



GREATER SOUTHWEST
DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

GRAFFITI REBATE PROGRAM APPLICATION

Please check the appropriate box:

- I am the property owner
- I am the business owner
- I am both the property owner and the business owner

Please check the appropriate box:

- Retail
- Restaurant
- Service
- Other (Please specify) _____

Name of applicant: _____

Address of property to be cleaned: _____

Business name: _____

Telephone: _____ Email address: _____

Total number of employees: _____ Full time: _____ Part time: _____

What graffiti removal improvements are you applying for under the Graffiti Rebate program?

- Glass resurfacing
- Glass replacement
- Other (please specify): _____

Business Owner's Signature

Date

Property Owner's Signature

Date

Mail, fax, email or bring completed application to:

Nick Kollias, Commercial Director

Greater Southwest Development Corporation

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A completed application must include the following six items. A check will be received within two to four weeks of approval.

- 1. This completed application form
- 2. Copy of property owner's tax bill (if applicant is the property owner)
- 3. Copy of business license (if applicant is the business owner)
- 4. Purchase and installation receipts
- 5. Before and after photos
- 6. Copy of the contractor's City of Chicago business license and insurance policy



GRAFFITI REBATE PROGRAM GUIDELINES

The Special Service Area (SSA) Board implemented the **Graffiti Rebate Program** to remove graffiti from businesses in the area and to potentially increase sales and profitability with a cleaner retail environment.

Eligible Applicants:

All commercial retail business buildings located within the SSA are eligible for one annual rebate of up to \$300 per calendar year. The rebate is accessible as long as there is available SSA funding for graffiti removal. In addition, all commercial businesses must comply with the following requirements.

Requirements:

- The property owner or business must have been at the present location for a minimum of five months.
- The business must be fully licensed with the City of Chicago and provide a copy of the license with the application.
- A copy of the receipt of work done must be provided along with before and after photos.
- A copy of the contractor's City of Chicago business license and insurance policy. *Contractor must be fully licensed with the City of Chicago.*
- The property owner or landlord must give written authorization to the tenant by signing the application.
- The business must pay the cost of the equipment and installation upfront.
- Once the work has been completed and paid in full, the SSA may then reimburse up to \$300 of the cost.

The commission reserves the right to deny any application it deems unfit to receive reimbursement.

Specifications:

The following expenses qualify for reimbursement. The SSA Graffiti Rebate Program will not reimburse the cost of graffiti removal for work being done on surfaces other than glass.

- Resurfacing of glass that has been damaged from graffiti
- Replacement of glass that has been damaged from graffiti

Applications are available at the Greater Southwest Development Corporation office. See contact information below:

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