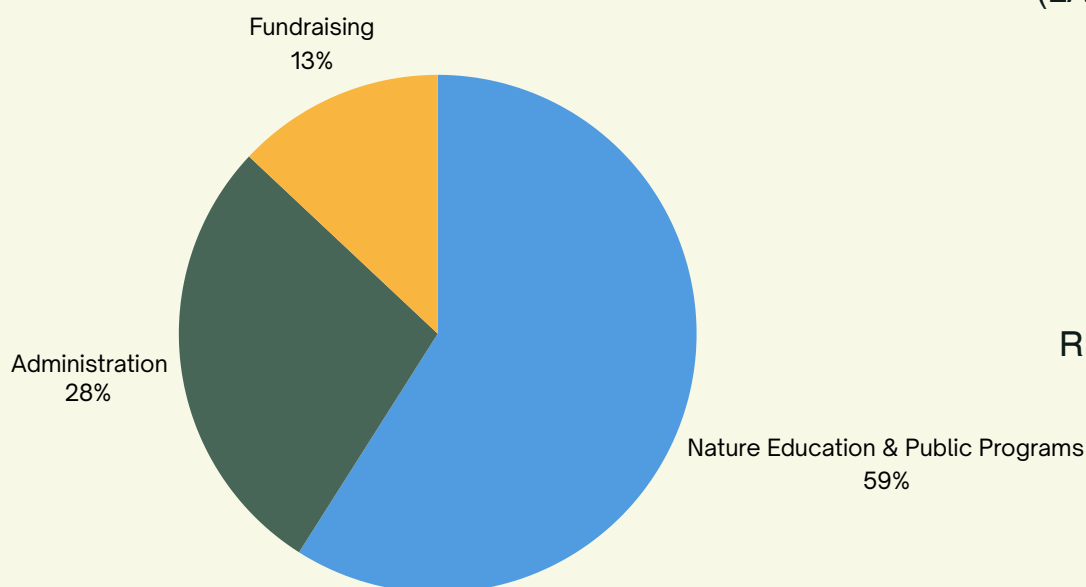
REVENUE SUMMARY



1,669
TOTAL
DONORS

1,387
MEMBERS +
INDIVIDUAL
DONORS

EXPENSE SUMMARY



87
COMMUNITY
MEMBERSHIPS
(LAUNCHED IN
2024)

42%
DONOR
RETENTION
RATE

THANK YOU to Our 2023-2024 Members, Donors, Partners and Volunteers!

EMG Children's Garden Capital Campaign

\$750,000 – \$2,000,000

Elizabeth Morse Genius Charitable Trust
TIF Funding
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\$100,000 – \$500,000

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Builders Initiative
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\$25,000 – \$50,000

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\$40,000-199,999

Anonymous Fund of Central Indiana Community Foundation
Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events (DCASE)
John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

\$25,000 – \$39,999

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John R. Halligan Charitable Fund
Make It Better Foundation
PNC Foundation
Sacks Family Foundation

\$15,000 to \$24,999

After School Matters
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IMC Chicago Charitable Foundation
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\$10,000 to \$14,999

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\$5,000 to \$9,999

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\$1,000 to \$4,999

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Euromonitor International
Fifth Third Bank
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Rebecca & Jacquelyn Raymond Foundation
ServiceMaster by Zaba
Vera Creative
The Will Group

\$500 to \$999

Associated Bank
Best Bees
Jacob Beidler and Deborah Witzburg Charitable Foundation
The Brattle Group
Cisco Meraki
Deloitte
Invenergy
ION Group
McDonalds
Northern Trust Company
Rework LLC
Salesforce
Synchrony Financial
Taylor Farms

\$240 to \$499

Exelon Corporation
Google
Grubhub

Individuals**\$25,000 to \$50,000**

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\$5,000 to \$9,999

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