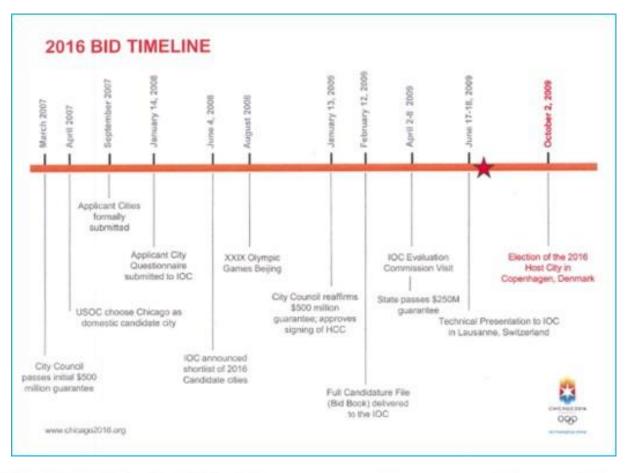


2016 BID TIMELINE + RECENT VOTES

Chicago selected as United States Applicant City for 2016 Olympic Games
Applicant Cities to reply to IOC questionnaire
Acceptance of Candidate Cities by the IOC Executive Board in Lausanne
Candidature Procedure and Questionnaire made available to Candidate Cities
Candidate Cities participate in the IOC Observer Program during the Beijing 2008 Olympic Games
Candidature File to be submitted to the IOC
IOC Evaluation Commission visits Candidate Cities
Publication of the Evaluation Commission report
Election of the 2016 Host City in Copenhagen (Simple majority of present IOC voting members – there were 115 in 2009)

Source: Chicago 2016 Committee document - "Olympic Bidding 101" - In author's possession.



Shifting fortunes in IOC's secret ballots

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Breaking down the international Olympic Committee votes since 1993 for the Summer Games shows that a bid city's early lead is no guarantee of victory. For each round: Current leader Still in contention Eliminated 2012 CANDIDATE CITY **BOUND**1 ROUND 2 ROUND 3 **ROUND 4** Summer London 22 27 39 54 WINN LONDON Olympics Paris 21 25 33 50 Bid voting at the 117th IOC Madrid 20 32 31 New York 19 16 Singapore on July 6, 2005. Moscow 15 2008 CANDIDATE CITY ROUND 1 ROUND 2 Summer Beijing 44 56 Olympics Toronto 20 22 HOW THE VOTING WORKS Bld voting at A majority of If no majority is reached, the 112th IOC 15 18 votes is the city with the lowest Session in Istanbul 17 9 required to number of votes is Moscow on July 13, 2001. win the eliminated and there is Osaka, Japan 6 nomination. another round of votes. 2004 CANDIDATE CITY ROUND1 TIEBREAK ROUND 2 ROUNDS ROUND 4 Summer Athens, Greece 32 WINNER: ATHENS Olympics 23 28 35 41 Bid voting at the 106th IOC Cape Town, South Africa 22 20 Session in Stockholm 20 Lausanne, Switzerland, on Buenos Aires, Argentina 44 Sept. 5, 1997. 2000 CANDIDATE CITY ROUND1 ROUND 2 ROUNDS ROUND 4 Summer WINNER: SYDNEY 30 Sydney 30 37 45 Olympics 32 37 40 43 Beijing Bld voting at the 101st IOC Manchester, England 11 13 11 Session in Berlin 9 Monte Carlo on Sept. 23, 1993.

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