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Comments made at the 2.22.23 CC meeting

### Idea #1

**Track questions asked by the public at CC meeting.** Write them down on a large piece of paper (see picture w/easel I think it's like \$50). Assign them to the appropriate CC person (by committee). The question is answered when the resident who asked the question is satisfied.

Each CC session should include a review of outstanding questions and an update regarding when answers are expected.



### Idea #2

**Legislative agenda.** The CC posted a 2022 legislative agenda on the city website, but no reports regarding progress toward meeting legislative objectives were ever given to the public.

Please, if you are going to release an agenda to the public, have a plan for monitoring and reporting progress toward meeting goals.

### Idea #3

**Public Art.** Public art can boost a local economy in a variety of ways. Consider adding public art to your legislative agenda. Please see the article “\* Ways the Arts Can Boost Your Local Economy” at National League of Cities website here: <https://www.nlc.org/article/2017/06/09/8-ways-the-arts-can-boost-your-local-economy-strengthen-your-community/#:~:text=Budgets%3A%20The%20arts%20and%20culture,GDP%20than%20construction%20or%20agriculture>

### Idea #4

**The Computational Democracy Project.** Please consider taking a look at this website: <https://compdemocracy.org/> (and the affiliated website <https://pol.is/home>)

With the comprehensive planning process underway, the pol.is tool supercharge community engagement.

## Idea #5

As more public and private data sets of all types become available online from around the world, incredible learning opportunities for researchers (from around the world) have been created. The National Bureau of Economic Research publishes “working papers” on a wide range of topics that are highly relevant to our community. I think it would be a good idea for CC members to subscribe to the NBER here:

<https://www.nber.org/> Once subscribed, every Monday morning you’ll get an email with between 20 and 40 abstracts. You can download 3 papers for free each year, and papers are \$5 after that.

Below is a sampling of the research that I think might interest you:

### **Child/Human Well-Being**

- Language Environment and Maternal Expectations: An Evaluation of the LENA Start Program Flávia Cunha, Marsha Gerdes, Qinyou Hu, and Snezana Nihitkova #30837 (January 2023)
- Unconditional Cash Transfers for Families with Children in the U.S.: A Scoping Review Hema Shah and Lisa A. Gennetian #30965 (February 2023)
- Effects of Enhanced Legal Aid in Child Welfare: Evidence from a Randomized Trial of Mi Abogado Ryan Cooper, Joseph J. Doyle Jr., and Andrés P. Hojman #30974 (February 2023)
- Parenting Promotes Social Mobility Within and Across Generations Jorge Luis Garcia & James J. Heckman (Oct 2022)
- The Scale and Nature of Neighborhood Effects on Children: Evidence from a Danish Social Housing Experiment Stephen B. Billings, Mark Hoekstra, and Gabriel Pons Rotger #30764 (December 2022)
- Stress, Ethnicity, and Prosocial Behavior Johannes Haushofer, Sara Lowes, Abednego Musau, David M. Ndeti, Nathan Nunn, Moritz Poll, and Nancy Qian (August 2022)
- Welfare Reform and the Quality of Young Children’s Home Environments Ariel Kalil, Hope Corman, Dhaval M. Dave, Ofira Schwartz-Soicher, and Nancy Reichman (August 2022)
- Unconditional Cash and Family Investments in Infants: Evidence from a Large-Scale Cash Transfer Experiment in the U.S. Lisa A. Gennetian, Greg Duncan, Nathan A. Fox, Katherine Magnuson, Sarah Halpern-Meekin, Kimberly G. Noble, and Hirokazu Yoshikawa (August 2022)
- Investing in Infants: The Lasting Effects of Cash Transfers to New Families Andrew C. Barr, Jonathan Eggleston, and Alexander A. Smith (August 2022)
- Real-Time Poverty, Material Well-Being, and the Child Tax Credit Jeehoon Han, Bruce D. Meyer, and James X. Sullivan (August 2022)
- Family Formation and Crime Maxim N. Massenkoff and Evan K. Rose (Aug 2022)
- Eviction and Poverty in American Cities Robert Collinson, John Eric Humphries, Nicholas S. Mader, Davin K. Reed, Daniel I. Tannenbaum, and Winnie van Dijk (August 2022)
- Evictions and Psychiatric Treatment Ashley Bradford and Johanna Catherine Maclean #30766 (December 2022)
- Maternal and Infant Health Inequality: New Evidence from Linked Administrative Data Kate Kennedy-Moulton, Sarah Miller, Petra Persson, Maya Rossin-Slater, Laura Wherry, and Gloria Aldana #30693 (Nov 2022)
- The Intergenerational Consequences of Economic Distress: In-Utero Exposure to Financial Crises and Birth Outcomes Mevlude Akbulut-Yuksel, Seyit M. Cilasun, Erdal Tekin, and Belgi Turan #30902 (January 2023)
- Lasting Scars: The Impact of Depression in Early Adulthood on Subsequent Labor Market Outcomes Buyi Wang, Richard G. Frank, and Sherry A. Glied #30776 (December 2022)
- The Impact of Paid Family Leave on Families with Health Shocks Courtney Coile, Maya Rossin-Slater, and Amanda Su #30739 (December 2022)
- Boomerang Children and Parental Retirement Outcomes Grant M. Seiter, Mary J. Lopez, and Sita Slavov #30863 (January 2023)
- Deterrence or Backlash? Arrests and the Dynamics of Domestic Violence Sofia Amaral, Gordon B. Dahl, Victoria Endl-Geyer, Timo Hener, and Helmut Rainer #30855 (January 2023)

- [Domestic Violence and the Mental Health and Well-being of Victims and Their Children](#) Manudeep Bhuller, Gordon B. Dahl, Katrine V. Løken, and Magne Mogstad #30792 (December 2022)
- [Criminal Charges, Risk Assessment, and Violent Recidivism in Cases of Domestic Abuse](#) Dan A. Black, Jeffrey Grogger, Tom Kirchmaier, and Koen Sanders #30884 (January 2023)

### **Economy, Infrastructure, Housing**

- [The Economics of Cities: From Theory to Data](#) Stephen J. Redding #30875 (January 2023)
- [Urban Renewal and Inequality: Evidence from Chicago's Public Housing Demolitions](#) Milna Almagro, Eric Chyn, and Bryan A. Stuart #30838 (January 2023)
- [Black Ownership Matters: Does Revealing Race Increase Demand For Minority-Owned Businesses?](#) Abhay Aneja, Michael Luca, and Oren Reshef #30932 (February 2023)
- [The 15-Minute City Quantified Using Mobility Data](#) Timur Abbiasov, Cate Heine, Edward L. Glaeser, Carlo Ratti, Sadeq Sabouri, Arianna Salazar Miranda, and Paolo Santi #30752 (December 2022)
- [A New Racial Disparity in Traffic Fatalities](#) Aaron Chalfin and Maxim N. Massenkoff #30636 (Nov 2022)
- [Immigration, The Long-Term Care Workforce, and Elder Outcomes in the U.S.](#) David C. Grabowski, Jonathan Gruber, and Brian McGarry #30960 (February 2023)
- [The Effects of Recreational Marijuana Legalization on Employment and Earnings](#) Dhaval M. Dave, Yang Liang, Caterina Muratori, and Joseph J. Sabia #30813 (January 2023)
- [The Nature of Long-Term Unemployment: Predictability, Heterogeneity and Selection](#) Andreas I. Mueller and Johannes Spinnewijn #30979 (February 2023)
- [Funding Black High-Growth Startups](#) Lisa D. Cook, Matt Marx, and Emmanuel Yimfor #30682 (December 2022)
- [More Roads or Public Transit? Insights from Measuring City-Center Accessibility](#) Lucas J. Conwell, Fabian Eckert, and Ahmed Mushfiq Mobarak #30877 (January 2023)

### **Gun Violence**

- [Predicting and Preventing Gun Violence: An Experimental Evaluation of READI Chicago](#) Monica P. Bhatt, Sara B. Heller, Max Kapustin, Marianne Bertrand, and Christopher Blattman #30852 (January 2023)

### **Government/Finance**

- [Search Frictions and Product Design in the Municipal Bond Market](#) Giulia Brancaccio and Karam Kang #30775 (December 2022)
- [From Lapdogs to Watchdogs: Random Auditor Assignment and Municipal Fiscal Performance](#) Silvia Vannutelli #30644 (Nov 2022)
- [The Cost of Regulatory Compliance in the United States](#) Francesco Trebbi and Miao Ben Zhang #30691 (Nov 2022)
- [Government Audits](#) Martina Cuneo, Jetson Leder-Luis, and Silvia Vannutelli #30975 (February 2023)

### **Government/Management**

- [Subjective Performance Evaluation, Influence Activities, and Bureaucratic Work Behavior: Evidence from China](#) Alain de Janvry, Guojun He, Elisabeth Sadoulet, Shaoda Wang, & Qiong Zhang #30621 (Nov. 2022)
- [Do Conflict of Interests Disclosures Work? Evidence from Citations in Medical Journals](#) Christian Leuz, Anup Malani, Maximilian Muhn, and Laszlo Jakab #30927 (January 2023)
- [The Remote Work Revolution: Impact on Real Estate Values and the Urban Environment](#) Stijn Van Nieuwerburgh #30662 (Nov 2022)
- [Heads Up: Does Air Pollution Cause Workplace Accidents?](#) Victor Lavy, Genia Rachkovski, and Omry Yoresh #30715 (December 2022)
- [When do "Nudges" Increase Welfare?](#) Hunt Allcott, Daniel Cohen, William Morrison, and Dmitry Taubinsky #30740 (December 2022)
- [Managers and the Management of Organizations](#) John Roberts and Kathryn L. Shaw #30730 (December 2022)

- Productivity and Wages: What Was the Productivity-Wage Link in the Digital Revolution of the Past, and What Might Occur in the AI Revolution of the Future? Edward Lazear, Kathryn L. Shaw, Grant E. Hayes, and James M. Jedras #30734 (December 2022)
- Too Many Managers: The Strategic Use of Titles to Avoid Overtime Payments Lauren Cohen, Umit Gurun, and N. Bugra Ozel #30826 (January 2023)
- Man vs. Machine: Technological Promise and Political Limits of Automated Regulation Enforcement Oliver Browne, Ludovica Gasse, Michael Greenstone, and Olga Rostapshova #30816 (January 2023)